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TOWN COUNCILLORS

Public What They Did the Past Year—While Other Speakers Criticise Their Work Favorably and Otherwise.

The lack of interest shown by the public in municipal affairs this year was reflected in the size of the crowd gathered at the Town Hall Monday night to hear the nominees talk. Only about fifty were present. Mr. B. Kerrer occupied the chair. For the first half of the evening peace and harmony reigned supreme. Then Jos Henderson who was one of the nominees, started after Reeve Russell and Con. McCarter accusing them of using their office the past year to persecute him. The attacked Councillors uttered vigorous denials from their seats and afterwards took a second turn on the platform. From that time on there was something doing every minute.

Didn't Dilly-dally Says Andy

Mayor Johnston, the first speaker, thanked the citizens for reelecting him for a second time. He considered that the town had a very good Council the past year although they were inexperienced and they had worked harmoniously together. The Council had inherited an overdraft of two mills from the last year's Council. He believed that the outgoing Council would have an overdraft of less than one mill. One man who was running accused the Council of dilly-dallying with hydro. He hoped that man would be elected so that he could do something. The Mayor didn't think the Council could be blamed. The clerk had been instructed every month to write hydro. Both he and Mr. Collins had telephoned Toronto. He read a letter from Hydro Oct.23rd, promising figures shortly, and another written in December (published in the Telescope recently) stating that on account of the condition of the labor and money markets owing to the war, would be impossible to do anything at present.

Reeve Russell's Report

Reeve Russell, who spoke for half an

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C. P. R. Cuts Off Train

The new C. P. R. timetable which comes into effect Sunday cuts off one of the two local passenger trains. There is no change of time for the morning train. It will leave at 6.30 a. m. and arrive at 1. 25 p. m. as heretofore.

Engagement Announced

The engagement was announced from the R. C. pulpit on New Years morning of Miss Veronica Lutzgus, daughter of Mr. Jacob Lutzgus of Chepstow, to Mr. Joseph J. Ernst, son of the late Frank Ernst, of Brant. The marriage will take place about the middle of January.

Succumbed To Pneumonia

Miss Rose Lobsinger, daughter of Mr. Anthony Lobsinger of Hanover, succumbed to septic pneumonia at the Bruce County Hospital on Monday. She had been operated upon for appendicitis early last week and complications developed. The young lady was well-known in Walkerton, having worked here on different occasions.

Wins the D. S. O.

Among the Canadian officers who have been selected for military honours at the New Year, is Lieut-Col. (Dr.) Fraser, of Walkerton, who has been awarded the Distinguished Service Order. Dr. Fraser went to France at the beginning of the war as second in Command of No. 2 Canadian Field Ambulance Corps. He has twice received important promotions. Walkerton friends will be glad to learn of this further recognition of his distinguished services.

Better Still

The 160th. Bruce Battalion has done even better than was first reported for the Victory Loan. They subscribed a total of $30,400 which is more than twice the amount subscribed by any other Battalion, of this amount the officer's took $6,500. Paymaster Farquhar Shaw was a very busy man, arranging the boys' pay so as to enable them to buy bonds. The Batt'n put some Bruce "pep" into the campaign and as a result outdistanced all the nearby regiments.

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NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Schools reopen to-day.

For neat job printing try the Telescope.

Order your daily papers at the Telescope.

Mr. Alf. Schnurr returns to Stratford on Monday.

Mr. Richard McCrum is spending a few days at Galt.

The Telescope is agent for all the daily newspapers.

Miss Lizzie Monk was home from Stratford for New Years.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Addis visited friends at Kitchener last week.

The Soldiers Aid Tea Room will reopen for the winter next Wednesday.

Mrs. (Dr.) Lane of New York is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. McCrum.

Mr. William Morrison of London was here this week visiting his sister, Mrs. R. H McKay.

Miss Mary Gillen is home from St. Anne's Training School, Kitchener, for the holidays.

Mrs. Harry K. Watts and daughter, Eleanor, spent the holidays with relatives in Owen Sound.

Mrs. R. J. Wilson and Mrs. J. E. Watts of Toronto are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Watts.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Cunio of Walkerton spent Christmas day at Mrs. John Boehmer's—Mildmay Gazette.

Milton and George McGregor and Albert Reichenbach are spending the Xmas holidays at Mr. Nelson Flott's, Pinkerton.

Mr Louis Flach, who is farming near Kerrobert, Sask., arrived home last week on a visit to his father, Mr. John Flach of Brant.

W. S. Patterson, a former Kincardine man, runs a big manufacturing concern at Flint, Mich., employing over 5,000 hands.

The Brant Farmers' Club will meet at Mr. W. A. Rowand's on Tuesday evening, Jan. 8th. Ladies are cordially invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Buffalo, N. Y. Miss Florence Brislan of Toronto were holiday visitors with their parents, Mr. and Mrs James Brislan.

It's quite a puzzle to know whether it's best to hang on to your nose and get your fists cold, or let your nose go and keep your hands warm.

A fellow who fought 15 months in the trenches unwounded died from swallowing his false teeth. Those that are born to be hanged etc

Mrs. Wm. Gillon and three children spent the Christmas holidays with her mother, Mrs Wm. Cronin of Teeswater, and friends in Carrick and Culross.

Mr. Alfred Watts, of Arden, Man., is visiting his brother, Mr. H. Watts, section foreman C. P. R. The two brothers had not seen each other for 35 years.

Mr. Ed. Schnurr manager of the Bell Telephone Co., Orangeville, and Mrs. Schnurr, spent New Years with the former's parents, Mr and Mrs. Con. Schnurr.

Hogs are up to $17.60

Order your daily newspapers at the Telescope.

Mr. John Polfys jr. is home on a visit from the West.

Wilfrid Damm spent New Years with friends at Hamilton.

Mr. Louis Runstadtler is spending the week at Kitchener.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ball visited friends in Toronto this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Sliers spent New Years with friends at Woodstock.

Mr. James O'Connor visited his son P. J. O'Connor at Preston to-day.

Mayor Taylor and the Hanover Council are re-elected by acclamation.

M. A. Halliday was elected Mayor of Chesley, and W. H. Brown, reeve, by acclamation.

Mr. P. W. Mitchell, a well-known citizen of Hanover, passed away Sunday night in his 75th year.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Scanlan and family are spending a week with Mrs. Scanlan's people at Chicago.

Jack Chalmers and Grace Chalmers are spending the High School vacation at their home at Moncton.

Major Henderson went on a visit to his daughter, Miss Grace Henderson, at Niagara Falls this week.

A New Year's resolution—read the announcements of the merchants in each issue of the Telescope

Mr. Walter and Miss Annie Smith spent New Years with their sister, Mrs. George Bingleman at Simcoe.

Mrs. Tidman of Toronto and Mrs. Ridley, Donald and Clark Wallace of Paris, who have been visiting their mother, Mrs. Jos. Wallace returned home this week.

Mr. W. J. Eamer of the Can. Bank of Commerce is wearing his arm in a sling these days, as a result of a fall from a fence recently by which he dislocated his shoulder.

Mr. John D. Little writes a friend here from Red Deer, Alta., that the Western climate is helping his asthma and he intends to stay in the West until the coming summer.

Dr and Mrs. H. H. Sinclair left on Monday to spend three weeks at Hamilton. The Dr. will be at the Hartley House on Jan. 3rd and 4th and will return home on the 11th inst.

Mr Alexander Stephen, the veteran Clerk of Sullivan, has resigned after 31 years service of Clerk. He is over 80 years of age and will celebrate his Golden Wedding in January.

After experimenting for several years Swedish railroad officials have decided that peat powder is an efficient and practical fuel for locomotives with a value about two thirds that of coal.

Mr. James Christie and his sister, Mrs. John Bell and four little daughters of Varney, visited Walkerton friends last week on their way to see their father, Reeve Gilbert Christie of Saugeen.

John Ruetz of the 5th concession of Carrick, who was refused exemption by the Chesley Exemption Tribunal, appeared yesterday before the Chesley appeal Tribunal. He was successful in securing exemption.

Mr. and Mrs. William Yaeck and three children of Kerrobert Sask., arrived East last week to spend a couple of months at their old home here. Mr. Yaeck has been farming near Kerrobert for five years. He states that crops were fairly good in his neighborhood the past year.

Mr. William Houston, ex-chairman of the Board of Education, Toronto, was unable to qualify for the Board at the last minute, as the fact that he lives at Mimico, a suburb of Toronto, bars him out. Mr. Houston, who is one of the editors of the Globe, is an old Greenock boy.

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The Canada Spool and Bobbin Co. Limited, Walkerton, Ont., will pay the following prices per cord of 128 cubic feet for Round Short Logs or Bolts cut 4 feet long: Hard Maple (not less than 8 in. diam.) $16.00; Cherry and White Poplar $7.00; Birch (any kind) $9.00; Rock Elm and Beech $6.00; Basswood and Butternut $9.00; Balm of Gilead $5.50; Applewood $10.00. All Bolts except Elm and Applewood to be cut 4 feet long and not less than 6 in. in diameter. Applewood may be cut any length over 30 in. and not less than 6 in. diameter. Elm to be cut 36 in. long. All Bolts to be of clean sound hasty wood practically free of knots, shakes and rot or reured wood. Saw Logs of any of a recie mentioned wood bought at local mills at prices [illegible]



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Arrived At Paris

Mrs. Niece Rasburn mentioned in a letter received here last week from Paris, France, that Nursing Sister Martha Fortune of Walkerton had just arrived there on a visit.

Gets Honorable Discharge

Pte. Simon Small, who was invalided home from Overseas recently after doing his bit in Belgium, has got his discharge papers. Simon returned home from London on Monday and expects to take a position here.

Weir Running In Brant

Archie Weir, who was deputy-reeve of Brant in 1916, but was defeated last year for the Reeveship by David Willoughby, is out for the reeveship. As Weir was only a few votes behind last year, he is a dangerous competitor for the honors.

Old Folks Remembered

The old folks at the House of Refuge were given a New Years treat by a sewing club, composed of the Misses Holm, Misses Nesbitt, Misses Flett, and Misses Hartless, Mrs. Singer and others. There was a parcel for each of the 53 inmates and the old folks hearts were gladdened by the kind thoughtfulness of the club. The inmates were also pleasantly surprised last week by Miss Halladay's public school class who brought along Santa impersonated by Mr. Clayton Tovell. Gifts were distributed and the boys and girls entertained the old folks with an excellent Christmas program.

Should Pick Good Council

With eight candidates running for the six councillorship, also two Candidates running for Reeve, the personnel of the Town Council is still an uncertainty. But we believe the citizens can pick from the field a fairly good council for 1918. There are no big issues before the council just now. Unfortunately hydro is not going to be ready at the expiry of the street lighting contract this year, but it is looming ahead in the immediate future and it would be well for the people on Monday to pick the men whom they can best trust with that issue. Economy is the policy that will best appeal to the ratepayers the coming year. Sit tight on the money chest would be a good motto. Real economy of course requires efficiency and we look to the incoming council to deliver the goods.

A Strange Mix Up

Vincent Pettepiace, a Riversdale young man, has got into a bad mix-up with the military authorities due apparently to a misunderstanding. As a result he was arrested yesterday by Chief Ferguson and brought to town to be taken to London by a military escort. Vincent enlisted in 1916 in the 160th Batt'n but was discharged before the Batt'n went Overseas owing to physical disabilities. Last month Vincent accompanied his brother to Harriston where the latter was to be medically examined. While standing out side the Medical Quarters he was whisked in, examined, and passed class A. by one of the officers, although he had no intention of being examined at all. The young man was then asked to sign a paper which it now appears was an application for enlistment. He returned to Walkerton then and appeared before the military tribunal here which granted him exemption. Having the exemption papers in his pocket he went home and stayed there until yesterday when the Chief appeared and arrested him as a deserter.

Christmas at the Hospital

Many friends called to admire the Christmas decorations at the County Hospital last week. The staff took particular trouble this year to make the place look Christmasy and they certainly succeeded. The halls and staircases were decorated with evergreens and red and green crepe tissue was used to shade the lights and were draped in graceful festoons across the rooms. The effect was very pretty and helped to impart an air of Christmas to every nook and corner. One little girl who had to leave her home in the midst of the festive season to undergo an operation at the hospital, had a Christmas tree all her own set up for her in her room, and Santa Claus didn't forget her either. There was another Christmas tree in the Women's Ward containing presents for everyone. At this season of home-gathering the sick ward is apt to be a lonesome place, but the kind thoughtfulness of the staff on this occasion went a long way towards dispating any heart burnings. During the afternoon some young ladies called and favored the patients with some music which was certainly appreciated. Miss Helene Whitehead sang "Abide with Me" and "Farewell to Thee." Miss Donalda McKechnie sang "In Old Judea," and the Misses Norrish gave some fine selections on the mandolin and guitar.

MUNICIPAL NOMINATIONS

Contests are on in Walkerton and Brant, Greenock and Carrick Townships—Few Acclamations This Year.

Mayor Johnston gets a second term unopposed in Walkerton. Three were nominated for Reeve but ex-Mayor Lippert withdrew, leaving a straight contest between Reeve Russell and ex-Coun. John Douglas. Eighteen citizens were nominated for the position of Councillor but ten dropped out leaving eight candidates for the six positions. Three of those who withdrew were members of last year's council, Messrs. Rev. J. W. Sanderson, J. E. McGregor and John McKinnon.

The full list of nominees appears on an inside page.

WALKERTON

MAYOR

A. P. Johnston (re-elected by acclamation).

REEVE

John Douglas.
Robert Russell.

COUNCILLORS

William George, George S Lettner, Fred W Lippert, Alex McCarter, Duncan McKerracher, Henry Pletsch, Harry E Truax, Sam Vogan.

BRANT

Reeve—Weir, Willoughby.
Deputy Reeve—W A. Rowand (acc).
Couns.—Old Council re-elected by acclamation:— Findlay, Johnston, Gregg.

CARRICK

Reeve—M. Feeling, C. Schmidt.
Deputy Reeve—J. Montag and Dr. Doering.
Councillors—Lewis, Montag, Wagner, Juergens.

KINLOSS

(re-elected by acclamation)
Reeve—D. S. McDonald
Council—Chas. Baechler, Colwell, Tiffin, McDermid.

PAISLEY

Reeve—J. H. Steele, (acclamation).
Councillors—A. Pierce, Dr. Houston, J. Logie, B. Sparrow, J. McKinnon, H. J. Putman.

People Entitled To Full Information

The record of the Town Council business in 1917 has been printed as usual in the form of a Statement of receipts and expenditures signed by the Mayor and Treasurer. The Statement shows careful drafting but it is in such brief form that the public is given little or no idea of the town business or what the Council has been doing. For instances all we are told about the Waterworks System is that the water rates totalled $3,000 and the Waterworks expenses totalled $2,100. It is gratifying to know that the receipts were greater than the expenses, but the rate-payer, who own the waterworks plant, and are now engaged in the business of selecting a new Council, are entitled to know what the waterworks expenditures were made up of. What portion went to meet Waterworks debenture oayments, what portion for maintenance etc And to expect Citizens to form an intelligent opinion unless they have these figures is out of the question. One of the first questions, a citizen might ask is; How much was spent in fixing up the streets this year? The statement does not tell. It doesn't tell, except in bulked figures what any committee spent. The auditors' report will give more complete information next February. But it is too not in February that the Town Council has to answer to the people for their stewardship. It is now, not in February that the people have to pronounce judgment on the year's work of the present Council.

ELECTION CARDS

To The Electors of Walkerton:

I am a candidate for re-election as Councillor for 1918, and take this means of asking your support. If elected I shall continue to do my utmost to advance the interests of Walkerton. Wishing you all the Compliments of the Season.

Alex. McCarter.

To The Electors of Greenock:

I am a candidate for re-election as Reeve. For ten years I have served you without any complaint from ratepayers, and wish your support for the coming year. Wishing you a Happy New Year.

Denis Phalen.

To The Electors of Brant:

I am in the field for Reeve, and solicit your vote and influence to elect me. If elected, I shall do my best to advance the interests of the Township. Wishing you all the compliments of the Season.

Archie Weir.

THE TOWN COUNCILLORS

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hour, reviewed first his work at County Council. In the putting through of the County Good Roads By-law, he had had the trunk line east changed from the 30th to the 15th sideroad to the distinct advantage of the County and—of Walkerton. The Good Roads System doesn't take in towns and villages but they get grants from the County to help pay for the building of connecting links. He had secured a grant of $360 from the County this year for the streets of Walkerton, also $2500 for the Hospital which is $500 more than previous years. The Children's Shelter Com. of which he is a member spent $800 here this year. In all $3300 outside of the usual County grants, had been spent here. Mr. Russel claimed that the fact that he had supported the Union Governm. at was being used against him in this election. He dealt with the gravelling that had been done in different parts of the town and the two sidewalks built. The connecting link at the East End bridge was the most important. The Meat By-law he stated was a dead issue. The Council had no authority to pass a meat by-law. The traffic By-law had been devised to protect the public and teams from accident. Every town and village nearly had a traffic by-law. Come out of the bush, he urged the critics and don't knock the men who show enterprise.

Fred W. Lippert said he did not wish to deal with the work of the Council the past year, but he thought it would be more becoming to get the traffic before regulating it. The Council had wisely amended the clause re the tying of horses twenty minutes. He would like to have the two old war-horses fight it out for Reeve this year. He simply didn't have the time to give proper attention to such a position if elected. Later on he might try it again. He might consider running for councillor.

Would Give Citizens a Rebate

Mr. John Douglas, candidate for Reeve, said he offered no criticism of Reeve Russell's work at County Council, but he severely criticised the Traffic By-law. There was no danger of crowding on the streets of Walkerton at present. More traffic was needed. If the Traffic By-law was, as his opponent stated, the law of Ontario, why was it necessary to pass a by-law here. Mr. Douglas claimed the scavenger work in coning the people too much money. Ratepayers are taxed $2.25 and also pay their share of the sewerage expense, while the scavenger gets $1.97. He thought that people paying this amount, as well as helping to keep up the sewers and who couldn't get sewers, should get a rebate. Mr. Russell complained that the fact that he had supported Union Govt. was being used against him. He (Douglas) had not heard any man refer to it while on his canvass and he had mentioned it to nobody himself. He advised everybody to vote for the best man on Monday and wished the citizens a Happy New Year.

[Let Harmony Prevail

Rev. J. W. Sanderson recalled the fact that he had stepped into the breach last January, when a whole bunch of nominees drew out. It was not for honor but to do his bit for the old town whose citizenship he held dear. The connecting up of the sidewalk at the East End bridge was an important improvement, which should have been done twenty years ago. In passing the traffic by-law the Council had wisely added to the Pro. provisions such items as would be to the advantage of the public, having regard to the safety of all parties. Chesley and various other towns had traffic by-laws and the By-law only brought Walkerton in line with other towns. He was not anxious for the position, only anxious for the welfare for the town. He had urged Mr. Pletsch to run in his place as it was felt the East End should be represented at Council. Mr. Sanderson said that in this time of stress, citizens ought to respect each other's rights and each other's feelings and do their utmost to live in harmony together.

Boosts For Markets

Coun. Alex McCarter, who on former occasions has had very little to say, made quite a speech. He considered that the Council, largely composed of new men, had done very well under the circumstances the past year. He thought something worth while could be accomplished if the business men would get busy and co-operate with the Council. For one thing they could get together with the farmers and [illegible] to have a regular farmers market. It would be a nice thing to have 50 to 75 teams on market day. He understood that some grocers didn't favor a market. He couldn't believe it. The more farmers the better it would be for the grocer's business. Such things as fruit, butter would drive the farmers elsewhere. We want the farmers here. If elected, he would do his level best to serve the people as near right as a man could.

Coun. J. E. McGregor

Coun. J. McGregor said his work took him out of town a good deal and he didn't want to stand in a good man's way and would stay only to help out. Coun. McGregor said he had been chairman of only one committee the past year, the Railway Committee and as there was absolutely nothing for that committee to do, he hadn't much of a report to make. He didn't agree with what had been said at out 35 ct. butter. He gave the Manager of the Creamery credit for getting dairy butter back to where it should be. That was the price it had been in the surrounding towns. Some people said, U we have to keep the price of butter up. For those who like to pay more, let them stay right with it. Coun. McGregor said he liked to see harmony among the Councillors, and harmony among the citizens. If all work together, we will have a better town.

Spent Too Much Money, Says Major

Major Henderson criticized the outgoing Council for spending too much money. $2,900 had been expended on streets and sidewalks. In oiling the streets just after a heavy down pour of rain, money had been thrown away. This is a time when people are called upon to economize. Many of the sidewalks could have been laid over until times were better. When the town debt was consolidated a very much lower tax-rate had been promised, but it is getting higher and higher. The Council was too extravagant. He was glad to hear the remarks of Rev. Sanderson but Mr. Sanderson had sat at the Council and saw things put through with vindictive spirit and every member of the Council knew it. Couns. Sanderson and McCarter vigorously denied this statement from the audience. The speaker went on to explain the details of the right-of-way episode last summer claiming that Couns. Russell and McCarter had been actuated by personal spite. They reminded him of the old song: "There were three crows sat on a tree, who perched upon a dead horse's bare backbone to pick his eyes out one by one." However it didn't bother him a bit and certainly didn't hurt him any. He didn't want to influence the vote on account of it. He held no spite. He wanted to see the best men picked for the position and he thought there ought to be some new blood in the Council.

Coun. McCarter spoke again in reply to Major Henderson. He denied he had any spite against Major Henderson. Denied some of the speaker's statements point blank and he said that Reeve Russell had nothing to do with introducing the right-of-way matter. He had done it himself in the town's interests to protect the rights of the ratepayers without any suggestion from Reeve Russell.

D. McKerracher criticized the traffic by-law. He wouldn't be sorry if there were twice as many telegraph poles and four times as many farmers coming to town. It would be better not to bring in unnecessary by-laws of this kind. He wanted to know why and when the town debt had been consolidated, did the tax rate keep getting higher when it was to have gone lower.

Ex-mayor Lippert replied that extra street lighting had increased the rate one mill since that time, public library had made a big increase, and about 2 mills patriotic funds had to be raise for the County.

Coun. Sanderson challenged Major Henderson or any other person to put his hand on any unnecessary expenditure. True the wages of some of the men working for the town had be n raised including the street foreman, cemetery caretaker, and engineer at pumping house, but ratepayers would back the Council in their action.

"No Spite, says Russell

Reeve Russell took the platform again to reply to Major Henderson. He didn't know he was such a bad man until he heard himself discribed. He bore no spite against anybody. Only two pieces of sidewalk had been built the past year and another short piece completed. The most important was the connecting piece of walk at the East end of the town; and the people certainly wanted it. Major Henderson, he said, had had the knife into him for years, ever since he had crossed the Major by performing his duty in connection with a drainage matter when he was town constable.

Can the Personalities, says Chairman

Chairman Sherrer said that when he took the position of chairman, he didn't expect he would have to listen to a lot of personal abuse and raking over of old scores. That sort of thing had no place in municipal affairs. Harmony should reign. We should tackle these affairs on pure business looking to the future welfare of the town, not raking up matters that are past and gone. He hoped that next Monday the citizens would pick out the very best men regardless of race, rank, or religion.

All the nominees' names were called by the chairman, but several of the men were not present.

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81 Years in Chesley

Daniel McNaughton who has been a resident of Chesley for 51 years has disposed of his stock of boots and shoes and leaves next week to make his home with his daughter, Mrs. R. H. Skelton of Minnco.

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Lesson I—First Quarter, January 6, 1918.

THE INTERNATIONAL SERIES

Text of the Lesson, Mark 1:1-11—Memory Verses, Luke 16:1, 2—Golden Text, John 1:29—Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

The record of the life of Jesus Christ, which we now begin to study, sets Him before us as the perfect servant, rather than as the King of Matthew's gospel, or the Son of Man of Luke, or the Son of God in John. We do well to keep in mind the words, "Behold my servant whom I uphold, mine elect in whom my soul delighteth," and also, "Behold I will bring forth my servant the Branch" (Isa. 42:1; Zech. 3:8). If we would say truly "Whose I am, and whom I serve" and faithfully serve the living and true God, bearing in daily life the fruit he desires, we must consider him who was the only perfect servant, and abide as branches in him who is the True Vine. But this we cannot do till we have truly received the good news of Jesus Christ, the Son of God; or as it is written in Rom. 1:1-3, the gospel news of God concerning his Son Jesus Christ our Lord. We cannot serve the Lord till we have been redeemed by receiving Jesus Christ as our own personal Savior, according to John 1:12; 3:16, 18; 1 John 5:12. That being settled, then our whole life should be one of loyal service, with the perfect servant as our daily pattern, according to Heb. 12:1-3; 1 Pet. 2:21.

As John the Baptist was his messenger, preparing the way before him at his coming in humiliation, so the real Elijah will prepare the way before him at his coming in glory (Matt. 17:11; Mal. 4:5, 6). Meantime all believers should be preparing the way for his coming again by preaching repentance and remission of sins in his name in all the world, according to Luke 24:46-48; Acts 1:8. John's clothing was peculiar, and his food peculiar, and he pointed all people to the coming One whose shoes' latchet he was not worthy to stoop down and unloose. He claimed nothing for himself except that he was a voice, something to be heard but not seen, pointing to the one he came to honor, concerning whom he cried: "Behold the Lamb of God!" When told that Jesus had more followers than he had, he said that he was glad and added, "He must increase, I must decrease" (John 3:29, 30). As to a more full account of John's preaching see Matt. 3:7-10; Luke 3:7-14; He told them of some thing greater than baptism with water, even a baptism of the Holy Spirit which Jesus would give them, and he pointed them onward to the end of the age when the wheat would be gathered into the garner, but the chaff burned up with unquenchable fire (Matt. 3:11, 12). The future for all will be the Kingdom or the lake of fire, and even between death and resurrection it is conscious happiness or torment (Rev. 20:15; Luke 16:25). If this was really believed by all the preachers and teachers, they would surely be more earnest in proclaiming the Gospel of God concerning his Son, the only Savior of sinners (Acts 4:12).

The remaining verses of our lesson tell of the baptism of Jesus by John at the Jordan, and the event is more fully recorded by Matthew and Luke. In Luke 3:23 it is written that he was about thirty years of age, and we must remember those thirty years at Nazareth, the humble home, the carpenter's shop, the submission and obedience and patient waiting of all those years in that lowly life in which he no doubt glorified the Father as much as in his public life. This is a greatly needed lesson for all of us: not doing some great thing but just filling the place he assigns us, however lowly it may be.

We do not wonder that at first John refused to baptize him, saying that he had greater need to be baptized by Jesus, but Jesus himself baptized not (John 4:2). Note our Lord's reply, his second recorded utterance as the Son of Mary: "Suffer it to be so now, for thus it becometh us to fulfill all righteousness (Matt. 3:15). He alone of all men was always righteous and did righteously. He had no sins to confess, but submitted to all things for our sakes, that he might be made unto us wisdom, righteousness, sanctification, redemption (I Cor. 1:30; II Cor. 4:21). If we are ever about his business, as he was about his Father's, we will gladly suffer many things for his sake which may seem to us wholly unnecessary. Luke 3:21 says that as he was baptized he was praying. Always in conscious communion with his Father and always pleasing his Father (John 8:29). This is the second time that we find in Scripture the words "the heavens opened," and the two events in connection with which we find these words form a truly glorious study, each event concerning him and his people on earth. In Ezek. 1:1, 28, he is seen as a man on the throne controlling his own redeemed and all their affairs; here he is the Word made flesh, submitting to all things for our sakes that we may in due time share with him his kingdom and glory. Mark well the Father's testimony and the Spirit's resting place, for he is the true and only ark of safety, on whom alone the Spirit can fully rest. Compare the Father's testimony at the transfiguration in Mark 9:7.

Making the Farm Pay

POINTS ABOUT LEGUMES.

Inoculation of Soil Often Necessary to Get a Good Stand of Clover.

One fundamental characteristic of a leguminous crop is the presence on the roots of nodules or tubercles which are infested by bacteria. These bacteria are essential both to the successful growth of the plant and to its value as a feed and as a green manure crop. They enter the plant from the soil, and it is obvious therefore that if the soil does not contain them in the first place the crop will prove a failure.

If a leguminous crop is grown for the first time in a field it is probable that nodule forming material of the right kind will not be present. They must be supplied therefore by artificial means. This process is called inoculating the soil.

One practical and effective method of inoculation is to transport soil from a field where it is known that the needed bacteria exists. Soil from fields of alfalfa, sweet clover and bur clover will inoculate a field for any of these three crops. Soil from red alsike, crimson and white clover is also interchange-



RED CLOVER PLANT.

able, and this is true, too, of the vetches and field peas. Cowpeas and soy beans, however, each require their own particular brand of bacteria.

Soil intended for the purpose of inoculation should be free from obnoxious weeds. It should be taken from the first five or six inches of the surface and spread at the rate of 200 to 400 pounds per acre on the field to be inoculated. As the bacteria are killed by strong sunlight, the transported soil should be spread in cloudy weather, early morning or late afternoon, and harrowed soon after. Where inoculating soil is scarce it is possible to save in its use by the adoption of what is known as the glue method. A thin mixture of chipped glue and water is sprinkled over the seed at the rate of about a quart of the liquid to a bushel. Then a sufficient quantity of dry, inoculated soil is mixed with the seed to make it dry enough to sow well. In this way the seed is coated with inoculated soil and carries this soil with it when it is placed in the field.

Still another method is inoculation by means of liquid cultures. A limited supply of these may be secured free upon application to the United States department of agriculture. Many of the state experiment stations also supply these cultures. Commercial firms also sell them. Directions for the use of these cultures accompany all shipments.

SHEEP INJURE TREES.

Animals Should Not Be Pastured in Small Orchards.

"Don't pasture the sheep in the orchard unless you have such large acres to feed over that no damage will be done to the trees," is the advice of Albert Dickens, professor of horticulture in the Kansas State Agricultural college.

Sheep are good feeders and will clean up a weedy orchard or any other patch of brush land in a short time, but the great danger comes in feeding sheep in a small orchard.

Too many men believe that they can pasture any number of sheep in a small orchard without injury. The animals, however, will eat off the leaves, limiting the fruit buds for the next year, and will tramp the ground, destroying tilth of the soil and slowing up growth and productiveness of the trees.

Some men have had success with feeding sheep in their orchards, but their conditions are different, as they have large orchards of 500 acres or more. The danger of injury to the trees is thus considerably lessened by the large areas which the sheep have to feed over. The best plan is to keep the sheep out of the orchard and let them clean up other weedy places of the farm.

Save Poultry Manure.

It is particularly important to take care of the poultry droppings. They should be collected frequently and kept so that there will be no loss of ammonia. An excellent plan is to deposit the droppings in a barrel, and when the barrel is full cover the manure with a thin layer of acid phosphate. The phosphate may also be sprinkled over the droppings under the roosts.

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THE CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE

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Careful attention is given to the banking requirements of farmers, with whom a important part of the business of this Bank is transacted. Farmers may rely upon prompt and courteous service.

POULTRY PICKINGS.

During the period of high egg production many eggs are cracked, broken and lost because the pullet nest room is not available.

Give chickens plenty of ventilation at night. Give them enough floor space in their houses. Don't force them to stay in small quarters.

Put in fresh shading material often and keep it clean also.

Gather the eggs at least once daily. Keep them in a cool, dry place.

Eggs absorb odors very rapidly. Keep them away from decaying vegetables, onions, kerosene or other strongly odorous things.

Market the eggs regularly, two or three times a week if possible.

GREENS FOR FOWLS.

Poultry Not on Range Must Be Supplied With Succulent Feed.

If there is a shady spot in the back yard not suited to other garden crops it may be possible to grow some green feed for the chickens on it. Oats and field peas, before the hottest weather comes, and millet and cowpeas later in the summer, if sown thickly, probably will yield cuttings of feed that will be much relished in the small homery. While such a practice may not be in harmony with the best cultural advice, many city dwellers with limited space will wish to utilize all available garden room this season, even for only small returns.

Dense, continuous shade under old trees and shrubbery that have drawn heavily on soil plant food obviously will be of little value for this purpose. But in many back yards ground shaded by buildings and small trees, not wholly removed from the day's sun, might well be expected to produce some green stuff for a small flock. If the chicken pen is large enough a small sowing made inside and protected by woven wire with one inch meshes furnished about two inches above the ground may be made. This allows the chickens to pick off the green blades as they grow through the netting without injuring the roots.

Another way to furnish green feed to hens not on range is by sprouting oats in trays or boxes. This method is used by many poultrymen for large and small flocks. The oats are soaked for twelve hours in warm water and then spread out in a layer one-half to one



OCELLN CHINA HENS.

and one-half inches deep on a floor or in a tray or tier of tiers which have openings or holes or a one-fourth inch mesh wire bottom covered with burlap, so that the water drains freely. The oats may be stirred daily and sprinkled or allowed to sprout without stirring until ready for feeding. They are usually fed when the sprouts are from one to one and one-half inches long, although some poultrymen prefer to allow the sprouts to grow two or three inches long before feeding. Oats need a moist and warm atmosphere in which to sprout quickly, so that it is necessary to furnish heat or to keep them in a warm room during the winter, while they may be sprouted out of doors during the rest of the year. It takes from six to ten days to sprout them, depending on the temperature. When oats are fed—roots, sprouts and all—the rate of about one square inch should grow in the tray to each fowl.

Deterrent For Hen Houses.

A disinfecting spray is made in this way: In one gallon of kerosene one pound of naphthalene. Let it stand for a day or two, stirring it a good many times to time. A box painted inside with this may be used for infected fowls in, covered with a tap cover, and left for an hour is a good treatment to destroy hen when taken from roosts before she is to be shut in a pen. brood. to scatter trouble lice may be kept in for twenty minutes.

Hens In Summer.

Hens on a fresh range, chicks will find worms and require less feeding of the cornfield is an excellent for summer chicks. Here are essentials for making summer hens well: Provide shade. Put the house or coop under a tree or else build a small artificial shade. Spade the ground under the sunshade to give the hens a place to shuffle.

Keep Down Insect Pests.

Certain precautions should be taken in the summer to keep the young chickens free from lice and disease, both of which cause thousands to die every year.

CHRISTMAS FAIR LIST

CATTLE

Fat Bullock 2 years and over; Andrew Schmidt 1st., John Sidle jr. 2nd., Julius Holm 3rd; Heifer 2 years and over; George B. Armstrong 1st., Andrew Schmidt 2nd.; 1 year and under 2, Andrew Schmidt; Baby Beef, Andrew Schmidt 1st; J. L. Tolton 2nd; Julius Holm 3rd; Short Horn under 1 year, Geo. B. Armstrong 1st; Andrew Schmidt 2nd.

SHEEP

Fat weather or Ewe, Joe Monk 1st; W. A. Tolton 2nd; 3 Ewes under 1 year, W. A. Tolton 1st; Joe Monk 2nd.

HOGS

Barrow or sow, John Garbutt 1st; John Sidel jr. 2nd.

Pen of 3 barrows, W. A. Tolton 1st, John Garbutt 2nd.

Brood sow, Seb Kirstine 1st.

POULTRY

P. Rock Cockerel 1st. William Miethausen; 2nd William Johnston; P. Rock Pullet, 1st William Miethauson; John Sidle 2nd.

DRESSED POULTRY

Pair cockerels, John Garbutt 1st; William Johnston 2nd; Mary Sidle 3rd; Pr. Geese, M. Johnston 1 st; H. J. Ernst 2nd; Joe Condy 3rd. Pr. Ducks, William Johnston 1st; Mary Sidle 2nd.

DRESSED MEATS

Hog, William Parker 1st; A. V. Cook; ½ Beef, William Parker 1st; 10 lbs. Pork Sausage, 1st; George Hains: Head Cheese, John Garbutt 1st; George Hains 2nd.

VEGETABLES

Turnips. 1st. Seb. Kirstine; 2nd. A. Schmidt; Beets, 1st Andrew Schmidt; 2nd. Mary Bell; Cabbage Drum, 1st. Andrew Schmidt; 2nd. John Garbutt; Cabbage Winningstadt, 1st. Andrew Schmidt; 2nd. John Garbutt: Carrots, 1st. A. Schmidt, 2nd. George Hains; Cauliflower, 1st. A. Schmidt; Parsnips, 1st and 2nd, Mary Bell; Squash, 1st. Mary Bell; Onions, 1st. Andrew Schmidt; 2nd. N. C. McKay.

BUTTER

5lb. prints, 1st. George Hains; 2nd. Jenn Bell; 3rd. Mary Bell; 10 lb. crock, 1st. Mary Bell; 2nd. Jenn M. Bell; 3rd. Jacob Schwindt; Cheese, 1st. and 2nd Jacob Schwindt; Apple butter, 1st. George Haines; Honey in Glass, 1st. Joe Condy; 2nd. Geo. Haines; Sauerkraut. H. J. Ernest 1st.

POULTRY

Wyandotte cockerel, 1st. A. V. Cook; 2nd. Lorne Stevens; Wyandotte Pullet, 1st. A. V. Cook; 2nd. Lorne Stevens; Orpington Cockerel, 1st. John Sidle jr; Pullet, John Sidle 1st; White Leghorn cockerel, 1st. J. R. Laidlaw 2nd. A. V. Cook. Pullet, 1st. A. V. Cook; 2nd. A. V. Cook; Turkeys, male, William Johnston 1st, Geese, female, white, Mary E. Bell 1st. colored, 1st William Johnston; 2nd. H. J. Ernest. Ducks, Pair White, 1st. A. V. Cook; 2nd. Lorne Stevens. coloured, 1st. W. J. Miethausen; 2nd. W. J. Richardson. Eggs, white, 1st. A. V. Cook; 2nd. Mary E. Bell. Brown, 1st. A. V. Cook; 2nd. Jos. Condy.

POTATOES

1bu. round, 1st. Andrew Schmidt; 2nd. W. A. Tolton; 1½ bu. long, 1st. Andrew Schmidt, 2nd. M. J. Richardson.

ROOTS

Mangels, long, 1st. John Garbutt; 2nd. A. Schmidt; intermediate, 1st. George Hains; 2nd. A. Schmidt.

GRAIN

Fall wheat, 1st. George Hains; 2nd: Andrew Schmidt; white oats, 1st. Andrew Schmidt; 2nd. George Hains; black oats, 1st Andrew Schmidt; 2nd Seb Kirstine; Barley, 1st. George Hains; 2nd. A. Schmidt; Peas, 1st. Seb Kirstine; 2nd. A. Schmidt; Beans, 1st. A. Schmidt. 2nd. W. A. Tolton.

BREAD

White Bread, 1st. A. Schmidt; 2nd. Jos. Condy; Brown Bread, 1st. George Hains. 2nd. H. J. Ernest; Buns, 1st. Joe. Condy, 2nd. George Hains; fruit cake, 1st. Mrs. R. Lymbery; 2nd. George Hains; apple pie, 1st. John Garbutt; 2nd. George Hains

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At the moment of birth every man has a brilliant future before him—and it usually remains there.

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Potatoes are selling in Regina for 65c per bus. and not in brisk demand at that. $1.75 per bag is the price here.

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Three years and a $100 fine was the penalty for the Brantford postman found guilty of stealing from the mails. Failure to pay the $100 would add a fourth year to the term.

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May Assist Halifax Sufferers

Warden Izzard took steps last week to have the county council make a contribution of $5,000 to Halifax sufferers. He presented the idea to the various reeves asking them to write him their consent. The replies were almost unanimous, but it was found by the Warden the procedure was hardly legal, and that votes of money must be made by the council in session. And it would mean considerable expense to call the council together and as the council is virtually out of office it was thought wise to wait until the new council assembles in January.—Port Elgin Times.

NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Mr. Fred McCrum returned to Gal yesterday.

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Bruce Hunter spent New Years with friends at Paris.

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Miss Winnie Barber has been engaged as teacher in the junior department of Elmwood school at a salary of $600.

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Messrs. Fred and George Beninger and two of their young sons, spent New Years with their parents at Clifford.

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Mr. and Mrs. P. Bremner and Miss Sadie returned on Tuesday from a visit to relatives at London and Stratford.

Victor Brislan of Owen Sound spent a few days last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Brislan.

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They're trying to graft a tomato plant to a potato plant and grow fruit and tubers at the same time. The cooking "hinters" will have to get busy on a combination.

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The minister was endeavoring to teach the significance of white to a Sunday school class. "Why," he said, "does a bride invariably desire to be clothed in white at her marriage?" As no one answered, he explained: "White stands for joy and the wedding day is the most joyous occasion of a woman's life." A little boy queried: "why do all the men wear black?"

Pte. Albert Condy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Condy of Brant, is in a hospital in England with rheumatism. Albert went Overseas two years ago with a battalion that has been decimated in the hard fighting on the Western Front.

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Corp. Chester Cunningham of the 10th Trench Mortar Battery, 4th Division, writes home that he has nearly recovered from his wounds. As his hearing has been more or less seriously affected, Chester does not know yet what disposition will be made of his case.

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Buys Farm Near Malcolm

Mr. Albert Inglis has bought John Wills' farm near Malcolm, and expects to remove to his new property soon. Mr. Inglis has managed the Shaw farm at the edge of the town the past three years and the removal of himself and his family from the community will be regretted by their many friends here.

THE CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE

Statement of the result of the business of the Bank for the year ending 30th November, 1917

Balance at credit of Profit and Loss Account brought forward from last year		$ 802,319 09
Net Profits for the year ending 30th November, after providing for all bad and doubtful debts		2,637,555 43
		$ 3,439,874 52
This has been appropriated as follows:		
Dividends Nos. 120, 121, 122 and 123 at ten per cent. per annum		$ 1,500,000 00
Bonus of one per cent. payable 1st June		150,000 00
do do 1st December		150,000 00
War tax on bank note circulation to 30th November		150,000 00
Transferred to Pension Fund		85,000 00
Subscriptions:		
Canadian Patriotic Fund	$50,000 00	
British Red Cross Fund	7,500 00	
British Sailors' Relief Fund (Canada)	5,000 00	
Sundry subscriptions	10,300 00	
		72,860 00
Balance carried forward		1,332,074 52
		$ 3,439,874 52

GENERAL STATEMENT

30th NOVEMBER, 1917

LIABILITIES

TO THE PUBLIC—		
Notes of the Bank in circulation		$ 23,995,244 68
Deposits not bearing interest	$ 86,458,403 03	
Deposits bearing interest, including interest accrued to date	189,967,251 39	
		276,425,654 41
Balances due to other Banks in Canada		580,958 01
Balances due to Banks and Banking Correspondents elsewhere than in Canada		7,295,110 40
Bills Payable		120,857 29
Acceptances under Letters of Credit		5,597,665 13
		$ 314,015,489 92
TO THE SHAREHOLDERS		
Dividends Unpaid		2,668 20
Dividend No. 123 and bonus, payable 1st December		525,000 00
Capital Paid up	$ 15,000,000 00	
Rest Account	13,500,000 00	
Balance of Profits as per Profit and Loss Account	1,332,074 52	
		29,832,074 52
		$ 344,375,232 64

ASSETS

Gold and Silver Coin Current	$ 23,697,336 96	
Dominion Notes	21,934,910 25	
Deposit in the Central Gold Reserve	10,000,000 00	
		$ 56,652,247 21
Notes of other Banks	$ 2,004,762 00	
Cheques on other Banks	13,930,873 21	
Balances due by Banks and Banking Correspondents elsewhere than in Canada	5,496,103 99	
		22,431,741 20
Dominion and Provincial Government Securities, not exceeding market value		27,596,420 22
British, Foreign and Colonial Public Securities and Canadian Municipal Securities		22,095,133 29
Railway and other Bonds, Debentures and Stocks, not exceeding market value		6,192,461 60
Call and Short Loans (not exceeding 30 days) in Canada on Bonds, Debentures and Stocks		13,460,862 62
Call and Short Loans (not exceeding 30 days) elsewhere than in Canada		20,076,903 18
Deposit with the Minister of Finance for the purposes of the Circulation Fund		831,173 35
		$ 167,336,942 67
Other Current Loans and Discounts in Canada (less rebate of interest)		149,822,028 44
Other Current Loans and Discounts elsewhere than in Canada (less rebate of interest)		14,846,130 56
Liabilities of Customers under Letters of Credit, as per contra		5,597,665 13
Overdue Debts (estimated loss provided for)		217,796 39
Real Estate other than Bank Premises (including the unsold balance of former premises of the Eastern Townships Bank)	$ 1,236,999 52	
Less mortgage assumed	100,000 00	
		1,136,999 52
Mortgages on Real Estate sold by the Bank		196,035 81
Bank Premises at cost, less amounts written off	$ 5,390,075 44	
Less mortgage assumed on property purchased	300,000 00	
		5,090,075 44
Other Assets not included in the foregoing		111,588 68
		$ 344,375,232 64

B. E. WALKER, PRESIDENT — JOHN AIRD, GENERAL MANAGER

Report of the Auditors to the Shareholders of The Canadian Bank of Commerce

In accordance with the provisions of sub-sections 19 and 20 of Section 56 of the Bank Act, 1913, we report as follows:

We have audited the above Balance Sheet and examined it with the books and vouchers at Head Office and with the certified returns from the branches. We have obtained all the information and explanations that we have required, and are of the opinion that the transactions of the Bank which have come under our notice have been within the powers of the Bank.

We have checked the cash and verified the securities representing the investments of the Bank at its chief office and principal branches at a date other than, and in addition to, the verification at 30th November, 1917, and found that they were in agreement with the entries in the books of the Bank relating thereto.

In our opinion the Balance Sheet as properly drawn up so as to exhibit a true and correct view of the state of the affairs of the Bank according to the best of our information and the explanations given to us, and as shown by the books of the Bank.

T. HARRY WEBB, C.A., of Webb, Read, Hogan, Callaghan & Co. | AUDITORS
JAMES MARWICK, C.A., of Marwick, Mitchell, Peat & Co.

General Farm Topics

SAVE THE BREEDERS.

Every Animal Capable of Breeding Should Be Retained on the Farm.

DON'T SELL BREEDING ANIMALS.

Maintain and increase breeding herds.
Feed cheap roughages.
Feed live stock as little human food as possible.

The temptation of high prices now being offered for live stock and the uncertainty about the prices of feeding stuffs have led to the selling for slaugh-



PERCHERON MARE.

ter of breeding animals in some sections of the country. This is a serious mistake. Farmers should not sell their breeding animals unless they can replace them immediately with better ones. Every breeding animal is absolutely essential to the maintenance of the live stock of the country. There is a shortage of meat animals throughout the world and farmers cannot hope to import new breeding stock to replace those now foolishly killed off. Every breeding animal must be regarded as the seed essential to the domestic meat and draft animal supply of the nation.

Feeds not available or needed for human consumption should be used as largely as possible in feeding live stock. By feeding straw or corn stover, especially for wintering mature stockers and breeding animals, farmers will make the best possible use of these roughages. In this way a large proportion of the straw and stover ordinarily burned or wasted can be manufactured into meat and milk. Grain sorghums, wherever they are available, should be fed to release corn for human uses. Grain, where fed, should be used as economically as possible.

Every animal should be a factory for turning into food material inedible for human beings. This will necessitate changes in many feeding formulas, and stockmen are urged to apply at once to the United States department of agriculture or their state agricultural colleges for information as to the most effective and economical methods of feeding live stock under existing emergency conditions.

Pruning Necessary.

Pruning is a necessary part of orchard practice, says C. W. Rapp of the Oklahoma Agricultural College of Horticulture. An unpruned tree is much like an untrained horse—both can work and will work well if properly trained. It is true that an untrained tree will produce some fruit, but it will not do its best. Much of the energy that should be directed toward fruit production will be used to produce useless wood. The tree will grow excessively and will often become misshaped. Proper pruning—the removal of dead, dying, diseased and excessive wood—together with the proper shaping of the tree, is an essential part of successful orchard practice. Such treatment must be followed if the orchard is expected to produce fruit as it should.

Profitable Pork.

Eighty-eight pounds of juicy pork made in eight weeks, and in some instances as high as ninety to 100 pounds, is the pace made by the Oregon experiment station, and made repeatedly. It was done by using a well balanced ration. If such gains can be made on common materials in experimental feeding let farmers strive to do as well in home feeding.

Cultivate Cabbage.

It will pay in dollars and cents to take care of the cabbage crop this year, says M. F. Ahearn, associate professor of horticulture, Kansas State Agricultural college. Cultivate the crop, keep down weeds and fight insects. The most dangerous insect enemies of the cabbage crop are the cabbage worm, the cut worm and cabbage aphis.

THE APPEAL COURT

Made Very Few Changes In The Work of the Walkerton Tribunal—Judge Greig Exempts Farmers but Teachers Must Go.

Judge Greig sat here on Monday as tribunal appeal judge, hearing a large number of cases. The work of the local tribunal was affected very little by the Judge's decision. Only four cases which had been refused exemption by the local tribunal benefited on appeal, and only three cases granted exemption by the local tribunal, and appealed by the military representative. Lieut. Pinkerton, were refused exemption by the Appeal Court. Judge Greig based his decisions on the principle of refusing appeals except to those engaged in work of national service such as farming. Mr. R. D. Northgrave of Port Elgin, the official appointed by the government to represent the farmers, and Lieut. H. Pinkerton, military representative, were present.

Many of the applicants complained of rheumatism, which caused the judge to remark that this must be a very bad country for rheumatism. One applicant had been examined by Medical Boards according to the evidence, and the second time his chest expansion was four inches less than the first time.

The exemption of school-teachers, appealed by Lieut. Pinkerton, was refused by the Judge. Oscar Schwindt, teacher, was given until Feb. 1st to report, and Joseph Dietrich, teacher of Riversdale, was given until April 1st. The latter has been a particularly successful teacher, and Inspector Bald and the trustees claimed that it was impossible for any lady teacher to handle this school, but their contention was over-ruled. Kraemer, wagon-maker of Enniskillen, granted exemption by the local tribunal was appealed by Lieut. Pinkerton and the appeal sustained.

Ezra Hehn, thresher and laborer, who had been refused exemption by the local tribunal was granted exemption by the appeal judge, for the reason that he appeared to have a better case than his brother of Port Elgin, who is also appealing. The judge thought one of the two should go.

Wilfrid Dippel, dairyman of Walkerton, who had been refused exemption by the local tribunal, was granted exemption by the trial judge.

Edward Netzke, a lad whose parents sold their farm and moved to town last month, was refused exemption by the local tribunal. As Netzke has been engaged to assist Mr. Norman Brockel bank for a year on his 200 acre farm, the judge gave him exemption as long as he continues at farm work.

Becker, fruit-farmer of Walkerton refused exemption by Tribunal, was granted exemption by the Judge.

Winters, of Chepstow, refused by Paisley Tribunal, was granted exemption by the Judge.

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MUNICIPAL CANDIDATES

MAYOR

Johnston Andrew P., Proposed by E. Briggs, Seconded by N. Crawford.

REEVE

The first name in each case is the nominee.

Douglas John, B. Scherrer and A. O'Neill.

Lippert Fred W., J. A. Wesley and R. H. McKay.

Russell Robt., John Neilly and J. W. White.

COUNCILLOR

The first name in each case is the nominee.

Lettner Geo. S., D. McKerracher and J. Henderson.

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McCarter, Alex, A. O'Neill and J. McKinnon.

Henderson, John, D. McKerracher and Geo. S. Lettner.

Pletsch, Henry, J. Henderson and Geo. S. Lettner.

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George, Wm., Geo. S. Lettner and J. Henderson.

O'Neill, John, J. Henderson and D. McKerracher.

Sanderson, J. W., J. E. McGregor and J. McKinnon.

McGregor, John E., G. S. Lettner and J. Henderson.

McKinnon, John, J. E. McGregor and Alex McCarter.

Truax, Harry E., B. Sherrer and J. Crawford.

Vogan, Samuel, J. Crawford, B. Sherrer.

Patterson, Wm., J. W. Sanderson and J. A. Wesley.

McCartney, Arthur, J. W. Sanderson and J. A. Wesley.

Stephan, Chas. S., J. A. Wesley and J. W. Sanderson.

McBurney, W. H., J. A. Wesley and J. W. Sanderson.

Schwindt, Geo. S., J. A. Wesley and J. W. Sanderson.

P. S. TRUSTEES

A. S. Boyce, Robt. Goode, E. Myles, all re-elected by acclamation.

CONTEST IN GREENOCK

Michael McNab is Opposing Denny Phelan for the Reeveship—Fight is on for Positions at Counc l too

The annual nominations for aspirants to municipal honours in Greenock were held at the C. O. F. Hall Pinkerton, on Monday between the hours of 12 and 1 p. m. and were followed by a lively and enthusiastic meeting of the ratepayers.

T. Purdy, clerk of the township, occupied the chair and announced the following nominees for office on his slate: For Reeve; D. Phelan, D. Pinkerton, M. McNab, H. Clark; For Councillors Campbell, Symons, Sawyer, Gilchrist of the old Council, R. J. Nelson of Paisley and S. Hawthorne of Greenock.

D. Phelan, the veteran reeve and victor in many a bitterly contested municipal battle, was the first speaker. He outlined the work of the past year's council, declaring that economy had been the watchword at all its sittings, practical evidence of this being the neat surplus which remained in the township coffers. He was a supporter of the Gov't Good Road's Scheme although admitting that it complicated the Statute Labour problem. He was accused of favouritism in the letting of certain contracts during the year, such charges he discredited, claiming that they were made simply to influence the vote against him. Although admitting that he had already enjoyed a long innings as the township's Chief Executive he declared himself as a candidate for re-election.

Mr. Phelan was followed in turn by Messrs. J. Symons, T. Gilchrist, T. Sawyer, and Jas Campbell who thanked their supporters for the confidence placed in them in the past and solicited their support in the coming election. Mr. Campbell considered that the present system of keeping the township road in repair was a farce and advocated the abolition of Statute Labour and the inauguration of a more satisfactory method to cope with this important though generally neglected item.

He considered this question too important to be decided by the Council, and was satisfied to submit it to the people in the form of a by-law for their endorsation or rejection.

David Pinkerton, though appreciating the honour conferred on him by his friends, declined for personal reasons, to come forward as a candidate for the Reeveship in the coming election.

Mr. McNab who followed criticized past actions of the Council alleging unnecessary expenditure and favoritism. He was opposed to the Good Roads Scheme on the ground that it did not benefit the masses and believed that Statute Labour was the most efficient method of dealing with the Road's Problem. He believed that municipal honours should not be monopolized but passed around and stated that the very creditable showing much he made last year's contest against a strong opponent, encouraged him to take up the cudgel once more.

A. G. Clark, rather than have the contest divulge into a three-cornered affair, agreed to withdraw in McNab's favour.

R. J. Hawthorne of Greenock, an ex-reeve, accused the council of employing questionable methods in the letting of a gravel contract in the Southern part of the municipality and that his division should be entitled to a representation in the Council. He was satisfied to guard his people's interests if the electors saw fit to elect him.

R. J. Nelson, was a doubtful candidate but solicited the patronage of the election should his name appear on the ballot?

All told, the contest in Greenock this year bids fair to be another battle royal with the chief interest centred in the struggle for the Reeveship.

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Taxes Nearly All Paid.

The Carrick tax collectors report that practically all the rates have been paid in, very little trouble having been experienced in collecting taxes this year. On Saturday last only $50 remained unpaid.—Mildmay Gazette.

Sent Father Military Medal

Mr. Wm. Denny has received from his son, Norman, for safe keeping the Military Medal with which Norm was decorated for gallantry on the field of battle. Norm writes that he expected to get Christmas leave and spend the holiday with his two brothers in khaki in England.

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BORN

SCHNURR—In Walkerton, on Jan. 2nd, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank X. Schnurr, a son.

LIESEMER—In Mildmay on Dec. 22nd, to Mr. and Mrs. Peter D. Liesemer, a son.

WEILER—In Carrick on Dec. 21th, to Mr. and Mrs. Ignatz Weiler, a daughter.

FORTNEY—In Carrick, on Dec. 31st to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Portney, a daughter.

NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Mrs. Beattie was taken suddenly very ill on Sunday but is now reported to be much improved.

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Dr. Morgan, wife and daughter of Peterboro spent Xmas at the home of his mother, Mrs. D. Morgan.

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The merchants' advertisements in this week's Telescope offer special values that no housewife can afford to miss.

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Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Jenkins and Miss Myrtle spent New Years with Mr. and Mrs. James McNeill of Brant.

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Harry Leach returned to Toronto today after spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Leach.

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The children of the Baptist Sunday School enjoyed a sleighride on Friday afternoon, followed by a hot supper at the church.

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Mrs. Willoughby and daughter Addie are spending the winter with Dr. Leslie Willoughby of Flint, Mich.—Chesley Enterprise.

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Mr. Hugh Montgomery of Greenock was operated upon at the Bruce County Hospital for a serious growth at the neck. His condition is reported to be serious.

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A young girl may never consent to play in the public, but about the time there are dishes to be washed in the kitchen you can't drag her away from the piano.

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Mr. Gordon Young, principal of Norwich Public School, who has been holidaying with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Young, Cargill, called on a few of his old Walkerton school friends on Monday.

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While shoeing a horse one day last week, Mr. Thos. Jenkins had the second finger and thumb of his right hand rather badly torn by the nail and his side strained, due to the animal making a sudden jump.

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On and after January 1, it is illegal for any person other than a fisherman or retailer to deal in Canadian fish to any amount exceeding 1,000 pounds in any one month, without first obtaining a license from the Food Controller.

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Dr. Walter H. Ross of Regina, a former school teacher of Enniskillen, spent New Years with his uncle, Dr. Hall. He is at present visiting his parents at Chesley. Dr. Ross' both brothers are now Overseas. Dave, who was a member of the original Princess Pats is recovering from serious wounds in England. Richard, who graduated in Dentistry last year at Philadelphia, went Overseas with the dental corps immediately after graduation.

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Engagement Announced

The engagement was announced from the R. C. church Sunday morning of Miss Ida Brahler, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Brahler of Brant, to Mr. John Graf of Cargill, the marriage to take place early in January.

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Soldiers' Children Entertained

The Daughters of the Empire gave their Annual Christmas treat for the soldiers' Children of the town on Friday night. An immense Christmas tree stood at the centre of the building and the whole place looked very Christmasy with dainty decorations. Old Santa was on hand and had a present for every one of the children present. The Children gave a program which everybody enjoyed, after which lunch was served.

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Boys Given Seed Off

Two young Westerners, Troopers Norman Cunningham and Tom White of the Fort Garry Horse, Winnipeg, were home on a brief last leave the first of the week, while on their way Overseas. The people of the old neighborhood at Enniskillen got busy on short notice yesterday and gave the gallant lads a proper send off. In the morning a large company of neighbors gathered at the home of Mrs. White, Greenock, and presented to Tom a well-filled purse and an address expressing their high personal regard and their admiration of his action in enlisting to serve King and Country. The address was read, on behalf of the people of the community, by Mr. Joseph G. Carter, and the purse was presented by Mr. John Cunningham. Later in the day the same company proceeded to the home of Mr. Thos. Cunningham, Walkerton, and presented to Trooper Norman Cunningham, a purse of money and a well-worded address. The address was read by Mr. Carter, and the presentation made by Mr. Thos. Austin. A large crowd then went to the C. P. R. station to see the two boys off on the afternoon train. Both are fine specimens of young manhood representing the best that Canada is sending to represent her on the fighting front.

Separate School Trustees

Rev. Father Gummings, and Messrs. J. O'Malley and E. Weiss were unanimously elected Separate School trustees for the coming year.

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For Sale

General Drygoods stock and building. Latter may be bought or rented. Also a grand established Ford Auto Business. Call or write—G. B. Smith, Ayton.

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Late Alex McGillivray

The Paisley Advocate records the death of Alex McGillivray, one of the last of the sturdy pioneers of the district, with many friends in Bentinck and Glenelg. Born in Mull 88 years ago, he came in 1847 with the rush of emigrants to Canada and was five years in Glenelg before moving to Bruce township. His wife was Catharine McPhail who died 16 years ago. Five sons and two daughters survive them: Colin, Alexander and Duncan in Bruce; John in the Yukon; Archie of Port Arthur; one daughter in Port Elgin and one in California. Deceased was outspoken in his views, of unbending integrity and a helpful neighbor. He was a Presbyterian and a Liberal and took a warm interest in public affairs.

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Report from Mrs. Ramsey

Report from Mrs Ramsey of the Red Cross work sent to the society in Toronto in the past three years.

3,700 pairs of socks;
460 shirts.
48 night shirts.
77 pillow cases.
22 pillows.
86 towels.
8 cotton quilts
8 pair flannelette sheets

This work has been done by the women of Riversdale, Eden Grove, Chepstow, Maple Hill and Walkerton. Many of the women knitting have had letters from men in the trenches thanking them for the socks they have received with their name.

Two hundred pairs of socks have been sent or given to men who have no one in particular to provide for them. This part of the work has been done with money given Mrs. Ramsey to help the men at the Front.

Mrs. Ramsey wishes to thank the women who have helped in this work. Many very old ladies have knit constantly.

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CAN. BANK OF COMMERCE

The annual report just issued by the Canadian Bank of Commerce, covering the fiscal year ended November, 1917, emphasizes the exceptional service which this bank, with its great system of branches closely identified with the business life of every section of the Dominion, renders to the country. During the year just closed, its assets increased from $289,000,000 to $344,000,000 the amount shown at the year-end being, of course far in excess of any previous total reported by the bank. Current loans and discounts in Canada, which item covers advances and credits supplied to practically every form of mercantile and industrial activity in evidence in this country, rose from $133,000,000 to $149,000,000 the increase for the year being $16,000,000. These figures indicate that the necessary requirements of the bank's customers have been fully attended to, notwithstanding the large degree of support which the bank has accorded to the war financing of the Canadian and British Governments. The extent of the new advances to Government is indicated by the holdings of Dominion and Provincial Government Securities and British and Canadian Municipal Securities, the increase in which for the year was nearly $30,000,000, taking this increase along with the expansion of the ordinary current loans and discounts a total increase of about $46,000,000 is shown. The two classes of deposits show a gain of about $47,000,000 and this enabled the bank to keep up its holdings of cash, bank balances and call loans. Its holdings of cash increased to $44,652,447 from $10,231,005 in 1912, showing that it has not neglected the duty of keeping strong under present conditions. With reference to the quick assets which stand at over $167,000,000 it is to be remembered that there will presumably be a heavy reduction of the bank's loans to the Dominion Government, as soon as the proceeds of the Victory loan are available.

Walkerton Markets

(Revised Wednesday, Jan. 2nd)

Hay	$10.00 to $11.00
Oats, per bsh.	70 to 70
Wheat " "	2.10 to 2.10
Barley " "	1.20 to 1.20
Hogs per cwt.	17.00 to 17.00
Butter, per lb.	38 to 38
Eggs, per doz.	50 to 52
Potatoes, new, bag	1.50 ..... 1.60
Buckwheat, per bsh.	1.25 to 1.25
Chickens, per lb.	17 to 20
Ducks "	17 to 20
Geese "	17 to 20

FORMER WALKERTON LAD

Drowned in the Lake at Toronto When He fell Through an Air Hole in the Ice

Walkerton friends learned with deep regret of the drowning at Toronto of the young son of Mr. Joseph Marlborough formerly of this town. John who was a lad 16 years of age, was playing with two boy friends when the fatality occurred. The three were out on some big ice banks at Balmy Beach, and John fell through an air hole, dropping a distance of ten feet to the water beneath. There was only two feet of water where he fell but owing to the strong undertow of the lake at this point, he was swept beneath the ice and never seen again. According to the story told by his companions, the three were walking along the big ice banks when John stepped on the thin ice covering of an airhole. He disappeared, and the boys at once ran for poles to drag him out. The poles were quickly secured from a neighboring house, but when they returned there was no trace of the boy. Parties of men were secured and the ice in the vicinity was dug away until the water about ten feet below was reached. Owing to the recent mild weather the ice was thoroughly honeycombed and yielded easily. On reaching the water it was found that there was less than a depth of two feet, but no trace of the boy could be found. As the lake was running high and the current sweeping beneath the ice running fast, the police believe that he was swept from his feet and carried beneath the huge ice banks. The lad was born in Walkerton, his parents moving to the city about fourteen years ago. Mr. Marlborough was employed at the Rattan factory while living here. Mrs. Marlborough, whose maiden name was Nellie Moyer, is a niece of Patrick and Peter McGarity of Brant and a cousin of Mrs. John O'Malley of Walkerton.

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Gets A U. S. Commission

Chester Bryce, a Walkerton boy, who has been three years with the U. S. Cavalry in Texas, has been awarded a commission in the artillery and will have the rank of lieutenant. Chester was one of 2 out of a class of 50 non-coms who attained the coveted honor. He is now in training with a battery of artillery in Texas, but expects to get home on a lengthy leave about the end of February before leaving for France. Chester has two brothers Overseas at the present time, one of them, Charlie, lying seriously wounded in a military hospital in France at the present time.

FROM FRENCH HOSPITAL

Charlie Bryce Writes Home Describing His Wounds—Got Two Serious Hits Going Over the Top

Mr. Robt. Bryce has received the first letter written by his son, Charlie, since he was wounded. Charlie's wounds are of a serious nature and it is likely that he will make a long stage in England, if he is not returned to Canada. His lot has not been easy since he went Overseas. Last Christmas he spent in a military hospital suffering from diphtheria, and now this second Christmas away from home, he is in the hospital with serious wounds. Charlie writes:—

I am now able to write a little and let you know how I am getting along. I suppose you have heard by now that I have been wounded. We were going over the top on Oct. 26 and I had got about 40 yards when I fell and I surely did suffer. It was pouring raining and I don't know how long I lay in the mud and water and nobody around except a few wounded so I forced myself to walk somewhere till I saw more soldiers trying to get to the dressing station and fairly dropped when I got there. They had to put me in the ambulance and take me straight to the hospital. I was as sick as a dog. I got wounded in my right leg, just below the hip and also the right side of my head, just cleared my brain. Will be here a while yet. I guess I will put another Christmas in the hospital. Diptheria last Christmas. I am not able to sit up yet, Dad, so it makes it hard for me to write and I can only lie on my left side on account of my wounds.

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LOCAL G. T. R. TIME TABLE.

Morning train, south bound—7.05 a.m.
Morning train, north bound—11.23 a.m.
Afternoon train, south bound—3.2[illegible] p. m.
Night train, north bound—9.25 p. m.

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LOCAL C. P. R TIME TABLE.

Morning train, leaves Walkerton 8.20 a. m.
Noon train, arrives Walkerton—1.[illegible] p. m.

Your Photograph

A Photograph of yourself as you look to-day will be treasured more than you can possibly imagine long years from now — not merely by yourself but by your relatives and friends.

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NEIGHBORING VILLAGES & COUNTRYSIDE

News of the Week Collected by a Staff of Live Correspondents

BRANT AVENUE

Wedding bells are ringing.

Our drover, J. J. Zettler, made a good shipment of hogs on Wednesday, at the price of $17.65. This will make pretty dear bacon for the consumer.

Mr. Frank Sutter, accompanied by a lady friend, spent Sunday at his sister's, Mrs. Andrew Zettler.

GLAMIS

A Happy and Prosperous New Year to all.

Miss Mina Cunningham is home from the West on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Cunningham

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Robert son on Dec. 22nd, a daughter.—Congratulations.

Miss Annie and Mr. Neil E. McLeod are visiting relatives in Detroit.

Mrs. Arthur Pinkerton (nee Miss McLennan) of Rosanville, Sask., is here on a short visit to her parents.

Miss Mary Clark has returned to Alpena, Mich., after an extended visit with relatives and friends here

Among the holiday visitors here were: Misses McDermid, London; Miss Minnie McNally, Lapeer, Mich., Mr. Chas. J. McKinnon, Wallaceburg; Mr. E. J. Pickard, Toronto; Miss Flossie McLennan, Sault Ste. Marie; Miss Mary McKinnon, Flint, Mich; Miss Mary Webb, Chippewa Hill; Miss Mable Kirkton, Hanover; Miss Ida McAfee, Rochester, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. Will. Green, Toronto; Miss Margaret Campbell, Harriston; Q. A. M. Wm. McKenzie R. M. C., Toronto; Miss Jennie Carr, Guelph; Miss Ethel Stewart, Guelph.

Mr. Jack Carr of Cut Knife, Sask., is renewing friends and acquaintances here.

Miss Lizzie Cunningham of Milton West, is visiting at the home of her brother, Joseph Cunningham.

Miss Edith Howson spent last week in Clifford.

Mr. and Mrs. Boutiller (nee Miss Mida Patterson) and daughter of Winnipeg are visiting her sister, Mrs J. N. McInnis.

Mrs. Laura Pollock and sons of Grand Bend are at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Stanley, Mrs. Pollock is in a very critical condition her sister, Nurse Jane Stanley of New York is waiting on her.

Mrs. George Colwell and daughter, Irene of Lorne are visiting at J. D. Robertson's.

Miss Sara McIntyre is home from Toronto.

Mr. Fred Passmore of Woodrow, Sask., is here on a visit to his sister, Mrs. A. J. Smith.

Mr. McCauley spent Xmas with his parents in Tara.

Sapper Rhoderick Thompson, second youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. James Thompson who enlisted last summer and was overseas, was returned to Canada a few weeks ago, as he was under age. He has been home here on a short visit and will return to London, Ont. this week. All were glad to welcome Rhody safe home again. He looks hale and hearty.

Miss Flossie McLennan accompanied her father to Detroit on Monday morning where he will have his sore hand examined and treated. All hope he will soon have use of his hand again.

MILDMAY

Mr Matthew Hoefling who formerly was goal tender of Mildmay's champion football team is home on a visit to his parents. Mr Hoefling owns a farm near Saskatoon.

Mr Jack Schnurr of Mountefield and Miss Della Schnurr of Claremont are visiting their parents, Mr and Mrs J H Schnurr over the holidays.

Mr A. C. Welk, Manager of the Merchants Bank spent New Years in Toronto and Mr Harry Young, teller, spent New Years at his home in Stratford.

Miss Zetta Liesemer returned to Elmira, Wednesday, to resume her duties as teacher in the Elmira school.

Mr and Mrs J. R. Wendt of Wroxeter spent Sunday at Mr C. Wendt's.

The carnival on Thursday, Dec 27th did not turn out a success. There were no masqueraders and no hockey match as Teeswater failed to appear. The races were run off however. The ice is in much better shape now than a week ago.

GRAY HAIR

Dr Tremain's Natural Hair Restorative used as directed, is guaranteed to restore gray hair to its original color or money refunded. Price $1.00, postpaid. Tremain Stands Co. London, Ontario.

On Sale in Walkerton at H. G. Hunter's Drug Store.

Gunner "Misch" Hinsperger who has been under treatment in the Davisville Military Hospital near Toronto for the past month, is back in town again and has got a conditional discharge but hopes to get a permanent discharge later.

Mrs J. A. Johnston spent New Years at her home in Glencoe.

Rev and Mrs J. Burn are spending New Years at Kitchener and Bespeler.

Quite a number of our Mildmay boys were in Walkerton on Monday appearing before the appeal tribunal sitting in the Court House.

Mr. Geo. Eggert spent Christmas at his home in Rostock.

Two cars of Ford touring cars were unloaded at the station here last Thursday and Saturday for the local Ford agents.

Mr. and Mrs Nelson Dahms of Zurich are visiting relatives here during the holidays. Mr. Dahms is principal of Zurich Public School.

Miss Mary Uhrich spent a few days in Toronto during the holidays visiting her cousin, Lieut. Chas. Uhrich who is leaving next week for Overseas.

Mr. Wm. Helwig was re-elected trustee of the public school on Wednesday.

A patriotic dance was held in the Town Hall here on Tuesday evening and the proceeds were given to patriotic purposes.

The festival given in the Evangelical church on Christmas night was high class in every sense of the word and was a great treat. The church was well filled.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Millhouse and daughter Helen of Cut Knife, Sask., visited over Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. Wendt.

HANOVER

The marriage of Miss Minnie Hoeser and Mr. Gerald Harley Cummins, both of Kitchener, took place at the Baptist parsonage at Hanover, Rev. Mr. Leypolt officiating.

Mr. F. X. Korman is making some alterations to the interior of his hotel, the Reid House. The main item of improvement will be a rotunda which will include a fire place.

Mrs. Anthony Ernest of Brant tp. drove into town to attend a Christmas entertainment in the R. C. Church, and tied her horse in St. James Church shed. While she was in the church some one came along and cut the cushions in the cutter. It was a pretty small thing to do.

R. J Ball's official majority 5,780.

CARLSRUHE

SEPARATE SCHOOL REPORT

For December. Sr. IV - L. Schwan, J. Kroetch.

Jr. III—F. Poechmann, L. Oberle, F. Kroetsch, N. Oberle, R. Wandt, T. Montag, C. Greib.

Sr. II—O. Kroetsch, M. Oberle, P. Poechmann, A. Vath, S. Kroetsch, R. Freiburger, J. Westenhaefer, E. Wandt, H Halter.

Sr. Pt. II—V. Greib, T. Montag, L. Montag, D. Hundt, J. Spielmacher, J. Oberle.

Jr. Pt. II—H. Montag, C. Greib, V. Freiburger, C. Poechmann, F. Hinsperger.

Pr.—J. Montag, C. Montag, R. Hundt, B. Hundt.

Frances L. Hayes, (teacher.)

KINLOSS

Pte. Earl Stauffer of Roblin, Sask. visited his [illegible] Reuben Stauffer for a few days. The father Joel Stauffer lived in Riversdale for a good many years but moved to the West some four or five years ago.

We are pleased to hear that Ben Montgomery has been given his exemption.

Miss Myrtle Stanley and her brother Willie spent a few days in Paisley.

Miss Olive Siddon and mother from Alberta are visiting the former's sister, Mrs. Richard Guest.

The Red Cross Society has held their regular meeting on Saturday.

Mr. Allen Orr has just started on his winter's job. He is doing chores for Mr Laurie Rowe who has accepted a position in the bank at Teeswater.

Mr. Alex. Hewitt has undergone a serious operation in the General Hospital in Toronto. We all hope for a speedy recovery.

Just listen friends.
Come up quite near.
And we'll wish you all
A Happy and Prosperous New Year.

WESTFORD

Mr. and and Mrs Moody of Detroit are spending the holidays with the latter's brother, John McGlynn.

Mrs Ranchie is visiting her mother, Mrs Haldenby.

The Misses Margaret and Bessie Murray of Toronto are spending the holidays with their parents here.

Messrs Linus and Wm Ruth visited friends in Elmira and Kitchener last week.

Peter Linehan visited friends in Mildmay last week.

C. Hetherington has purchased M. S. Haldenby's farm, formerly known as the Young farm, in Kinloss.

Miss Margaret Linehan of Toronto, spent the Christmas holidays with friends here.

HINGS THAT ARE BANNED

No parcels containing any of the articles mentioned below will be accepted for transmission by mail from Canada to the United Kingdom, British possessions and protectorates.

Apples (dried), apricots (dried), books (printed), and other printed matter, including printed posters, newspapers and daily, weekly and other periodical publications, imported otherwise than in single copies through the post; beans, barley, butter, beef products (including canned, preserved and fresh beef), corn, cotton seed, copra, corn meal, corn flour, cotton-seed cake, cotton-seed oil, corn grits, corn hominy, copra oil, cooking fats, cheese, canned tomatoes, corn oil, canned salmon, canned fish, canned peas, canned corn, canned sardines, condensed milk (including powdered, evaporated milk), dried fruit (including prunes, apples, raisins, apricots and peaches), eggs, flour, glucose, lard substitutes, molasses, maple sugar, oats, olive oil, oleomargarine, peanut oil, palm oil, peas, poultry, pork products (including bacon, shoulders, flitbacks, hams, sausages, fresh pork), rye, rice, rape seed oil, rice flour, raisins (dried), soya bean oil starch, syrup, sugar (maple), sugar (except in such quantities as may be shipped to senders of military and naval forces overseas, under the regulations of the Postmaster-General's Department), wheat wheat flour.

The list of articles prohibited exportation from Canada was determined by an order-in-council passed on Dec. 18. Of late the postal authorities have been opening parcels for England and a large amount of contraband has been discovered. It is probable that many senders packed their parcels in complete ignorance of any regulations which they were likely to break.

PINKERTON

Mr. Angus Reid of Saskatoon is visiting at his home here.

Rev. and Mrs. Gale, Mr. Jas. Gale and Misses Hattie and Gladys Gale spent New Years at Alma.

Mr. and Mrs. Alf. Fiddis leave this week for Ailsa Craig where Mr. Fiddis has secured a position in the flour mills.

On Friday evening the officers of the S. S. and Young Peoples Society met at Mr. A. Gregg's and presented Mr. and Mrs. Fiddis with suitable gifts.

Mr. Joe Anstead has moved into the house vacated by Mr. Fiddis.

Lieut. H. Pinkerton of Walkerton spent Sunday at his home here.

At a special meeting of the C. O. F. here Mr Amsey Gregg was elected as Financial Secy. to replace Mr. Alf. Fiddis and Mr. Lloyd Pinkerton elected Treas. to replace Mr. Wm. Garland. Mr. John Gregg was initiated into the order.

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The STORY of WAITSTILL BAXTER

BY

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"Do you think you shall like that dull red right close to the yellow, Patty?" Waitstill asked anxiously.

"It looks all right on the columbines in the Indian cedar," replied Patty, turning and twisting the hat on her head. "If we can't get a peek at the Boston fashions we must just find our styles where we can."

The various roads to Tory hill were alive with vehicles on this bright Sunday morning. Uncle Bert and Abel Day, with their respective wives on the back seat of the Cole's double wagon, were passed by Deacon Baxter and his daughters, Waitstill being due at meeting earlier than others by reason of her singing in the choir. The deacon's fine horse, two wheeled "shay" could hold three persons with comfort on its broad seat, and the twenty-year-old mare, although she was always as hollow as a gourd, could generally do the mile, uphill all the way, in half an hour if urged continually, and the deacon, be it said, if not good at feeding was unsurpassed at urging.

'Aunt Abby Cole could get only a passing glimpse of Patty in the depths of the "shay," but a glimpse was always enough for her, as her opinion of the girl's charms was considerably affected by the forlorn condition of her son, Cephas, whom she suspected of being hopelessly in love with the young person aforesaid, to whom she commonly alluded as "that red headed baggage."

"Patience Baxter's got the kind of looks that might do well enough at a tavern dance or a husking, but they're entirely unsuited to the Sabbath day or the meetin' house," so Aunt Abby remarked to Mrs. Day in the way of back seat confidence. "It's unfortunate that a deacon's daughter should be afflicted with that bold style of beauty. Her hair's all but red. In fact, you might as well call it red when the sun shines on it. But if she'd ever smack it down with bear's grease she might darken it some, or anyhow she'd make a try at it. But it's the kind of hair that just matches that kind of a girl—sort of up an' comin'. Then her skin's so white and her cheeks so pink and her eyes so snappy that she'd attract attention without half tryin', though I guess she ain't above makin' an effort."

"She's innocent as a kitten," observed Mrs. Day impartially.

"Oh, yes, she's innocent enough an' I hope she'll keep so. Waitstill 's a sight han'somer, if the truth was told, but she's the sort of girl that's made for one man and the rest of 'em never look at her. The other one's cut out for the crowd, the more the merrier. She's a kind of meetin'ty, that girl is. Do urge the horse a little mite, Bartholomew! It makes me kind o' hot to be passed by Deacon Baxter. It's missionary Sunday, too, when he gen'lly has rheumatism too bad to come out."

"I wonder if he ever puts anything into the plate?" said Mrs. Day. "No one ever saw him that I know of."

"The deacon keeps the Thou Shalt Not commandments pretty well," was Aunt Abby's terse response. "I guess he don't put nothin' into the plate, but I s'pose we'd ought to be thankful he don't take nothin' out. The Baptists are gettin' ahead faster than they'd ought to up to the Mills. Our minister ain't no kind of a proselyter. Seems as if he didn't care how folks got to heaven so long as they got there. The other church is havin' a service this afternoon side o' the river, an' I'd kind o' like to go, except it would please 'em too much to have a crowd there to see the immersion. They tell me, but I don't know how true, that that Tillson widder woman that come here from somewheres in Vermont wanted to be baptized today, but the other converts declared they wouldn't be if she was."

"Jed Morrill said they'd have to hold her under water quite a spell to do any good," chuckled Uncle Bert from the front seat.

"Well, I wouldn't repeat it, Bartholomew, on the Sabbath day, not if he did say it. Jed Morrill's responsible for more blasphemious jokes than any man in Edgewood. I don't approve of makin' light of anybody's religious observances if they're ever so foolish," said Aunt Abby, somewhat oracularly. "Our minister keeps reasonin' as that it' [illegible] and I will [illegible] little more anxious to have our o'clety keep ahead of the others."

"Jed's 'bout right in, doin' up the Widder Tillson," was Mr. Day's timid contribution to the argument. "I ain't a readin' man, but from what folks report I should think she was one o' them critters that set up rocks bewilderin' an' bedevilin' men folks out o' their senses—eyreens, I think they call 'em—a reg'lar eyreen is what that woman is, I guess!"

"There, there, Abel, you wouldn't know a eyreen if you found one in your baked beans, so don't take away a woman's character on hearsay." And Mrs. Day, having shut up her husband as was her bounden duty as a wife and a Christian, tied her bonnet strings a little tighter and looked distinctly pleased with herself.

"Abel ain't startin' any new gossip," was Aunt Abby's opinion, as she sprang to his rescue. "One or two more holes in a colander don't make much difference—Bartholomew, we're certainly goin' to be late this mornin'; we're about the last team on the road," and Aunt Abby glanced nervously behind. "Elder Boone ain't begun the openin' prayer, though, or we should know it. You can hear him pray a mile away, when the wind's right. I do hate to be late to meetin'. The elder alters takes notice; the folks in the wing pews alters gapes an' stares, and the choir peeks through the curtain, takin' notes of everything you're got on your back. I hope to the land they'll chord and keep together a little mite better'n they've done lately, that's all I can say. If the Lord is right in our midst, as the Bible says, he can't think much of our singers this summer!"

"They're improvin', now that Pliny Waterhouse plays his fiddle," Mrs. Day remarked pacifically. "There was times in the anthem when they kept together consid'able well last Sunday. They didn't always chord, but there, they chorded some! We're most there now, Abby, don't forget! Cephas won't ring the last bell till he knows sitcowns folks is crossin' the common!"

Those were days of conscientious churchgoing, and every pew in the house was crowded. The pulpit was built on pillars that raised it six feet higher than the floor. The top was cushioned and covered with red velvet, surmounted by a huge gilt edged Bible. There was a window in the tower through which Cephas Cole could look into the church and while tolling the bell could keep watch for the minister. Always exactly on time, he would come in, walk slowly up the right hand aisle, mount the pulpit stairs, rest and close the door after him. Then Cephas would give one tremendous pull to warn loiterers on the steps, a pull that meant, "Parson's in the pulpit!" and was acted upon accordingly. Opening the big Bible, the minister raised his right hand impressively, and, saying, "Let us pray," the whole congregation rose in their pews with a great rustling and bowed their heads devoutly for the invocation.

Next came the hymn, generally at that day one of Isaac Watts'. The singers, fifteen or twenty in number, sat in a raised gallery opposite the pulpit, and there was a rod in front hung with red curtains to hide them when sitting down. Any one was free to join, which perhaps accounted for Aunt Abby's strictures as to time and tune. Jed Morrill, "blasphemous" as he was considered by that acrimonious lady, was the leader, and a good one too. There would be a great whispering and buzzing when Deacon Bumner, with his big fiddle, and Pliny Waterhouse, with his smaller one, would try to get in accord with Humphrey Baker and his clarionet. All went well when Humphrey was there to give the sure keynote, but in his absence Jed Morrill would use his tuning fork. When the key was finally secured by all concerned Jed would raise his stick, beat one measure to set the time, and all joined in or fell in, according to their several abilities. It was not always a perfect thing in the way of a start, but they were well together at the end of the first line, and when, as now, the choir numbered a goodly number of voices and there were 300 or 400 in the pews nothing more inspiring in its peculiar way was ever heard than the congregational singing of such splendid hymns as "Old Hundred," "Duke Street" or "Coronation."

Waitstill led the trebles, and Ivory was at the far end of the choir in the basses, but each was conscious of the other's presence. This morning he could hear her noble voice rising a little above, or, perhaps, from its quality, separating itself somehow, ever so little, from the others. How full of strength and hope it was, her voice! How steadfast to the pitch! How golden its color! How moving in its crescendos! How the words flowed from her lips, not as if they had been written ten years ago, but as if they were the expression of her own faith! There were many in the congregation who were silent, they knew not why, when there chanced to be only a few "carrying the air" and they could really hear Waitstill Baxter singing some dear old hymn, full of sacred memories, like—

While thee I seek, protecting Power,
Be my vain wishes stilled,
And may this consecrated hour
With better hopes be filled.

"There may be them in Boston that can sing louder, and they may be able to run up a little higher than Waitstill, but the question is, could any of 'em make Aunt Abby Cole shed tears?" This was Jed Morrill's tribute to his best soprano.

There were Sunday evening prayer meetings, too, held at "early candlelight," when Waitstill and Lucy Merrill would make a duet of "My cool Siloam's shady rill," or the favorite [illegible] "Ye two fresh young [illegible] falling in the tender

thirds of the old tunes, melted all hearts to new willingness of sacrifice.

Praise, whate'er of earthly bliss
The pow'rful world finds dear,
Accepted at the throne of grace
Let this petition rise.

Give me a calm, a thankful heart,
From every murmur free,
The blessings of thy grace impart,
And let me live to thee.

How Ivory loved to hear Waitstill sing these lines! How they eased his burden as they were easing hers, falling on his impatient, longing heart like evening dew on thirsty grass!

CHAPTER X.

The Green Eyed Monster.

"WHILE Thee I Seek, Protecting Power," was the first hymn on this particular Sunday morning, and it usually held Patty's rather vagrant attention to the end, though it failed to do so today. The Baxters occupied one of the wing pews, a position always to be envied, as one could see the singers without turning around and also observe everybody in the congregation—their entrance, garments, behavior and especially their bonnets—without being in the least indiscreet or seeming to have a roving eye.

Lawyer Wilson's pew was the second in front of the Baxters in the same wing, and Patty, seated decorously but unwillingly beside her father, was impatiently awaiting the entrance of the family, knowing that Mark would be with them if he had returned from Boston. Timothy Grant, the parish clerk, had the pew in between and afforded a most edifying spectacle to the community, as there were seven young Grants of a churchgoing age, and the ladies of the congregation were always counting them, reckoning how many more were in their cradles at home and trying to guess from Mrs. Grant's lively or chastened countenance whether any new ones had been born since the Sunday before.

Patty settled herself comfortably and put her foot on the wooden "cricket," raising her buff calico a little on the congregation side, just enough to show an inch or two of petticoat. The petticoat was as modestly long as the frock itself, and disclosing a bit of it was nothing more heinous than a casual exhibition of good needlework. Deacon Baxter furnished only the unbleached muslin for his daughters' undergarments, but twelve little tucks laboriously done by hand, elaborate inch wide edging, crocheted from white spool cotton and days of bleaching on the grass in the sun will make a petticoat that can be shown in church with some justifiable pride.

The Wilsons came up the aisle a moment later than with their usual habit, just after the parson had ascended the pulpit. Mrs. Wilson always entered the pew first and sat in the far end, Patty had looked at her admiringly and with a certain feeling of proprietorship for several Sundays. There was obviously no such desirable mother-in-law in the meeting house. Her changeable silk dress was the latest mode, her shawl of black lace, how expressed wealth in every delicate mesh, and her bonnet had a distinction that could only have emanated from Portland or Boston. Ellen Wilson usually came next, with as much of a smile to Patty in passing as she dared venture in the deacon's presence, and after her sidled in her younger sister, Selina, commonly called "Silly," and with considerable reason.

Mark had come home! Patty dared not look up, but she felt his approach behind the others, although her eyes sought the floor and her cheeks hung out signals of abashed but certain welcome. She heard the family settle in their seats somewhat hastily, the click of the pew door and the sound of Lawyer Wilson's cane as he stood it in the corner; then the person rose to pray, and Patty closed her eyes with the rest of the congregation.

Opening them when Elder Boone rose to announce the hymn, they fell—amazed, resentful, uncomprehending—on the spectacle of Mark Wilson finding the place in the book for a strange young woman who sat beside him. Mark himself had on a new suit and wore a seal ring that Patty had never observed before, while the dress, pelisse and hat of the unknown were of a nature that no girl in Patty's position, and particularly of Patty's disposition, could have regarded without a desire to tear them from her person and stamp them underfoot or, better still, flaunt them herself and show the world how they should be worn!

Mark found the place in the hymn book for the creature, shared it with her, and once, when the Grant twins wriggled and Patty secured a better view, once, Mark shifted his hand on the page so that his thumb touched that of his pretty neighbor, who did not remove hers as if she found the proximity either unpleasant or improper. Patty compared her own miserable attire with that of the hated rival in front, and also contrasted Lawyer Wilson's appearance with that of her father; the former, well dressed in the style of a gentleman of the time, in broadcloth, with fine linen, and a tall silk hat carefully placed on the floor of the pew, while Deacon Baxter wore homespun made of wool from his own sheep, spun and woven, dyed and finished, at the fulling mill in the village, and carried a battered felt hat that had been a matter of ridicule these dozen years. The deacon would be buried in two coats, Jed Morrill always said, for he owned just that number and would be too mean to leave either of 'em behind him.

The sermon was fifty minutes long, time enough for a deal of thinking. Many a housewife, not wholly orthodox, cut and made over all her children's clothes, in imagination, planned the putting up of her fruit, the making of her preserves and pickles, and arranged her meals for the next week, during the progress of those sermons. Patty watched the parson turn leaf after leaf until the final one was reached. Then came the last hymn, when the people stretched their aching limbs and rising, turned their backs on the minister and faced the choir. Patty looked at Waitstill and wished that she could put her throbbing head on her sisterly shoulder and cry—mostly with rage. The benediction was said, and with the final "Amen" the pews were opened and the worshipers crowded into the narrow aisles and moved toward the doors.

Patty's plans were all made. She was out of her pew before the Wilsons could possibly leave theirs and in her progress down the aisle securely annexed her old admirer, old Dr. Perry, as well as his son, Philip. Passing the singing seats, she picked up the humble Cephas and carried him along in her wake, chatting and talking with her little party while her father was at the horse sheds making ready to go home between services, as was his habit, a cold bite being always set out on the kitchen table according to his orders. By means of these clever maneuvers Patty made herself the focus of attention when the Wilson party came out on the steps and vouchsafed Mark only a nonchalant nod, airily flinging a little greeting with the nod, just a "How d'ye do, Mark? Did you have a good time in Boston?"

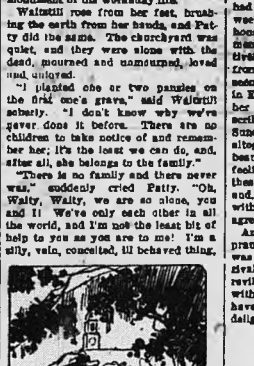
Patty and Waitstill, with some of the girls who had come long distances, ate their luncheon in a shady place under the trees behind the meeting house, for there was an afternoon service to come, a service with another long sermon. They separated after the modest meal to walk about the common or stray along the road in the vicinity, where there was a fine view.

Two or three times during the summer the sisters always went quietly and alone to the Baxter burying lot, where three grass grown graves lay beside one another, unmarked save by narrow wooden slabs, so short that the initials painted on them were almost hidden by the tufts of clover. The girls had brought roots of pansies and sweet alyssum and with a knife made holes in the earth and planted them here and there to make the spot a trifle less forbidding. They did not speak to each other during this sacred little ceremony. Their hearts were too full when they remembered afresh the absence of headstones, the lack of care, in the place where the three women lay who had ministered to their father, borne him children and patiently endured his arbitrary and loveless rule. When Cleve Flanders' grave—the Edgewood shoemaker, who lay next—ayeady resting place was marked and, with a touch of some one's imagination, marked by the old maid's own lapstone, twenty-five pounds in weight, a monument of his workday life.

Waitstill rose from her feet, brushing the earth from her hands, and Patty did the same. The churchyard was quiet, and they were alone with the dead, mourned and unmourned, loved and unloved.

"I planted one or two pansies on the first one's grave," said Waitstill soberly. "I don't know why we've never done it before. There are no children to take notice of and remember her; it's the least we can do, and, after all, she belongs to the family."

"There is no family and there never was," suddenly cried Patty. "Oh, Waity, Waity, we are so alone, you and I! We've only each other in all the world, and I'm not the least bit of help to you as you are to me! I'm a silly, vain, conceited, ill behaved thing,



"Oh, Waity, Waity, we are so alone."

but I will be better, I will! You won't ever give me up, will you, Waity, even if I'm not like you? I haven't been good lately!"

"Hush, Patty, hush!" And Waitstill came nearer to her sister with a motherly touch of her hand. "I'll not have you say such things: you are the helpfullest and the lovingest girl that ever was, and the cleverest, too, and the liveliest and the best company keeper."

"No one thinks so but you," Patty responded dolefully, although she wiped her eyes as if a bit consoled.

It is safe to say that Patty would never have given Mark Wilson a second thought had he not taken her to drive on that afternoon in early May. The drive, too, would have quickly fled from her somewhat fickle memory had it not been for the kiss. The kiss was indeed a decisive factor in the situation and had shed a rosy, if somewhat fallacious light of romance over the past three weeks. Perhaps even the kiss, had it never been repeated, might have lapsed into its true perspective in due course of time had it not been for the sudden appearance of the stranger in the Wilson pew. The moment that Patty's eyes fell upon that fashionably dressed, instantaneously dislked girl, Marquis Wilson's stock rose twenty points in the market. She ceased in a jiffy to weigh and consider and criticise the young man, but regarded him with wholly new eyes. This Eyre was better than she had realized, his smile more interesting, his manners more attractive, his eyelashes longer; in a word, he had suddenly grown desirable. A month ago she could have observed with idle and alien curiosity the spectacle of his thumb drawing nearer to another (feminine) thumb in the page of the "Watts and Select Hymn Book." Now, at the morning service, she had wished nothing so much as to put Mark's thumb back into his pocket where it belonged and slap the girl's thumb smartly and soundly as it deserved.

The ignorant cause of Patty's distress was a certain Annabel Franklin, the daughter of a cousin of Mrs. Wilson's. Mark had stayed at the Franklin house during his three weeks' visit in Boston, where he had gone on business for his father. The young people had naturally seen much of each other and Mark's inflammable fancy had been so kindled by Annabel's doll-like charms that he had persuaded her to accompany him to his home and get a taste of country life in Maine. Such is man, such is human nature and such is life, that Mark had no sooner got the whilom object of his affections under his own roof than she began to pall.

Annabel was twenty-three, and, to tell the truth, she had pulled before more than once. She was so amiable, so well finished—with her smooth flaxen hair, her neat nose, her buttonhole of a mouth and her trig shape—that she appealed to the opposite sex quite generally and irresistibly as a worthy helpmate. The only trouble was that she began to bore her suitors somewhat too early in the game, and they never got far enough to propose marriage. Flaws in her apparent perfection appeared from day to day and chilled the growth of the various young loves that had budded so auspiciously. She always agreed with everybody and everything in sight, even to the point of changing her mind on the instant if circumstances seemed to make it advisable. Her instinctive point of view, where she went as far as to hold one, was somewhat cut and dried—in a word, priggish. Her father had an ample fortune, and some one would inevitably turn up who would regard Annabel as an altogether worthy and desirable spouse. That was what she had seemed to Mark Wilson for a full week before he left the Franklin house in Boston, but there were moments when he regretted, indistinctly, that he had ever removed her from her proper sphere. She did not seem to fit into the conditions of life in Edgewood, and it may even be that her most glaring fault had been to describe Patty Baxter's hair at this very Sunday dinner as "carroty," her dress altogether "dreadful" and her style of beauty "unladylike." Ellen Wilson's feelings were somewhat injured by these criticisms of her intimate friend, and, in discussing the matter privately with her brother, he was inclined to agree with her.

And thus, so little do we know of the prankishness of the blind god, thus was Annabel Franklin working for her rival's best interests, and, instead of reviling her in secret and treating her with disdain in public, Patty should have welcomed her cordially to all the delights of Riverboro society.

CHAPTER XI.

Haying Time.

EVERYBODY in Riverboro, Edgewood, Milliken's Mills, Spruce Swamp, Duck Pond and Moderation was "haying." There was a perfect frenzy of haying, for it was the Monday after the Fourth, the precise date in July when the Maine farmer said goodby to reposo and "hayed" desperately and unceasingly until every spear of green in his section was mowed down and safely under cover.

If a man had grass of his own he cut it, and if he had none he assisted in cutting that of some other man, for "to hay," although an unconventional verb, was, and still is, a very active one and in common circulation, although not used by the grammarians.

Whatever your trade and whatever your profession, it counted as naught in good weather. The fish man stopped selling fish, the meat man ceased to bring meat, the cobbler as well as the judge forsook the bench, and even the doctor made fewer visits than usual. The wage for work in the hayfields was a high one, and every man, boy and horse in a village was pressed into service.

When Ivory Boynton had finished with his own small crop he commonly went at once to Lawyer Wilson, who had the largest acreage of hay land in the township. Ivory was always in great demand, for he was a mighty worker in the field and a very giant at "pitching," being able to pick up a fair sized haycock at one stroke of the fork and fling it on to the cart as if it were a feather.

Lawyer Wilson always took a hand himself if signs of rain appeared, and Mark occasionally visited the scene of action when a crowd in the field made a general jollification or when there was an impending thunderstorm.

In such cases even women and girls joined the workers and all hands bent together to the task of getting a load into the barn and covering the rest.

Deacon Baxter was wont to call Mark Wilson a "worthless, whey faced, lily handed whelp," but the description, though picturesque, was decidedly exaggerated. Mark disliked manual labor; but, having imbibed a modicum knowledge of law in his father's office to be an excellent clerk, he much preferred traveling about, settling the details of small cases, collecting rents and bad bills, to any form of work on a farm. This sort of life, on stage coaches and railway trains or on long driving trips with his own fast "trotter," suited his adventurous disposition and gave him a sense of importance that was very necessary to his peace of mind. He was not especially intimate with Ivory Boynton, who studied law with his father during all vacations and in every available hour of leisure during term time, as did many another young New England schoolmaster.

Mark's father's praise of Ivory's legal ability was a little too warm to please his son, as was the commendation of one of the county judges on Ivory's preparation of a brief in a certain case in the Wilson office. Ivory had drawn it up at Mr. Wilson's request merely to show how far he understood the books and cases he was studying, and he had no idea the result differed in any way from the work of any other student. All the same Mark's own efforts in a like direction had never received any special attention.

When he was in the hayfield [illegible] kept as far as possible from Ivory, because there, too, he felt a superiority that made him for the moment a trifle disconcerted. It was no particular pleasure for him to see Ivory plunge his fork deep into the heart of a haycock, take a firm grasp of the handle thrust forward his foot to steady his self and then raise the great fragrant mass slowly and swing it up to the waiting hay cart amid the applause of the crowd.

Rodman would be there, too, helping the man on top of the load and getting nearly buried each time as the mass descended upon him, but doing his slender best to distribute and tread it down properly, while his young face glowed with pride at Cousin Ivory's prowess.

Independence day had passed, with its usual gayeties for the young people, in none of which the Baxter family had joined, and now, at [illegible] ing this burning July morning, Mark was driving the old mare past Wilson farm on her way to the [illegible]

Her father was working there, together with the two hired men whom he took on for a fortnight during the height of the season. If mowing, raking, pitching and carting of the precious crop could only have been done at cold times during the year or we might be would not have exhilarated the month of July by paying out money for labor. But nature has ingenious ways in the ripening of hay, and Obadiah Foxy was obliged to succumb to the inevitable.

Waitstill had a basket packed with luncheon for three and a great demijohn of cool ginger tea under the wagon seat. Other farmers sometimes served hard cider or rum, but her father's principles were dead against this riotous extravagance. Temperance in any and all directions, was chief and the deacon was a very temperate man, save in language.

The fields on both sides of the road were full of haymakers, and [illegible] where there was beside and [illegible] There would be three or four men—or leading the others following—stolidly swinging their scythes through a piece of grass, and the small of the mown fields in the sunshine was sweeter than honey in the comb.

There were patches of black eyed Susans in the meadows here and there, while pink and white hardhack grew by the road, with day lilies and bouncing milkweed. The bobolink was flitting from every tree. There were thrushes in the alder bushes and robins in the tops of the elms, and Waitstill's heart overflowed with joy at being in such a world of midsummer beauty, though life during the [illegible] heat and incessant work of hay time was a little more rigorous than usual.

The extra food needed for the [illegible] men always kept her father in a state of mind closely resembling insanity. Coming downstairs to cook breakfast she would find the coffee or tea poured out for the pot. The increased consumption of milk angered him beyond words, because it lessened the supply of butter for sale.

Everything that could be made into buttermilk was ordered so to be done, and nothing but water could be used in mixing the raised bread. Pies and cake must never have an egg; the breast must be shortened only with lard or with a mixture of beef fat and [illegible] ping, and so on, and so on, eterna

When the girls were respectively [illegible] nteen and thirteen, Waitstill had [illegible] ed a small plot of ground for them to use as they liked, and beginning that time, they had gradually made little gardens, with a couple of [illegible] ress and a thicket of red, white, black currants, raspberry and [illegible] berry bushes.

For several summers now they had sold enough of their own fruit to buy a pair of shoes or gloves, a scarf or hat, but even this tiny income was beginning to be menaced. The deacon positively suffered as he looked at the odd corner of ground, not any bigger than his barn floor, and saw what his girls had done with no tools but a spade and a hoe and no help but their own hands. He had no leisure (so he growled) to cultivate and fertilize

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TOWN AND DISTRICT NEWS

Miss Annie Heach of Kitchener spent New Years at her home here.

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Mr. and Mrs. Paul Finn of Detroit were New Years' visitors with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Greenhow.

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The Christmas Fair prize list last week should have stated that the first prize for year old Agricultural horse, was won by E. Fenner of Carrick?

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The total coal production of Canada in 1916 was 14,500,000 tons, while imports were 17,500,000 tons. This shows our dependence on the United States and the necessity for retaining public control of water powers.

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Mr. Bert Beingessner of Champion, Alta., is here spending a couple of months. Mr. Beingessner went West twelve years ago with his parents, and now own a section of fine land. Southern Alberta has a good crop this year and Mr. Beingessner got his share of it. —Mildmay Gazette.

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Removed To Calgary

Judge Thos. Dixon's eldest son, Dr. Ivan Dixon, who has been practising at Stavely, Alta., has removed to the city of Calgary, where his brother, Dr. Walton Dixon, practises dentistry.

Miss Matilda Ste Marie of Kitchener spent New Years at her home here.

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Pte. Bob McGregor of the 65th Battery, Guelph spent New Years at his home here.

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The Week of Prayer

The Ministerial Association of Walkerton have agreed to change the usual program of the week of prayer, and have secured the Rev. Dr. McTavish of Toronto to speak at all the meetings of the week, the first meeting to be held in the Baptist Church on Monday Jan. 7, at 7.45 p. m. when subsequent meetings will be announced. Dr. McTavish's reputation and ability will insure large audiences. Come in the spirit of prayer and praise.

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Prosperity In West

Mr. Walter Scott of Calgary who, with Mrs. Scott is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Vogan, states that business conditions have shown a marked improvement in Alberta the past year. Farmers have more money than in many years and distributing centres, such as Calgary, have quickly benefitted from improved conditions. A sign of the times is that the more expensive lines of autos are finding a ready market in the farming communities. Merchants are prospering but are careful about credit. Mr. Scott travels out of Calgary for a large wholesale confectionery and fruit firm and finds the business outlook encouraging throughout that part of country.

The King calls the whole Empire to National prayer Sunday, Jan. 6th.

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Jas. Douglas, Reeve of Hepworth was in town on Thursday feeling his way for the wardenship for 1918. Mr. Douglas expects Reeve Cass of Elderslie to be one of his opponents.—Chesley Enterprise.

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Makes a Difference

One's feelings about prices high
Depends, the truth to tell,
On whether one desires to buy
Or one has things to sell.

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Touched the Low Spots

For weather the past few days has been just as cold as it felt. Sunday broke all records for frigidity around here for a number of years. Thursday the first cold chased the mercury down to 3 below. Then Friday it dipped to 10 then Saturday to 20, and Sunday to 25 degrees below. These figures were taken from the Government thermometer at N. P. Schmidt's fruit farm. Other thermometers gave lower readings some touching thirty-five below. Mr. Schmidt says that Sunday morning was the coldest since he got the govt. thermometer 8 years ago. The next coldest was the 12th of February last when the mercury touched 31 below. The severe weather proved too much for the water pipes around town. Pipes that had never been frozen before succumbed and for a couple of days plumbers were run off their feet answering the many calls for help.

FALLING IN LOVE WITH YOHO



(1) The Famous Takakkaw Falls. (2) / Camping under the Takakkaw Falls.
(3) Mount Stephen

AMONGST the Canadian Rockies you meet folk from all over the world. And you really do meet them, not just read the tags on their luggage. People who wouldn't dream of following up their inclination to know you if they met you on Michigan Avenue or Broadway, calmly introduces themselves. And you part friends.

I'd been staying at the Glacier, where I knew everybody from the waiters up, and when I had to leave and go east again I'd have cried on Sir Donald's shoulder, if he hadn't been ten thousand feet above sea level and covered with a week's snow at that.

"Oh, but you'll make friends at Field," they told me comfortingly. "Mount Stephen will take Sir Donald's place in your heart."

Field is a little bit of a town that looks as though it had been washed up by the Kicking Horse River and thrown at the feet of Mts. Stephen and Dennis, where it hangs on by means of the long twin-steel rope of the track.

On the train between Field and Lake Louise you pass the gigantic gate posts of the Yoho Valley, a few minutes out of Field. But it took us more than four miles of scenic road way to reach there, passing en route the aerial silver mine whose great dark doorway, perched hundreds of feet above us, looked like a swallow's nest for very littleness.

Next morning we were up bright and early for the beautiful drive through the Yoho Valley.

After passing Cache Creek the road turned sharply to the left and we entered the valley that grows narrower and deeper and awesomer and steeper for close on six miles. Here the crystal Kicking Horse falls into the glacial-muddy Yoho, with a result that reminds you of marble cake until the two streams are thoroughly mixed.

Mt. Ogden towers 8,795 feet to our right as we swing round the corner of Mt. Field. Mt. Niles, a thousand feet taller still, lies north again, and behind is Balfour another thousand step up into the blue.

The valley narrows. The plucky horses take one switchback after another as the trail goes up the mountain in a series of sharp Z's. The road, however, is a miracle of picturesque engineering.

At last the roaring river-it does roar between the granite bank of its long course-is a hundred and fifty feet below and the bank on which the horses plunge in so steep that it is almost undercut. You can hear the boulders underfoot. Yoho, and if there weren't steep fences on which to lean undoubtedly mother wouldn't put out of the carriage to love Canada at closer range. As it is, we chance the lonesome awesomeness of [illegible] dark gorge.

The valley widens again. The [illegible] are treed to their rising above us and [illegible] seem steep bare precipices, and higher still the snow.

And then at last we came to Takakkaw.

The Indians looked at the awaying curtain of it and they said to one another, "Takakkaw!" which means "how wonderful." Over on the other side of the valley lies the camp which in a way deserves a "Takakkaw" of its own. There are bough beds and little stoves in every tent; there is the magic teepee in the centre of the clearing where the nightly fire coaxes grizzly stories out of the guides.

Not far from camp there is a big stream coming down the mountainside to the left, which, when it hits the valley branches into a perfect family tree of streamlets, a dozen big ones and dear knows how many grandchildren brooks that run here and there like fresh air excursion kiddies on a farm. Every winter the configuration of the place changes and the streams shout and begin all over again. No wonder the trail got lost.

We raced over the boulders. But boulders are treacherous animals to play with and will bite you in the back. This one didn't approve of being raced over. The worm turned. I turned too-and quite a somersault Sandford on my hands and knees in one of the grandchildren-brooklets, [illegible] a long hot ten minutes. I was glad the sun on the [illegible] were strong and drying.

[illegible] I cried, the fountains of [illegible] sympathy carefully [illegible] "Did you go and fall in love with the Yoho too?"

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GROUP 1—This consists of the balance of this season's coats. Smartest and newest cloths in tweeds, plain navy and brown chinchilla, black boukle cloth and all wool black kersey. Large collar, all around belt and patch pockets. Smart in every particular. Regular selling prices $15.00, $16.50, $18.00, $20 to $25.00. On Sale at $11.25, 12.37, 13.50, 18.00 to $18.75

GROUP 2—10 Jackets from last season. Perfectly splendid cloths in all wool tweeds. Materials of this good quality are practically off the market and with slight alterations these coats can be made very attractive. The values were originally from $15.00 to $18.00. Special Clearing Price $5.00.

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Travellers' Samples

Gloves, Mitts, Toques, Bootees, Tams, Hoods, Men's Women's and Children's Underwear at a reduction of 25% to 50% less than regular value.

Wool Blankets Reduced

12 pairs $6.00 and $6.50 Wool Blankets, size 60x80. Sale Price $4.95 per pair.

$7.00 and $7.50 Wool Blankets, size 60x80 and 64x84. Sale Price $5.95 per pair.

Towels and Towelling

15 dozen white Huck Towels, 18x36 and 20x40, worth 40c each. On Sale 25c each.

Towellings at old prices, now 12½c, 15c, 20c & 25c

Flannellette

500 yards plain White Flannellette, regular 15c, 10c, 18c and 20c. Sale price 12½c per yard.

Yarns

10 per cent off regular prices on all Yarns Only a limited quantity, so you will have to hurry for yarns.

Prints and Percales

At old prices, light and dark patterns 30 to 36 inch width, 15c, 16c, 18c, 20c, 22c and 25c per yard.

Muslins and Voilles

Fancy Muslins and Voilles, regular 25c and 35c qualities Sale Price only 19c per yard.

Bath Towels

5 dozen large size Bath Towels, plain white and colors, 35c and 40c values. Sale Price 25c each.

Silk Specials

500 yards $1.50 and $1.75 Black and colored Poplins, Duchesse and Paillette Silks, 36 inches wide. Sale price only $1.35 per yard.

Pongee Raw Silk

100 yards Pongee Raw Silk, our special 60c value. Scarce Goods. Sale Price 49c a yard.

Fancy Handkerchiefs

25 dozen Men's Ladies' and Childrens 20c and 25c, plain and fancy handkerchiefs. Odd lots from Xmas. Your choice 15c each, 2 for 25c.

Ladies' Winter Underwear

Vests, Drawers and Combinations at early Fall prices. It will pay you to buy now.

Men's and Boys' Winter Overcoats and Suits

10 per Cent off regular prices on Men's and Boys' Overcoats and Suits. Think what a saving this will mean to you.

Sweater Coats

Special prices on Sweater Coats for Men, Women and Children. A big saving which will sell them quickly.

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15c, 20c and 25c Laces, Insertions and Embroideries on Sale at 10c a yard.

Velvets

$1.00 Brocade Velvet and Corduroy Velvet, splendid shades in the lot. Sale Price 69c a yard.

Fleece Hosiery

10 dozen Plain and Ribbed Fleece Hosiery, good Black, worth 40c. Sale Price 25c a pair.

Men's and Boys' Shirts

10 dozen Men's and Boys' Shirts, all sizes in the lot, regular prices 85c, $1.00 and $1.25. Sale price 69c each.

Men's and Boys' Felt Hats

20 per cent off regular prices on all Men's and Boys' Felt Hats, black and all colors in the lot.

Men's and Boys' Underwear

10 per cent off regular prices on all Men's and Boys' Winter Underwear.

Men's Overalls

15 dozen Men's Overalls with bib. Black and Blue and white stripe, regular value $1.75 and $2.00 pair. Sale Price $1.49 per pair.

Men's Flannel Shirts

Men's all-wool navy blue Flannel Shirts, all sizes, regular $3.50 value. Sale Price $2.50 each.

Men's Sox

Men's Black and Grey Wool and Cashmerette Sox worth 35c and 40c. Sale Price 25c a pair.

Bath Towels

25 dozen 20c and 25c Bath Towels, plain white and colored borders. The whole lot on Sale at 15c each. Don't miss them.

Men's and Boys' Collars

10 dozen Men's and Boys' Linen and Celluloid Collars. Odd lot on Sale at 5c each.

Remnants

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Easter are Waited Upon by Friends and Made the Recipients of Handsome Gifts During the Past Week

A number of Rev. Mr. Wilson's friends in Knox Congregation showed their appreciation of their pastor's services in a tangible way by calling at the Manse and presenting him with an address and a substantial purse containing $200. The money had been gathered to present to Mr. Wilson on the occasion of the approaching anniversary of his pastorate but his resignation coming when it did, it was decided to make the presentation at this time. The address to Rev. Mr. Wilson was:—

Rev. Thomas Wilson,
Walkerton.

Dear Sir,

Your many friends in the Congregation of Knox Church learned with sincere regret of your approaching withdrawal as their pastor. Some time since a movement was on foot to express our appreciation of your faithful and self sacrificing service as our pastor extending over a period of more than fifteen years. Not only as minister of Knox Church but as leader in every cause for the public good and most particularly in every Patriotic movement this community owes you a debt of gratitude that cannot be expressed in mere words. We know that the affection and sympathy we feel for you is very wide-spread and should it be found that your decision to enter some other field of usefulness is final we wish you and Mrs. Wilson who, by her kindness, tact and ability in seconding your own labours in all departments of the work has endeared herself to us all, very many years of success and happiness. As a slight token of our affectionate esteem we beg you to accept the accompanying purse.

On Monday afternoon Mrs. Rowland had a tea for some of Mrs. Wilson's friends and they presented her with a beautiful gold wristwatch and a sum of money in gold. The presentation was made by Mrs. Rowland who said:—

"Will you please accept this wee personal gift from a few of your friends gathered here this afternoon and we hope you will have as much pleasure in the wearing of it as we ladies have had in the giving of it."

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Leaving For Overseas

Gunner Jim McKinnon of the Guelph Battery, was home on last leave over the week-end and was given a public send-off at the Town Hall on Saturday night. He was presented with a gold piece and address on behalf of the Town and the Preparedness League Jim leaves Guelph on Friday with a draft. Sergt. Herm. Ruestadtler of the same battery expects to start Overseas about the end of the month.

Pte. Dave McCarter is now on short leave from the firing line in England. Word to that effect was received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James McCarter, Durham Road, this week.

Mrs. Skelton, treas. I. O. D. E. greatfully acknowledges the following:—$378.50 from Messrs A Collins, J. J. Schumacher and J. H. Ransabottom, Victory Loan Canvassers; $100.00 from Town Council.

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Removing To Hesson

Mr. John Stemmler who has been living near Solway, is going farming near Hesson and removed his household goods on Wednesday. Mrs. Stemmler and child is staying with friends on the 6th for a few days and will spend some time in Carrick before leaving for Hesson. Mr. and Mrs. Stemmler take the best wishes of their many friends to their new home. Mr. John Mork is taking over the property in Brant.

More Boys Needed

Mr. Wm. Pratt, C. P. R. car inspector, who offered to train a troop of boy scouts, reports that the project is failing through as not enough boys have handed in their names. If any boys who are interested are hanging back, they may be able to complete the necessary number by handing in their names at once. Mr. Pratt has had a wide experience in Scout work and the boys will be losers if they do not take advantage of his presence in town.

Gets Morden Farm

Mr. Robt. Simpson of Brant, has acquired the 50 acre property within the corporation known as the Morden Farm under the will of the late David Morden who died at Fargo, N. Dakota, last month. By the payment of a comparatively small sum he gets a clear deed of the property. "Bobbie" worked for Mr. Morden for many years when the latter conducted a dairy farm here, and the legacy comes as a nice reward for faithful service rendered.

600 Are in France

Six hundred of the 160th Batt'n are in France, according to letters received here this week. Two hundred are with the 8th of Winnipeg. "Little Black Devils"; 200 are with the 2nd Pioneer Batt'n; and 200 with the 107th Batt'n. The remainder of the boys are back at Bramshott in the same quarters which they occupied on first landing in England. Mr. James Whitehead received a cable from Capt. Allan Todd on Tuesday saying that his son, Capt. Roy Whitehead is now in France.

NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Read every page for local news.

Miss B. Schnurr is home from Buffalo.

Clover and Timothy Seeds at S. W. Vogan's.

Auto Tires and Tubes at at S. W. Vogan's.

Lowe Bros. Paints. The Best at S. W. Vogan.s.

Order your daily newspapers at the Telescope.

F. W. Lippert went to Toronto Tues day morning.

Mrs. Rausch of Detroit is visiting her sister, Miss J. Glins.

Get your horse collars at McCarter's, Sandy will guarantee a fit.

Mr. George Giesler was laid up the past week with la grippe.

Mr. Jacob Lambertus of Teeswater was a visitor in town Monday.

Get ready for the Spring work by getting your collars faced at McCarter's.

The London Advertiser has raised its subscription rate to $4, beginning April 1st.

Mr. Justus Holm and son Julius visited the farmer's brother at Acton this week.

Mr. R. E Heughan was taken to the County Hospital Tuesday morning suffering from sciatica.

Miss Stevenson of Toronto has been engaged as assistant at the Madels Millinery Parlors for the season.

Mrs Con. Smith of Carrick went to Durham on Tuesday to see her brother, Mr. Henry Traynor, who is very poorly.

Miss Selwood has returned from attending the Millinery Openings at Toronto and has re-opened the Madells Millinery.

Mrs. Wisner returned on Tuesday from Toronto where she spent the winter with her daughters, Mrs. Carrol and Mrs. Pentecost.

A number of Walkerton young people attended the carnival at Hanover Friday night. Miss Isabel Wisser was one of the prize winners.

Mrs. E. Walford returned home yesterday from a visit to her sons, Norman, at Hespeler, Hugh at Kitchener, and her sister at Dundas.

Mr. Jacob P. Beninger of Formosa has sold his farm of 85 acres near that village to Mr. Walter Tiede for $7000. Mr. Beninger will live in the village for the present.

Mrs. Wm. Petteplace of Greenock wishes us to correct the statement that Lance-Corp. George Hughes was a cousin of Sir Sam Hughes, which was published in error.

Miss Vera Dippel left on Monday to spend a few days at Owen Sound and attend the wedding of her cousin, Mr. Percy Armstrong of Brooking, Sask., to Miss Annie Green of Owen Sound.

Mr. John H. McNall, of Lucknow, who had been a patient at the County Hospital for several weeks, died on Friday and the remains were taken to Lucknow for interment. Chronic Bright's Disease was the cause of his demise.

Two weeks until Easter.

Try the Telescope for tasty printing.

C. P. R. town ticket office—Hunter's Drug Store

Mr. William Lindsay of Moscow was a visitor in town yesterday.

Mr. Robert Smith of Hanover was a visitor in town this week.

Mr. W. J. McNally shipped a carload of horses to the West on Saturday.

Mrs. M. J. Ramsey has been confined to the house by illness the past week.

Eat more Honey it is good for you. We sell it 25 and 65 cents Jar.—Goode and McKay.

On Wednesday March 20th, Dorenwend's of Toronto (Canada's Greatest Hair Goods Stores) invite you to see their display of fine Hair Goods at the Hartley House.

Mr. Roger Clancy's auction sale at Chepstow on Tuesday drew a big crowd and good prices prevailed. Forty-five head of cattle were sold in an hour and a half, cows bringing as high as $126.

A young man named Norton of Durham, who had just been called to the colors attempted to commit suicide by shooting himself on Friday. A brother had just been invalided home from the Front.

Russell Hermeston of the Royal Flying Corps, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hermeston of Walkerton, has been promoted to the rank of Staff Sergeant. Russell is at present training in Texas.

Remember for canned peas, corn, tomatoes, beans and pumpkins, we have everything you may require. High Prices and inferior goods are strangers with us. No 1 Stock going at Right Prices.—Goode and McKay.

Mr. Albert Yack, who has been spending the winter with his mother in Greenock, and other relatives, leaves to-day for Gates, Montana, where he has been engaged in farming and cattle-raising for a number of years.

Dr. Walton Dixon of Calgary, arrived here Tuesday on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Dixon. He is taking a short rest as the dentist who has been his assistant is leaving the first of the month to open an office of his own.

Mr. W. A. Tolton sold his heavy Belgian team this week to Mr. W. J. McNally for a Western buyer. This team which took first at the Christmas Fair last year weigh 3200 and were hard to beat in this section. The price was $500.

Mr. Ed. Lettner, who has been spending the winter with his brother, Mr. George Lettner, and other relatives in the East, left yesterday for his ranch at Eyebrow, Sask. Norman Miller, who will work on the ranch, accompanied him.

The Government Employment Bureau is anxious to find out the number of farmers requiring farm help, seed, and Tractors. Application should be made as soon as possible to The Government Employment Bureau 108 Dundas St. London Ont.

Deep sympathy is felt for Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Grierson of Brant in the loss of their bright little baby son, John Robert. The little life ebbed away on Sunday morning. Teething trouble which developed into bleeding was the cause of death.

We specialize in cheese and carry some favorite makes, matured in different stages, giving the customer the choice of different flavors. For instance:—limburger, roquefort, pimento, chile, Imperial, McLaren's, and Ingersoll cream and mellum Canadian—as usual at easy prices.—Goode and McKay.

General Servant Wanted

General Servant Wanted. Good wages. Apply at the Telescope Office.

Is Very Low

Mr. Peter McCannel, who was operated on last week for appendicitis, is very low and slight hope is held for his recovery.

Underwent Operation

Norman Shaw, the young son of Mr W M. Shaw, underwent an operation for appendicitis at the County Hospital on Saturday. Norman is reported to be getting along fine.

House For Sale or To Rent.

Cottage-roofed house, 6 rooms, three blocks south of Exhibition grounds Stable, waterworks, wall. For particulars apply to John G. Lambertus, R.R 3, Walkerton.

Memorial Service

Memorial Service for Chester Cunningham and William Wolfe who were killed in action in France, will be held at the Methodist Church next Sunday morning. Rev. Mr. Cosens will preach on St. Patrick at the evening service.

Goes To Walkerville

Mr. R. A. Eamer of the Canadian Bank of Commerce has been transferred to Walkerville, where he takes the accountancy. Mr. Eamer has made a lot of good friends during his two years' stay in Walkerton who wish him every success.

$10,000 For 100 Acres

Mr. James Cahoon has sold his fine 100 acre farm on con. 6. Brant, to Mrs. Louis Dietrich. The price paid was $10,000. The farm is a good one and has splendid buildings. Mr. Cahoon has no definite plans for the future but may buy another farm.

Removed To Toronto

Mr. and Mrs. Harry McDougall and family left on Tuesday to make their home in West Toronto, where Harry has had a position as brakesman on the C. P. R. since he returned from Overseas. They take with them the best wishes of many friends in Walkerton.

Mildmay Man In Trouble

Joseph Schmidt, a Mildmay young man, who has been working in the G. T. R. shops at Stratford, appeared in police court in that city on Tuesday, charged with using seditious language. 'All soldiers over there and all soldiers on their way over should be killed,' are the words which his boarding house keeper and her daughter declared he used. He pleaded not guilty, but the Magistrate found him guilty on the evidence of the two women remanding him for sentence.

Gets After Incomes

The Town Assessment is due to receive a slight boost this year under the heading of Income. In the past professional men who pay a business tax, have not been paying income tax but Assessor McGill has discovered that under the Statute they are entitled to pay a tax on all income in excess of their business assessment plus $1500. For instance a lawyer who has a business assessment of $250, will pay income tax on all income over $1750. This finding will affect several tax payers in the town.

C. P. R. Takes Morning Mail

Since Monday the C. P. R. morning train has been taking mail. This means that we have two outgoing mails a day for Toronto and intermediate points. Since the cutting off of the trains, it has been impossible to get off an answer to mail the same day as received and the new morning mail relieves the situation considerably. In reply to Mayor Johnston's telegram asking for the morning mail the Inspector of Railway Mail Service writes that mail will be taken for points east on Saugeen line, points north and south of Durham and Hanover, also Toronto and Owen Sound.

Two Brothers Now Laid Up

Trouble never comes singly. It is only a couple of weeks since Noah Stroeder of the South Line, while helping his brother, Alex., had his arm seriously injured in a straw cutter. Again on Thursday last, when Alex. was over in Noah's bush hauling out wood for his injured brother, he had his leg broken and will be laid up for two or three months. Alex. was taking his last load and took his team off the sleigh to loosen a small log when it suddenly struck a snag and swung around striking his leg. It all happened in an instant. Both bones of his leg were fractured four inches above the ankle. Jim Hyslop, who is always ready to help a friend in need, was with him at the time, drove him home and relieved the situation by cancelling his other engagements for the week and staying right with him. The Stroeder brothers are known as hard workers, good neighbours, and they have every body's sympathy in their double portion of hard luck.

TOWN COUNCIL MINUTES

Members Talk Hydro And Agree That Town Should Keep Right After Hydro Commission—Election for P. S. Trustee

The Town Council held its regular monthly session on Monday night and dealt with a large budget of business. All the members were present.

Communications

A reply to Mayor Johnston's telegram urging that the C. P. R morning train carry mail, was read from the Supt. of Railway mail service at Toronto. The letter stated that this train would start carrying mail on Monday morning March 11th to Hanover, Durham, points north and south of those towns, and to Toronto and Owen Sound.

Mr. David Robertson submitted a draft petition to the authorities asking that the C. P. R. train be held at Saugeen Jan. until night. By this means the town could get the same mail service as before and it would be possible for citizens to go to Toronto in the morning and return the same day. Mayor Johnston thought the idea was alright but that the C. P. wouldn't listen to it as it would double the present earnings of the train-men. The Council decided to sign the petition and forward it to the proper authorities.

Mr. Geo. D. McKay asked permission to have every other tree cut down in front of the Schwegler property.

Sec. A. Collins of the Public School Board asked the Council to provide for an election to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Trustee F. J. Fraser.

S. F. Ellinghausen and a long list of other ratepayers on McGiveron st., petitioned the Council to have street oil on the road between the Biscuit Factory and the G. T. R. Station.

Mr. Alex. George offered $25 for the Exhibition pasture for the coming summer.

Auditors W. A. Burrows and W. H. McBurney submitted their report.

Mr. C. B. Robinson, manager of the Bell Telephone Co. asked that the Council sign up its telephone contents for the coming year.

Mr. George Eckel and a number of other ratepayers petitioned the Council to lay a sewer on McGiverson St. from the House of Refuge to Baker's Corner and to Mr John Ermel's.

The estimates of the Public Library Board for 1918 were received, showing that with the full grant of $574.15 from the town, there would still be a small deficit this year.

The Finance Committee recommended the payment of a number of accounts. Consideration of the estimates of the Public Library Board was deferred until the Town Estimates come up in August. Recommended that nomination of election of P. S. Trustee to succeed the late F. J. Fraser be held on March 21st. and election if necessary on March 24th—Carried.

The Property Committee recommended that Alex. George's tenders for the Exhibition pasture for the coming year be fyled and tenders called for. That the Council order three new flags for the use of the town—Carried.

A by-law was passed providing for nomination of Public School Trustee for the West Ward on Thursday, March 21st, between 12 and 1 o'clock. If necessary an election is to be held on March 28th, polling at John Nielly's house.

Mayor Johnston said that as the Saddlery Hardware property was now the property of the town, an effort should be made to realize on the stock and machinery.

Coun. Truax said that a Mr. Clark of London, nephew of Mr. Harry Clark, dealt in that sort of thing and might be willing to handle it on commission for the town. The matter was left with Mr. Truax's committee.

Coun. Lettner suggested that as the old Exhibition Building is all going to rack, that an effort be made to dispose of the material in it before it is too far gone.

The Fire and Water Com. recommended that the Bell Telephone contract be deferred until the Com. could look into the matter, and that the Underwriters Association be written to to ascertain whether it is required to have fire phones in various parts of the town as at present.—Carried.

Railway Committee recommended that the petition drafted by D. Robertson be signed and forwarded.—Carried.

Coun. Pletsch asked what was going to be done about the Walker drain in the East Ward which has been causing so much trouble. It was agreed that before this matter be handled that an engineer be named. Several names of engineers were suggested but no action was taken.

Councillors Talk Hydro

Mayor Johnston said he noticed that

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EDITORIAL COMMENT

THE announcement that the Hydro Electric Power Commission will spend $9,000,000 in construction during 918, does not line up with the assurance which Walkerton Town Council received from the Commission last Fall that Walkerton would have to drop its hydro project for the present as no construction would be undertaken during war time. The Commission has millions to spend on power development at Chippewa but not one dollar to develops the water power of the Saugeen for the benefit of the people of Bruce. In our opinion the Town Council should get in close with the Hydro Commission and keep right on their track. Other municipalities such as Kincardine, Port Elgin, Southampton, Wingham and Teeswater who have much to gain from hydro development in this district should be got in touch with and their co-operation sought in getting hydro without unnecessary delay for this northern peninsula. The Saugeen offers great opportunities for power development. Why should the people of this district stand aside and allow all other parts of the province to take precedence?

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SHARP criticism from the Opposition benches characterized the debate in the Legislature on the Government's Civil Service measure. The Liberals could not see that any great advance was being made under the bill in the abolition of patronage. The Liberal leader, Mr. Proudfoot, objected that decisions made by the Civil Service Commissioner could be over-ridden by the Government. He thought the commissioner should have a free hand, and appointments should be made through him after full investigations by him as to the merits of the case. Mr. Elliot, Mr. Dewart and Mr. Carter on the Liberal side took the same stand but the bill went forward another stage in its original form, and apparently all applicants for positions under the Government will have to be nominated by the party in power.

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THE Government now has a majority of about seventy. Counting together the Laurier Liberals and the Unionist Liberals, there is a Liberal majority of about fifteen in the new house.

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BUYING at home is good common sense. It helps to build up the town in which you live, instead of some other town or city in which you have no particular interest.

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GET your hoe ready. The need for increased production this year will be greater than ever before. "Every yard a farm" should be the the slogan this season.

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WE hear much about the high cost of living, but the hardest search will fail to reveal a man who admits he is making money out of this condition.

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EVERYBODY is advised to keep a pig, but if he keeps a blind pig and gets caught at it he gets pinched.

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TURNIPS are becoming as expensive that they will soon be wearing tissue paper wrappers.

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THERE seems to be an over-production of first robins and a shortage of Spring.

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ARE you going to keep a pig, or dig a garden, this year?

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UP TO THE MERCHANT

Recently a merchant in a rural town happened to see a farmer receive a box at the depot and noticed it was from a mail order house. He also noticed that the goods were right in his line and the same he had carried for years. He immediately approached the farmer and said: "I could have sold you the goods you have here for less money than the mail order house and saved you the freight'. Then why don't you do so?" said the farmer, 'I have taken the local paper for a year and have not seen a line about you selling these or any other goods. 'This mail order house sends advertising for my trade and they get it. If you have any bargains, why don't you put them in the paper so we can see what they are'"

A-WALKERTON "SAMMY"

Now in Training Down in Georgia Writes an Interesting Account of Trip through Southern States to Training Ground Teeming with Historic Interest.

Camp Forrest, Ga.
March 4th, 1918.

Dear Friend Mr. Eedy:—

This letter is to serve a double purpose. First to inform you of my new address and request you to change it on your mailing sheet and secondly to reveal to you a few of my experiences since I had the opportunity and pleasure of speaking to you at Christmas.

There were of course many things that occurred since that time around Camp Sherman, besides our regular routine, for even though we were subjected to those severe snow storms and the extreme cold weather of January and February we wasted little time. Most of the time during those two months was spent shooting on the rifle range at Mt. Logan some seven miles distant from camp to and from which we walked each day we made a trip to the range. After the shooting course was completed we commenced the study of machine gunnery. But the most noteworthy experience effected me about a week ago and it is of this that I desire to write.

Often in my memorable school days while endeavouring to develop my intellect on the subject of geography, I would entertain a desire, aroused by the reading and studying of these Southern States, their remarkable climate and historical landmarks. That desire was none other than to be some day privileged with seeing and enjoying what I had read and heard of them. Like so many other things the war has done and is doing, it has afforded me that privilege. I believe it may interest you to have me relate a few of my impressions on what I have so far seen.

Perhaps a few words about my trip to this camp may add interest to the letter, so with your permission I will write a short account of it.

Some thirty of our 331st Machine Gun Co. or over 450 from the 331st Reg't. were notified of their transfer from Camp Sherman to Camp Forrest, Ga. Like all military orders are carried out, we too, had little time to prepare and on Friday morning, the 22nd, after a rousing send-off by our respective companies and a parade to the train led by the Regimental Band, we cast a farewell glance over those scenes. Little of importance did I notice on the trip as far as Cincinnatti, but one thing rather humorous was a sign I happened to see on passing through that city, which read, "This way to Sinners" and though I wasn't quite sure whether it would be best to desert the troop train and look after my spiritual welfare I decided in the negative,' and rather to take a chance by doing good works. On leaving that city we crossed the Ohio River, the boundary line of Ohio and Kentucky, and it's every bit as large as I so often heard it was. My interest was aroused on passing into a State, through which I would be making my initial trip. I was agreeably surprised though, for I was expecting to see a little more than a range of mountains and hills covered with woods. I can now understand why it was habituated so extensively by "moonshiners" in the early days. We passed through only two fair-sized places, Frankfort and Lexington, the remainder of the villages appearing about the size of Eden Grove. The farm houses and barns are also very small and like the villages, depicted pioneer style.

Our trip through Tennessee had a good deal of its interest lost through darkness intervening, and thus cannot enlighten you much as to what that Sunny State is like. I could distinguish an endless chain of mountains and a score or more of tunnels. We made only one stop in that State and that was at Somerset, where we managed to cop off a few pies and cakes to satisfy our craving appetites. On leaving that town I devised a fair resting place with two seat-cushions and indulged in a five-hour sleep. Arrived at Chattanooga at 6.30 a. m. and here a half hour later, making the trip from camp to camp, some seven hundred miles, in twenty hours. After detraining and being attached temporarily to the 11th Inf. Machine Gun Co. we were relieved of our baggage and dismissed. Naturally our first inclinations were to view our new environs and derive an idea of what our new training camp was like. So with what I have up to the present seen, I'm going to write a brief narration.

Recalling to your mind the history of the American Civil War will cause some of the names I am about to write of to sound very familiar, for it is here the greatest battles of that war were fought.

Chickamauga Park is the resting place of many heroes and the treasury for thousands of relics of the war. Throughout the entire park are erected monuments in dedication to the men and units that participated in those battles. Descriptive signs are also very numerous, giving a brief account of the fighting and combatant units. All this has proven very interesting to me. The park is in reality only the central portion of a large camp which includes in its 12,000 acres, three separate camps, viz. Camp Forrest, Camp Greenleaf and Fort Oglethorpe, which provide training quarters for over 40,000 troops. At Fort Oglethorpe there is also a detention camp where over 600 German spies are prisoners. Chattanooga, the nearest city, is about nine miles distant, to which we have access by means of taxis and street cars. It has a population of over 100,000 and is one of the attractive cities of the South being notable through the fact that Lookout Mountain and the Dixie Highway form a part of the cities assets. I'm sure you have heard plenty of both these, but even at that I can't refrain from adding a few words about Lookout mountain. A friend and I had the extreme pleasure of spending a furlough from Saturday noon until Monday morning at Chattanooga and the mountain. Most of Sunday was spent on the mountain over 2700 feet above sea level and I can't recollect ever seeing anything of a scenic nature so wonderful. An incline railway provides the means for scaling or reaching the top and while going up or down on one of the cars one imagines the cars are resting on one end instead of on the bottom. Would enjoy telling you about all we saw from the mountain but that would run the letter into extremes. This much though, with the aid of glasses one can look into five of the neighboring States. It's most picturesque to gaze down on the Valley of Tennessee, the river and the city of Chattanooga. The one mysterious thing to me is how the Confederates ever got their forces to the point of the mountain and fought the "Great Battle of the Clouds," so much is written of. The only way to appreciate these wonderful scenes is to see them.

Just a few words more about this camp. Though the buildings and layout are somewhat in contrast to Camp Sherman they are equally as comfortable and convenient, so am missing nothing in that way. We have the canteens, Y. M. C. A. halls, K. of C. halls, library and about six good-sized theatres, so our leisure hours are well taken care of. The weather is like you people experience there in the month of June. The past few days we have had 80 degrees in the shade, and I can't imagine this as only the month of March. We never think of wearing coats and are outdoors a good deal of the time playing baseball and football. Most of us have been assigned to the 15th Machine Gun Batt., a part of the 10th brigade which is in the regular army division. We are receiving more advanced training. And of course have many rumours going the rounds as to just how soon this brigade will go Overseas.

To-day we had a division review before the General and a French officer in which over 30,000 troops took part.

I would enjoy writing you more had I the time. Trust what I have written interests you, and assures you I still have recollection of you people, the Telescope and the Staff and all the people thereabouts. Only wish I could call around to the office and view the old scenes

I am in very good health and spirits. With best wishes to Mrs. Eedy and yourself, also the Telescope and Staff and all my good old friends.

I am ever your friend,

Art Schnurr.

P. S —I always anxiously await the arrival of the "Telescope" so be sure and address it to

Co. "C," 15th Machine Gun Co.,
Camp Forrest, Georgia,
U. S. A.



SUN LIFE KEEPS GROWING

THE results of operations for the year 1917 show a continuance of the notable expansion that has marked the career of the Sun Life Assurance Company of Canada. In Assets, Income, Surplus, New Business, and Total Business in Force substantial increases are recorded over the corresponding figures for previous years.

RESULTS FOR 1917

Assets at December 31st, 1917.		$90,160,174.00
Increase		7,211,128.00
Cash Income		10,288,997.00
Increase		1,240,266.00
New Assurances issued and *Paid for in Cash*		47,811,567.00
Increase		9,081,270.00
Assurances in Force at December 31st, 1917.		313,570,945.00
Increase		16,436,748.00
Profits paid or allotted to Policyholders		1,550,589.00
Increase		162,488.00
Profits paid or allotted to Policyholders, in past five years.		5,224,963.93
Total Payments to Policyholders, 1917.		8,840,245.00
Payments to Policyholders since organization	$60,004,218	
Assets held for Policyholders	87,160,174	
		$150,204,400
Premiums received since organization		143,361,256
Payments to Policyholders and Assets held for them exceed the premiums received by		$6,895,264
Undivided surplus at December 31st, 1917, over all liabilities including capital		$3,550,761.00

THE COMPANY'S GROWTH

YEAR	INCOME	ASSETS	LIFE ASSURANCES IN FORCE
1872	$ 48,710.72	$ 90,103.35	$ 1,304,272.00
1887	477,110.06	3,212,268.49	19,873,177.00
1897	2,230,320.71	7,205,741.41	44,695,799.00
1907	6,512,268.38	19,160,772.19	111,133,194.00
1917	10,288,997.00	90,160,174.31	313,570,945.00

The Company takes this opportunity of thanking its policyholders and the public generally for the continued confidence and goodwill of which the above figures give such strong evidence.

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NEWS TOPICS OF WEEK

Important Events Which Have Occurred During the Week.

The Busy World's Happenings Carefully Compiled and Put Into Handy and Attractive Shape for the Readers of Our Paper — A Solid Hour's Enjoyment.

TUESDAY.

The date for the opening of Parliament is expected to be March 18 or 20.

The price of aluminum for the United States was fixed by the President.

Mr. Jas. A. Hewitt, Orange County Master for East York, died, aged fifty years.

Toronto Ministerial Association praises Sir William Hearst's reply to beer deputation.

The Ontario Legislature voted over $2,000,000 for Hydro development and extensions.

Enough Canadian flax seed has been purchased for sowing in Ireland to plant 10,000 acres.

A great increase in the American air craft appropriations was made known at Washington.

M. Stephane Lauzanne, editor of Le Matin, Paris, impressed Canadian Club with French war spirit.

Hon. Jas D. McGregor, formerly Lieutenant-Governor of Nova Scotia, died at his home in New Glasgow.

F. H. S. Knowles of Ottawa became a harvest on the death of Sir Charles Knowles at Oxford, England.

Another Unionist has been elected, acclamation being given to the candidate in Nelson, Man., J. A. Campbell.

About fifteen hundred married men of the first contingent of the Canadian Expeditionary Force have been given furlough.

Squads of soldiers are to be sent to points along the Niagara frontier to prevent eligibles from crossing to the United States.

A piece of wire different from any used by the Coal Company having been found in the Allan shaft, the coroner's jury inquiring into the explosion on Jan. 23 believes the disaster to have been due to an enemy's act.

WEDNESDAY.

Arthur Meighen will leave the British Commons and contest another seat.

Lord Lansdowne again made public his views on peace with the Germans.

The daylight saving and venereal diseases bills passed the second reading.

H. H. Dewart, M.P.P., alone opposed a bill to extend the life of the Legislature.

The safe arrival in England of 223 officers and 6,588 other ranks from Canada is announced.

The Toronto Board of Control passed a motion deferring salary increases until next year.

Kitchener tax rate is fixed at 25 mills, patriotic and Red Cross grants to be met by debentures.

Many hundreds paid their tribute to the memory of Premier H. C. Brewster at his funeral in Victoria, B.C.

A middle-aged widow, convicted of spying, was sentenced to ten years' penal servitude at the Old Bailey, London. The trial was not public.

Bombay recruiting figures for January constitute the highest monthly total during the war. Punjab contributed 13,000 combatants and the United Provinces 6,000.

The Food Board is encouraging the extension of the cash-and-carry system to eliminate waste in delivery methods, and will promulgate stringent regulations to punish food wasters of every kind.

Women in Manitoba are to have, under the new Dowry Law to be reported to the Legislature, a life interest in their husbands' holdings to the extent of 320 acres on farms and the home site up to six lots in cities.

THURSDAY.

John Redmond, Irish Nationalist leader, died in London.

The British armed auxiliary cruiser Calgarian was sunk by a U-boat.

The Canadian Northern concluded its case before the Arbitration Board.

The Canadian Mining Institute in annual session at Montreal advocated joint technical and industrial societies.

D. A. Ross, M.P.P. of Winnipeg, said part of Western grain crop of 1918 may be shipped overseas via Hudson Bay route.

Mr. T. A. Russell was elected president of the Canadian National Exhibition at the meeting of the new board of directors.

University of Toronto students who are employed in national service during the summer months, if specially qualified, will be granted academic credit.

Hon. John Oliver has been chosen Premier of British Columbia, in succession to the late H. C. Brewster, and there will be no change in the Cabinet.

Mr. Justice Duff, central appeal judge, has decided against the exemption of bank clerks as a class, and 2,020 of them will be called up in four drafts.

Mr. Irving R. Todd of St. Stephens, N.B., a prominent lumberman and merchant, has been appointed to the Senate, in succession to the late Senator Gillmor.

The Manitoba Legislature was prorogued, after carrying enthusiastically Premier Norris' strong war resolution, pledging the province's united support of the Federal Government's war efforts.

The federations of mechanical employees of all Canadian railways have been amalgamated, to form Division 4 of the Railway Department of the American Federation of Labor. Approximately 20,000 men are affected.

FRIDAY.

Cardinal Domaic Serafini passed away in Rome.

Ten deaths have occurred from [illegible] since Feb. 1.

The newsprint paper investigation in the United States will be extended to May 1.

Lord Reading, in a speech at New York, paid a high tribute to President Wilson.

The Toronto Board of Control voted a grant of $10,000 for the Great War Veterans' Association.

The matter of an extra grant to the Toronto General Hospital was dismissed by the Toronto Board of Control.

The captain of a Belgian fishing smack was foully murdered by a member of the crew of a German submarine.

A special sub-committee of the Toronto City Council considered the possibilities of securing revenue from feeding garbage to hogs.

The cargoes through St. Mary's river during 1917 made a record in value, though not quite in tonnage; the total value was $1,187,000,000.

Arrangements are completed for the issue of war badges to officers and men discharged under certain conditions from the Canadian naval service.

Lt.-Gen. Sir Arthur Currie, writing to Mr. F. B. McCurdy, states that his health was never better than it has been this winter, and denies that he asked for a furlough.

Hon. F. Macdiarmid stated in the Legislature that the Hydro Commission will make further investigation before undertaking power development along the Grand River.

Canada's net debt increased in February by $13,251,283, and stood on the 28th at $1,010,780,470; war expenditure was less than in February, 1917, and revenue was larger.

It is expected that the Cabinet will approve of the railway rate increase allowed by the Railway Commission, provided that profits not required by a company be refunded to the national treasury.

C. Rice-Jones, agricultural representative on the Leave of Absence Board, recommends every farmer or farm laborer who is in uniform or ordered to report for military service to apply at once for leave of absence.

SATURDAY.

Eleven persons were killed in the latest air raid on London.

Toronto's population at the end of 1917 is estimated at 536,171.

Ontario mineral production for 1917 is valued at $71,000,000.

The heatless days for clubs and amusement houses are at an end.

The French Chamber of Deputies upheld the Government by a vote of 400 to 75.

Roumania is intensely indignant over the peace conditions imposed by the Teutons.

The British House of Commons voted an additional war credit of £600,000,000.

Wm. Turner, of Paris, Ont., has been missing from his home since Wednesday morning.

The metal interests have formed a steel and iron section of the Canadian Mining Institute.

Daniel Hanley, a well-known farmer and cattle buyer, of Cainsville Brant county, died suddenly.

Three recounts of military votes have been demanded, in South Renfrew, Brant, and Queen's, P.E.I.

An appropriation of $5,000,000 will be set aside by the Ontario Government for development work in Northern Ontario.

Civic deputation gets rebuffs from Ontario Cabinet when they sought control of expenditures of the Board of Education and the Board of Health.

The Flax Growers' Associatio finds a shortage in Indian labor f pulling owing to enlistments may seek to obtain Jews from To to instead.

The railway car shortage i ern Canada is growing worse, a ty Canadian cars in the United are sent to the Western State stead of to Canada.

At the Organization of Resour Committee meeting the securing farm labor and co-operation of u ban population was urged in the terests of production.

MONDAY.

John Redmond's body was la rest at Wexford, Ireland.

The Swiss are angry at Germ for the sinking of a food ship.

Dr. John R. Mott said he greater faith in Russia than eve

Carrie Rena Montgomery, of Mc Dennis, was killed while cross railway tracks.

Lt.-Col. E. B. Hardy of the B Hospital issued a report on the de of Pte. W. Berry.

North Toronto ratepayers disc ed Toronto tax rate and alleged equality of assessment.

Second Flight Lieut. Roy Thom on Mellish was killed in an accident i France on Thursday.

German troops were landed at a Finnish port preparatory to the occupation of the Aland Islands.

An Order-in-Council regulating th profits of packing houses has be issued, taking effect as of Jan last.

W. B. Northrup, ex-M.P. for I Hastings, is, it is said, to be C. of the Commons, in succession to T. B. Flint.

Rev. R. B. Cochrane of Coll Street Presbyterian Church, Toron strongly condemned the expendit of $300,000 on a Lake Shore Co try Club in his sermon last night

Lt.-Gen. Sir Arthur Currie t telegraphed to the Prime Minister appreciation of the Canadians France for the kind greetings of t Canadian women's war conference.

Miss Dorothy Stevenson, aged years, engaged to be married t month, was instantly killed at m night Saturday, when a Toron street car collided with an autom bile.

The Michigan Central Railway w held responsible by a jury at Sand wich for malicious prosecution George Janette, Essex County co stable, and ordered to pay $1.20 damages.

An aged farmer near St. Cloud, Man., named Laroi, whose four sons were called up at French reservists, and who got into financial difficulties, went mad and has been in the woods since Tuesday. It is feared he ha perished.

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TOWN AND DISTRICT NEWS

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Mrs. Russel Purdy of Smith Falls, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Woodman.

Miss Mae Cryderman B. A. spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Cryderman.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Adams and babe of Toronto, are visiting Mrs. Adams' parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Truax.

Irwin Bros. shipped a carload of horses to Saskatchewan on Tuesday. Alvin Glintz, Albert Nielly and Will Wakefield went along in charge of the shipment.

Mr. and Mrs. George Fisk moved into town last week and are living in the house lately occupied by their son, Mr. John Fisk, who has taken over the farm west of the town.

Mrs. W. J. Hermeston has had word that her young nephew, Pte. R. J. Dillon B. A. of Craig Sask. who was reported wounded and missing on Oct. 26th. is now reported killed. He was a young man of scholarly attainments who gave up a bright career to enlist as a private.

Rev. C. W. Cosens preached Anniversary Sermons at Port Elgin on Sunday and Rev. Dr. Scanlon of Port Elgin took the work here. The reverend Doctor, who is one of the veterans of the ministry, gave two thoughtful discourses which were greatly enjoyed by the people here.

Mildmay Incorporated.

Mildmay has been incorporated as a village by a special Act of the Legislature. An election will be held on May 8th to elect a Reeve and four councillors.

Exhausted On Road.

An aged citizen of Hanover was seen tramping back and forward in aimless fashion on the Durham Road one day last week. He was in a dazed condition and told a farmer that he was bound for Hanover but as he didn't seem to be making progress in that direction the farmer phoned into Hanover and had the old man's relatives drive out and get him. It appears that the aged gentleman, who is in his 87th year drove over to Walkerton in the morning with a party who was negotiating with him to buy a bit of property here. After completing his business, the old man apparently started to walk home to Hanover. But before he got half way over his six mile course, he was so done out that his senses became confused. He would have died on the road if somebody hadn't come to his assistance.

The Walkerton Creamery has bought a new Ford car.

Constable R. J. Cameron of Lucknow has resigned and is going West.

Captain Dancrd of Tara, formerly of the 160th Batt'n, has purchased a farm near St. Marys where he will remove in the near future with his wife and family.

There is still a smiling welcome awaiting you in the business office of The Telescope, if you have been a bit tardy and have not yet paid your subscription for 1918.

Mr. William Schwalm, who has been living in West Toronto the past five years, is returning to Walkerton to take his old position at Truax's mill. His many old friends here are glad to see him back to town.

All retailers must have license to do business by May 1st. The fee is $2. The regulations govern retail butchers retail bakers, retail produce merchants, retail flour and feed merchants retail fruit and vegetable dealer, and retail fish dealers.

Mr. T. W. Quayle, formerly of Paisley has entered upon his duties as private secretary to the Hon. A. L. Sifton, Minister of Customs, at Ottawa. Mr. Quayle had been engaged in journalistic work in the West for a number of years, on Lethbridge and Calgary dailies.

House Burned Down

Mrs. J. R. Jones had a letter last week from her sister, Mrs. Ezra Miller of Youngstown, Alta., formerly of Mildmay, stating that their house had been burnt to the ground and all their clothing with it. The family live on a ranch near Youngston, going into town over winter and it was the house in town that was burned.

Had Exciting Experience

Mr. H. M. Lay had a visit the past week from a brother-in-law Mr. George Spence of Kobe, Japan. Mr. Spence is manager of a large merchantile company in the Orient and has been in the United States on business. From New York he crossed the Atlantic recently to visit friends in the Old Land and had quite an experience. They were almost in sight of England when a German submarine gave chase. It was early in the morning and Mr. Spence was awakened in his cabin by the firing of the gun on board. The passengers were soon up but were paraded along the passage way below, while the ship's gunmen had it out with the submersible. It was not until sixteen shots had been fired from a big six inch gun that the sub gave up the chase and the liner sailed into port safely.

Captain McLeod who died last week at Goderich was well known in Southampton in the early sixties, and sailed on the Great Lakes on the "Maricer." He was in his 84th. year. He was a brother of the late Donald McLeod of Port Elgin. Not many of these old lake captains are living.

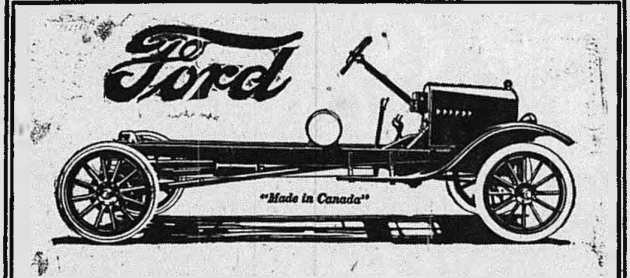
Says the Wiarton Canadian;—The Provincial Government will grant 60 per cent of the cost towards a good road on the Peninsula. According to the present scheme this will be between Colpoys and Lions Head, but as there is an overwhelming desire on the Peninsula that this expenditure be made on the Centre Road, there will be an attempt made to change the proposed route at the June County Council.

Congregations May Unite.

A movement is reported to be under way to consolidate the North Brant Presbyterian work which at present has churches at Malcolm, West Bentwick and Crawford. The proposal is to unite the Presbyterian and Methodist Congregations at Crawford, close the church at West Bentwick and hold service for the West Bentwick and Elmwood neighborhood at Elmwood but making no change at Malcolm. The scheme is in line with the process of consolidating the rural charges which is being undertaken throughout the rural sections for the more effective carrying on of the work.

Sun Life of Canada in Strong Position

As will be seen from the essential features of its year's operations set forth elsewhere in this issue, Canada's largest life assurance company has just closed a highly satisfactory year. Total assurances in force on the books of the Sun Life of Canada have now crossed the $311,000,000 mark, assurances issued and paid for in cash during the year totalling over $47,000,000, the largest amount ever issued by a Canadian life company. During the year the Sun Life of Canada paid policyholders, in death claims, matured endowments, profits, etc. the sum of $ 8,840,246, bringing the total payments to policy holders since organization to over $69,000,000. Other features which are worthy of note are an increase of over $7,000,000, in assets, which now stand at $30,000,000 in round figures, and a net surplus over all liabilities, including capital, which now totals over $ 9,550,000. Altogether, such a showing will be gratifying to the Company's many policyholders and indicates that this conservatively managed Company is in an even stronger position to-day than at any time in its history. The Company's Head Office is now installed in the fine new Sun Life Building recently erected on Dominion Square, Montreal, where the adoption of the most up-to-date office equipment should result in still greater efficiency in the administration of its large business.



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A WALKERTON OFFICER

Major Arthur McConnell Tells Graphic Story of the Canadian Tommies' Work in Flanders—Praises the Work of Y. M. C. A.

A crowd that taxed the seating capacity of the Methodist school room heard one of the best war talks yet given here on Sunday night after service by a Walkerton Soldier who has won distinction on the fighting Front in the person of Major Arthur McConnell. The affair was given under the auspices of the Epworth League but many people from the various congregations of the town were present. At the conclusion of the address a collection was taken up on behalf of the Overseas work of the Y. M. C. A.

Major McConnell, who is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver McConnell, Walkerton, went Overseas in 1914, and although scarcely in his thirties he soon rose to a very responsible post, being in command of a full battalion in some of the fights on the West Front in which the Canadians won imperishable fame.

Major McConnell is a fluent speaker with an unaffected style. In a speech that was full of interesting information, he gave his audience a graphic picture of some of the work that the boys at the Front are doing. Major McConnell resented very strongly the libellous statements that were made on the platform in Toronto last week. He believed that it was impossible to get together any place in the world a body of men who were cleaner morally in their way of living than the men of the Canadian Expeditionary Forces. The men worked under the hardest conditions, in wet and cold, and yet in his experience of ten months in the trenches, he only knew of possibly a dozen cases of drunkenness. The Tommies lived the vigorous out door life which makes for good morals. You could not expect the fellows who were rough ones at home would be angels in the trenches and yet many of these same fellows, who had not been all they should before the War, had shown themselves heroes and had faced death unflinchingly. All "shows" according to the Major, are the same. He told how at Vimy and Paschendaele the Canadians walked forward under a storm of shrapnel which meant almost certain death. When he took his battalion forward to reinforce three battalions at Paschendaele in one of themonly 8 men were left, but they had taken the line and were holding it. In the next battalion to it only 50 survived. The officer's job is no sinecure, as some newspapers give the impression. There are 50 men to each officer, but the casuality lists show 1 officer to ten men.

The villages along the battle front, are indescribable. Every building is flat on the ground, even the cellars destroyed. The ground everywhere is a mass of shell holes and is stirred up by the exploding shells as if it were putty. This was formerly a very rich agricultural section. To-day nothing even of fields remain. Major McConnell paid a high tribute to the work of the Y. M. C. A. at the Front. This organization which is non-secterian, serves Catholics, Presbyterians, Methodists and all denominations alike. The entertainments it provides give the Tommies just the necessary change and recreation. Coming out of the trenches in a used-up condition the sand-bagged Hut of the Y. M. C. A. right behind the firing lines, offers the soldier a hot drink which gives him a different outlook on the world. Every dollar contributed to this organization goes a long way.

Rev. Dr. Scanlon of Port Elgin, whose only two boys went to the Front, one of whom now occupies a grave in Flanders, said he had kept in closest touch with the war from the beginning and agreed with every word which the speaker had said.

Mr. W. G. Cheshire, President of the Epworth League, who presided, thanked Major McConnell on behalf of the League and the audience for his very excellent address.

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Praise it and loud it if you wish thrift to come.

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Memorial Service

Memorial Service for Chester Cunningham and William Wolfe who were killed in action in France, will be held at the Methodist Church next Sunday morning, Rev. Mr. Cosens will preach and Mr. Hall at the evening service.



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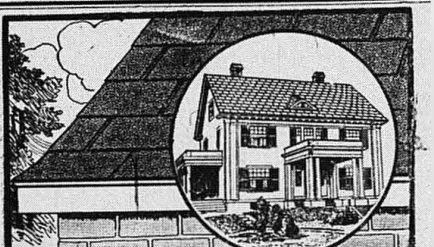
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Aunt Sally's Letter

To the Readers of The Walkerton Telescope

Dear Friends:—

Just a week from to-day is the first day of Spring. All the earth will soon adorn itself in a beautiful new dress and we feel that we must have a new dress too. Here is a little advance news of styles for Spring that our energetic shop-keepers have secured from Dame Fashion.

MILLINERY

When will we have Millinery Opening? I just felt curious so persuaded the milliners to give me a little idea of what we were going to have.

Sailor hats are to be worn this Spring and there are many popular styles, the mushroom hat, the Chin Chin sailor and a new style mannish sailor that makes us think of business, that but simply spells efficiency. All sorts of pretty sailors ranging in price from $2 to $4.

Something different can be looked for in the dress hats this Spring. Some of the names sound interesting, the Bustle Hat, the Becoming Poke, and the Patent Leather.

SPRING COATS

The separate coats are very popular this Spring and they are very serviceable. I saw a very stylish coat in one of the town shops that appealed to me so I am going to tell you about it. It is made of suede finished all-wool velour and is trimmed with saddle stitching on collar and cuffs. It has a belt of the right width, a self covered buckle at the back. The beauty of this coat is its simplicity and elegant style, the material is the finest of this Spring's fashionable coating and the buttons are large and attractive. The price of this coat is $22.00.

WAISTS

We always look for an attractive waist in the Spring. The waists are numerous and of various prices. Here is one that is not so high priced and is very attractive and stylish. It is made of Habitai silk which is an excellent wash silk. It has a large square collar, long sleeves with pointed turned back cuff and is daintily trimmed with hem-stitching. There are two colors, maize and white. The price of this waist is $3.00.

SHOES

The most noticeable thing about the new Spring shoes is the high top and the high price. But I have been looking around and have found a stylish shoe with a high top that is not high priced. This shoe is one of the latest Spring styles and the top measures 7½ inches from the ground. It is made of fine Dongola kid, has a plain vamp and can be had with either French or low heels for $5. The same style shoe can be had with a cloth top for $4.

If you do not know in which store you can find any of these articles, I will be glad to send you the name of the store on request.

Faithfully yours,
Aunt Sally,
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BIG RING CONTEST

Have you seen the birthstone ring that the busy girls and boys are wearing? Call at the Telescope and see one. They are beautiful and will last forever. A pure gold ring never wears out and these are of 10K gold with a beautiful large birthstone setting.

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What is your birthday month? Here are the names of the months and the stones for each month. Jan.—Garnet, Feb.—Amethyst, March—Bloodstone, April—Brilliant, May—Emerald, June Agate, July—Ruby, August—Sardonyx, Sept.—Sapphire, Oct.—Opal, Nov Topaz, Dec.—Turquoise.

Always register your letter if you enclose money in your letter. A post office money order is the best way to send money.

We want every girl and boy to have one of these rings. This is a chance for every one. Should you get just one subscriber you will get a surprise present so you cannot lose anything and will get something for your work even if you don't get the three new subscribers. But I know you will all try hard for the three new subscribers.

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CARD OF THANKS

Mr. John Stemler wishes to express his thanks to his friends and neighbors of the 6th con. Brant for their kindness in assisting him in moving his household goods to G. T. R. depot also for kindness shown himself and wife while they lived there.

Greenock Soldier Hero



The late Lance-Corp. Geo. A. Hughes, son of Mrs. Wm. Petteplace of Riversdale, who made the Supreme Sacrifice in France.

TOWN COUNCIL MINUTES

(Continued from page 1)

$3,000,000 was to be spent on Hydro extension the coming year. Was Walkerton going to get a piece of that?

Coun. Lippert thought the Council should get in touch with the members of the Commission right away. The Council would never get anything unless it kept knocking at the door. The street-lighting contract expired in July. The Commission should advise the town and tell them where they are at. The Town didn't want to have any long contracts.

Mayor Johnston said that if a suitable arrangement couldn't be made the town could get along without street lights if necessary for a while.

Coun. George said that the Saugeen furnished the steadiest flow of water in Western Ontario and he didn't see why the Commission had to spend all its money in developing Chippawa.

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SCOUTS, "ALERT"!

As the boys who have been making anxious inquiries regarding the proposed Troup of Boy Scouts I am very sorry to see so few that have shown their wish to join up.

I believe there are boys who are simply waiting for a troop to start and others in the country round about but at present 7 boys over twelve 12 yrs. and 14 boys under 12 yrs. have signed the forms at Mr. Searle's.

I could not think of starting a troop unless I had 20 boys over 12 yrs. for the "Wolf Cubs". The only difficulty would be to have vacancies for them as I intimated last week that "The Wolf Cubs" are affiliated with the Scouts and a pack cannot be formed unless there is a Scout Troop. I wish to thank those boys who signed up and trust in the future a troop will be formed that they may achieve their ambition. I thank Mr. Searle for his kindness in doing a good turn by showing his interest in the boys of Walkerton also our kind friends the Editors of the Walkerton papers who were both very much interested in the movement.

If at any time I can be of any assistance either in organizing a troop or helping as instructor I shall be delighted to do all I can to push along this good work.

There seems to be nothing doing here at present much to my regret.

Yours Sincerely,
"The Old Wolfe"

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Read every page for local news.

Mr. George Lambertus of Teeswater, a nephew of Messrs John and George Lambertus, passed away on Monday morning after a lingering illness. Besides his widow he leaves a family of three children.

Visit From "Scotty" Hanna

Sergt.-Major A. McD. Hanna, who recently returned from France, called on a few old friends in town yesterday. "Scotty" was for many years brakesman on the G. T. R. on the Southampton line and has many friends here. Before leaving France he spent some time with his old chum, Sergt. Jack Clancy and his visit yesterday was to see Jack's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Clancy of Cargill, and brother, G. T. R. Agent Jim Clancy. Sergt. Hanna says that he left Jack in France fine and fit and in the best of spirits. On his way back he visited Bramshott and Witley Camps and saw many of the Walkerton boys. "Scotty" is an old South African Veteran and he enlisted way back in July 1915. He went over with the 75th. the only Toronto Batt'n that has gone through intact although it has taken 6,000 reinforcements to keep the ranks filled. He left a family of ten children to enlist and a sad experience was the death of his wife five days before he sailed. A young son, who enlisted earlier than he, has been wounded three times and is now in England. Sergt. Hanna will get his discharge in a few days and his old employers, the Grand Trunk, have given him a good run out of Toronto.

Pte. Norman Kilbourne of the 5th Calgary, who lost his right leg at Vimy ridge, arrived home at Wiarton Monday. He enlisted at Regina. Three of his brothers are still in France.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sawyer and family, and Mrs. Colin Mori, who have been spending the winter with relatives at Flokerton, leave to-day for their homes at Hartney, Man. Mr. Sawyer intends removing to Sawyer, Sask. where his father, Mr. George Sawyer, after whom the place is named, has been farming for a number of years.

Collins—Hawthorne

The marriage was quietly solemnized on Friday March 8th, 1918, at the home of the bride's parents in Greenock of Myrtle Edna, third daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hawthorne, to Gordon Lewe Collins of Toronto. The bride who carried a bequet of bridal roses was given away by her father while her sister, Mrs. J. A. Cunningham, played the wedding march. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. W. Sanderson of Walkerton after which a very dainty dinner was served. The happy couple left the following day to reside in Toronto where Mr. Collins has a lucrative situation.

An Odd Freak

While cutting wood on his farm on con. 6, Carrick, Mr. Alex Becker, son of Mr. Adam Becker, of Walkerton, came across a strange phenomenon. In a cross section of a maple tree he noticed seven letters of the alphabet in the heart of the wood just as plain as newspaper print. The letters are about two inches across and are in a lighter color as if composed of another kind of wood. They do not form any word, at least not in our language, and it is certainly a mystery how they grew there. Mr. Becker has kept the block of wood and is showing it to his friends as an odd curiosity.

A Good Response

The ladies of Walkerton W. C. T. U wish to express their gratitude to the people for the splendid response to their appeal for trinkets etc. One box has been sent in valued at $32.60 Twenty-five dollars was collected in cash instead of trinkets, $16.25 for Trinket Fund from the Epworth League being the proceeds of Major McConnel's lecture. More trinkets are still coming in and as house-cleaning is near, will the ladies please save all trinkets, brass and such like and lay them aside and another collection will be made later.

Signed on behalf of the committee:
Mrs. Rife, Mrs. Warren, Mrs. Greenoch.

Works Out Poorly

It is believed here that the curtailed train service on the G. T. R. is only a temporary arrangement. That no new employees' timetables have been issued showing the change, and that the train schedule has not been slowed down to allow for the extra handling of express and baggage, are straws that seem to indicate the arrangement will have a short shift. Certainly if the new schedule outlasts the snow drifts and the acute freight shortage the public will be up in arms, for the present service provides the minimum of service and the maximum of inconvenience. The train arriving an hour later each day means that the farmers don't get Monday morning's mail until Tuesday afternoon. Business firms are unable to answer important letters the same day as received. In fact stage-coach days could show some advantages in the transportation line. Trains from the South empty their passengers and baggage into Palmerston twice a day with no outlet and many employees who make their homes at the northern terminal towns cannot live at home and have to board at Palmerston. While people are ready to put up with war-time inconveniences, it is felt that the North Country has been discriminated against in the new schedule. While time-tables have been cut down all over the country, the curtailment elsewhere has not been so severe as up here.

Strange Birds Identified.

The last few days the trees in the Public School grounds have been thronged with a flock of small birds which ate the red berries and scattered the seeds on the ground until the snow was completely covered. The birds are an unfamiliar species, a bit smaller than the sparrow but with a sweet twitter like that of the canary. Many citizens have noticed the birds but were unable to name them. A South Ward lady who has studied birds has identified them as the red poll. They are a northern bird and in winter time may often be found gathering seeds from weeds by the roadside and stone walks. The male has a rosy breast, the female without. Their actions greatly resemble those of our goldfinch but their flight is more rapid and not so undulatory.

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BORN

O'HAGAN—In Greenock, on Thursday, March 7th, to Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas O'Hagan, a son.

LANG—At Chepstow, on Sunday, March 10th, to Mr. and Mrs. Peter Lang, a son.

HOGG—In Carrick, on Sunday, March 10th. 1918, to Mr. and Mrs. John F. Hogg, of Robsart, Sask., a son, (Gordon Walter.)

KAIN—On March 1st, to Mr. and Mrs. Orville Kain of Brant (nee Hattie McGregor, a son) still-born.

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MARRIED

WENGER—MIEHLHAUSEN—At the residence of the bride's parents in Elmwood, on Wednesday Feb. 27th, by Rev. Henkel, Mr. Roy M. Wenger of Toronto, son of the late Aaron Wenger of Ayton, to Miss Laura, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eli Miehlhausen of Elmwood.

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DIED

GRIERSON—In Brant, on Sunday, March 10th, 1918, John Robert, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Grierson, aged 9 months, 22 days.

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that Mary King of Chesley, Ontario, wife of Thomas Andrew King, will apply to the Parliament of Canada at the next Session thereof for a Bill of Divorce from her husband, Thomas Andrew King, on the ground of adultery and desertion.

DATED at Chesley, Ontario, this 9th day of March, 1918.

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RANT AVENUE

ing must be som ming as een hopping around and the numerous. Sunday there ge before long.

day's sleet and snow storm w up pretty high again in the King's Highway. As Irwin went home during the for all that he has a good re- driver, he upset several times on day home from town. It must ave been some blizzard.

Last Wednesday a number of good orses passed through here to the buyers, namely, Messrs W. lly and Irwin Bros. They o carloads to the West that Jno. Ernest of near Chep- ered two of the best ones in lly's carload, which shows of the good horses are

Zettler bought a splendid of his working horses. Joe be- in buying the best money can He also sold a fine horse to Mr. Ellinghausen who is starting to farm near Riversdale.

A few of the fruit growers are now pruning some of their trees and hauling the limbs and brush away on the sleigh which is a good move. More should follow this plan.

OTTER CREEK

Mr. John Polfuss was operated on at the Bruce County Hospital on Tuesday for appendicitis.

Miss A. Sillers, teacher of Otter Creek, has been laid up with la grippe. School was closed for a few days.

Mr. George Mackie of fourth concession, Carrick, was a visitor at Mr. Daniel Wolfe's.

The Mildmay Epworth League of the Methodist Church met at the home of Mr. Thomas Jasper on Wednesday and spent an enjoyable evening.

Mrs. John Pfohl of the 12th concession is on the sick list.

Miss Vergie Gress returned to Walkerton on Tuesday after spending the winter months with her parents here.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. John Hogg, Junior, a son.

Mr. John Hogg returned to his home in Saskatoon last Thursday.

Mr. Wilfred Miller of Alafeldt was a visitor at Mr. David Gress's on Monday.

Mr. Wilfred Gress is working at Mr. Daniel Eickmeir's, on the sixth concession for a few days.

Mr. Ferdinand Wickie was a visitor in Stratford for a few days.

SOLWAY

Mr. and Mrs. Jno Zettler of Chepstow visited at the home of the latter's sister, Mrs. A. J. Knoll on Friday last.

Miss Bert McGarity is on the sick list. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Messrs John Hanmore, Sr., and Jno. Hanmore, Jr., attended the funeral of the late Mr. Jacob Weinert at Neustadt on Friday.

Mrs. Chas. Dankwart of Toledo, Ohio, is visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. A. Reid.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Stroeder and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lambertus attended the funeral of the late Mr. Xavier Weber at Carlsruhe on Saturday.

Mr. Chas. Ormiston had a wood-bee on Tuesday.

Miss Jessie Coates returned to Durham on Tuesday to attend her sister, Mrs. Moore, who is ill.

Mr. John Stemmler is moving this week to his farm near Hessen. The best wishes of his friends here accompany him.

Miss Lucinda Michell of Cochrane is visiting at her home here.

CHEPSTOW

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Sullivan returned last Friday to Toronto following a week's visit with the latter's mother.

Miss Emma Hunziger who came from Kitchener to attend the funeral of her sister, the late Mrs B. Weber of Walkerton, visited for a few days at her home before returning to the city on Sunday.

The township fathers convened in the regular monthly Session in the Council Chamber here on Monday.

Mr. Ed. Whitman, who has decided to revert to the land, has leased the 100 acre farm of his father-in-law John Eddy for a 5 year term and expects to move his family and household effects about April 1st. With persistent rumours of several other prospective deals pending rural scenes in this neck of the woods are evidently due for a considerable shaking-up.

Mr. D. Spitzig accompanied by her daughter Gertrude, went to Toronto on Monday to attend the funeral of the three year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Spitzig. We extend our sympathy to the bereaved parents.

Mrs. E. Zettel returned last week from Owen Sound where she attended her daughter Mrs. G. Kastner during a three months illness, from which she has however completely recovered.

Miss Jean Miller of Walkerton is on a few weeks visit to friends in the vicinity.

BORN—Sunday March 10 to Mr. and Mrs. P. Lang, a son.

KINLOSS

On Friday evening a number of our sports took in the dance at Sam Moulton's at Kingarf and report a splendid time.

Roy says it's May in the West now, not much like it here.

Mr. Bob. Hewitt left last week for the West with a carload of horses. If there are any complaints we will let our friends at the Grove know.

Mr. Earl McDonald and mother spent the week-end visiting in Wingham.

Mr. John Nesbitt and Harvey Scott passed through the burg on Friday.

In spite of the bad weather quite a number of the fair and unfair sex attended the Red Cross meeting Saturday evening.

Mr. Tom Lindsay pressed a fine lot of hay for Montgomery Bros. and is at present at Mr. Hewitt's.

PINKERTON

Mr. Albert Pinkerton has contracted a severe attack of pneumonia. All hope for a speedy recovery. Mr. Amsey Gregg is taking his place in the store until his recovery.

Mr. John McKee suffered a slight stroke last week and is still in a very weak condition.

The Young People's Social which was held at the Manse on Wednesday evening was well attended and an enjoyable evening was spent by all.

Mr. T. Birrell unloaded a car of wheat last week.

Mr. Richard Garland returned from Toronto last week.

Three new members were received into the Presbyterian Church on Friday last.

Mr. and Mrs Geo. Sawyer and children and Mrs. Colin More and children, who have spent the winter months at Mr. Jas. Rourney's, return to the West on Thursday.

A number from here attended the Carnival in Paisley on Friday evening.

CARGILL

The many Spring birds which were heralding Spring a week ago are again around and it looks as though Spring was here to stay.

The box social held in the hall here Friday night was a complete success and the Red Cross is the richer by over one hundred dollars.

Two Cargill boys of the 160th Batt'n, Jack Hudson and Herbie Hanson, have we hear, gone to France with the 1st draft which has been sent recently.

Pte. Wm. Brownscombe returned to London Saturday. He was presented with his small reward on Friday night by Mr. Sirrs on behalf of the Brant Preparedness League.

We see by the Wingham paper that Pte. Harold Ross of the Royal Flying Corps located at Toronto has taken to himself a wife. As Harold was recently a Cargill boy and often visits here yet we wish to congratulate him and wish him all the happiness that this old world can give.

GLAMIS

What—"A St. Patrick Box Social" where—at Glamis—I. O. O. F. Hall, when—Friday evening March 15, 1918.

Mr. W. J Jackson returned to his home near Chatsworth this week.

Mrs. R. J. Nesbitt's auction sale came off well on Saturday.

Miss Mina Cunningham left on Friday for Hamilton where she will spend a couple of months.

Quite a number from here attended the carnival in Paisley on Friday night.

Mr. McClung of Lyndock is visiting his son, Rev. J. A. McClung.

On Saturday afternoon a tea was served in the Red Cross Room. Proceeds amounted to over $12.00.

Mr. Duncan Guest of Hervie visited in the burg on Friday.

Miss Belle and Margaret Stanley have gone to the West.

Pte. Ross Woods has arrived home from France. He was wounded some months ago. All are glad to see him home again.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan McKinnon and family moved to their new home at Ripley, on Friday. By their removal this community has suffered a loss which will be a gain to Ripley.

Mrs. Catherine McKinnon received a cable last week from her daughter, Nursing Sister Elizabeth McKinnon, stating she had arrived back safely to France.

The Baptist Church had a wood bee on Thursday and Friday afternoons.

Mr. Georges Groves purchased a driver at Mrs. Nesbitts sale on Saturday.

Mrs. Neil McLure has been on the sick list with a severe cold.

Mr. Hugh McKinnon and son Mac of Minto Man. who were visitors here for the winter have returned to the West.

Frank Robinson had a bee hauling his hay to Eden Grove last week.

Mr. R. J. Pearce of Paisley was a business caller in the burg on Saturday.

Mr. Charles McKinnon spent the past week in and round Ripley.

Don't forget to come to the Box Social on Friday night. Its for the Red Cross, a very needy cause. A good program is being prepared. Two pairs of socks will be sold being Knit by the oldest and the youngest knitter here.—Come one, Come all. Ladies bring your boxes.

HANOVER

The Grey county council increased the price of auctioneers' licenses from $12 to $25.

Mr. R. E. Bruegeman has bought the building and business of Mr. Louis Wenzel, baker and confectioner.

The ten-inch pipe that carries the water from the fire reservoir is broken owing to frost. It is believed the water in the tank is a solid mass of ice.

John Mills has recently sold two Bentinck farms, namely the Archibald farm to Mr. Noah Miller; the John E. Schmidt Farm to Mr. Henry Pfeffer; also the Ries residence to Mr. W. H. Eydt.

The Women's Institute held an "At Home" at the home of Mrs. R. M. Brunt. Notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather and the various appeals at present quite a number came out and showed their interest in our boys. "Over There" by responding so nobly in their behalf. The Measuring party method of raising money was quite a success, as the sum of about $40 was realized. During the afternoon solos were rendered by Mrs. E. M. Graff and Mrs. B. Brandon. Piano and violin duets by Misses Seiling and Winnifred Clarke. In the dining room at a very tastefully arranged table Mrs. Bartleman and Mrs. (Dr.) Taylor presided while Mrs. Seiling looked after the guests.

EDEN GROVE

History, both ancient and modern, has told to the world the greatness of certain outstanding characters. Frederick the Great tried to conquer the world. Napoleon almost succeeded. The Kaiser is trying to-day. This type of man passeth away and leaveth behind a record that is foul and putrid, that stinks of cruelty, inhumanity and lust. Their method was war. Biblical history however speaks of one who conquered the world by Love and, leaving left a record of comfort, hope and joy to all mankind. It is a disciple of the latter warrior I would describe. In recent times one country, one county, one man stands forth prominently overshadowing all others. Which is this country? Canada, of course. Which is the county? Bruce, just as much of course. Who is who in Bruce? It is unnecessary to mention—you know. What is the name of the man who stands prominent above his fellowmen? It is needless to answered—you know it. It is of this man, beloved of the fairest county in Canada I would write. A descendent of Sir Walter on his father's side and of his father's wife on his mother's side, Mac. Scott, justly proud of his lineages but modest withal stands supreme as the best loved man in Eden Grove to-day. Long, lean and lanky like a boy on stilts with a thin reddish face in which showed business ability and general debility is clearly written, he has raised himself from a bald baby to the proud position of power he holds to-day. Born (though there is some doubt about this) in Brant about forty-five years ago without clothes, to-day he has a week day suit, a Sunday suit and a law suit. 2 yrs ago he ran a threshing machine. One year ago he was head sawyer for J. J. Donnelly. One month ago he was a scaler for the Knechtel Furn. Co. Two weeks later he was appointed on genuine merit, postmaster. To-day while he retains his postmastership and his position as scaler, he owns and operates the largest departmental store in our city. Such a record would turn the head of many a sober hard-headed business man but not so Mac. He simply smiles in his quiet unassuming kindly manner and with dynamic force proceeds to force his way up and up and up. The County of Bruce from end to end, men, women and children are now thronging his store for bargains—Pallbearers gloves 10 cts., seedless figs, while they last, 10 cts. a pound, hairless wig at half price, liquorless liquorice free. We hope and trust that the good people of Eden Grove and vicinity as far east as Halifax and as far west as Vancouver will deal where the quality is high, the price low, the service excellent and a square deal assured—in other words will become patrons of our leading merchant—our longest resident and well beloved citizen—Mac. Scott.

It is only fitting that a few words be spoken concerning the passing away of our late beloved merchant, Alex McKeeman. Do not mistake us. He is not dead in the usual sense. He is merely passing away to the West with a car of horses if possible. Though short in stature, he was ever short in cash or affability. After nine years in business here, during which time he was a good Samaritan feeding the hungry, clothing the naked and generously supporting the church, we will miss him greatly. Some who owe him a little account have managed to miss him already. We wish him unlimited success in the great and glorious West.

Mrs. P. O'Reilly and Mrs. O'Connor were visiting in Walkerton for a few days last week.

Beaton Wells has rented his farm to Andrew Watson who if he follows Beaton's example will reap a large crop of mantle lamps next Fall.

Mrs. W. Todd and two children returned from Paris last Wednesday where she has been visiting the last fortnight.

MILDMAY

The funeral of the late Richard Berry who died in Hamilton last Saturday took place to Balaclava Cemetery from Schuett's Undertaking Parlours on Tuesday afternoon. Mr. Ed. Berry of Toronto was here attending the funeral of his uncle.

The people in our burg will now have the honour of saying they live in the Village of Mildmay.

The Epworth League of the Methodist Church drove out to Thos. Jasper's home on Con. 12 last Wednesday and spent a very enjoyable social evening together.

The storm on Saturday night made the attendance at the Church Services small on Sunday morning.

The farmers are busy using the good sleighing there now is in hauling wood and logs to town.

Miss Edith Mackie and her nephew, Woodrow Wendt, returned to Ford on Monday morning.

Miss Mary Buhlman went to London on Saturday to visit her brother, Pte. George, who is leaving for Eastern parts some time this week.

Some of the young people enjoyed a snowshoeing party on Monday evening.

LOVAT

DIED—In Paisley on March 7th, John Millan, aged 81 years.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Brownscombe of Bruce Tp., a daughter.

Mr. Jno. Teeple is down from the West visiting his parents and friends before starting to train in military camp.

Mr. Jacob Fletcher is at present very ill. All hope to see him around soon.

Mr. Edgar Brownscombe underwent an operation for appendicitis in Walkerton Hospital.

Jos. B. McKay is preparing to build a new barn this year.

The sale of live stock is going sky high. It is a get-rich game nowadays to have a farm sale of live stock.

Thos. Fullerton has bought Walter Wynne's farm 16th of Greenock.

Jas. McKinnon bought a fine driver from E. Westman.

A lot of windfalls are badly damaged this winter with so much high wind. Alex Ross' barn on 6th of Bruce has been wrecked somewhat also with the wind.

RIVERSDALE

Mrs. Sanderson and two daughters of Oakville are visiting her father, Mr. Wm. McDonald.

Mr. Adam Lippert had a successful wood-bee last Thursday

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Nick O'Hagan on Wednesday, March 6th, a daughter.

Miss Annie McKinnon of Detroit and Mrs. Thos. Cunningham of Walkerton spent Saturday and Sunday with their brother, Archie McKinnon.

Mr. Eugene O'Hagan is employed with Peter Axtell for the coming year.

Mr. and Mrs David Hutchison of Teeswater visited Jas. Halliday one day last week.

Mr. Cleo Benninger visited his home here.

SCHOOL REPORT

The following report is based on the examinations held during February. The names are in order of merit:

Sr. IV. Pass—Ella Moore.

Promotion Jr. IV. to Sr. IV—Honours—Florence Dietrich. Pass—Alex Chatreau, Morley Petteplace, Joseph Cassidy, Thompson Lees Recommended—Melinda O'Hagan, Murdock McKinnon, Everett McDonald.

Jr. III.—Pass—Wilfrid Moore, Bert Dietrich, Rich Cascagnette, Mary Moore.

Jr. II.—George Dietrich, Pena Moore, Willie O'Hagan, Thomas Moore, Doris Lees, Agnes Moore, Catharine Petteplace, Archie McKinnon, Marjorie Cassidy, Florence Brown (absent).

Sr. I.—Edna O'Hagan, Jimmie Caskanette, Florence Beninger, James Cassidy, Emily Cascagnette Barney Petteplace, Sherman Beninger.

Jr. I.—Fred Moore, Harvey Cassidy, Clifford Beninger.



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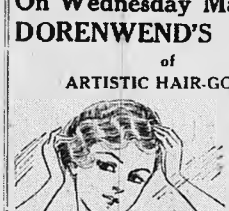
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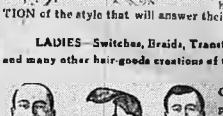
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Sir Edmund Allenby, "The Hero of Jerusalem," Has Had Notable Career

THIS is the psychological moment for some genealogical sharp to produce an authenticated family tree of Lieutenant General Sir Edmund Henry Hyman Allenby, K.C.B., latest conqueror of Jerusalem. To fit the romance of the occasion it should date back at least as far as the crusades and should show that one of General Allenby's ancestors stood beside Richard Coeur de Lion on one or both of the two occasions when that doughty but unlucky warrior-monarch viewed from afar the walls of the coveted city which he was destined never to enter.

Allenby, is a name with a Norman ring to it, and it is possible that one of Sir Edmund's forbears did actually 'squire the impetuous Richard Yea-and-Nay, but the modern conqueror is too recent a figure in the war limelight for any biographer to have yet dug up such interesting facts. For the present General Allenby will have to be content with the honors that he has won for himself—and these seem ample. Of his ancestry the world knows only that he is not the descendant of a hundred belted earls, but merely comes from what the English are given to calling a "good family." All that he has achieved in the profession of arms has been through his own ability and by his own efforts.

As military ages go in these modern wartimes, General Allenby is not a young officer. Born April 23, 1861, he had passed the age when military geniuses of history gained their greatest laurels long before his name was known outside British army circles. As a matter of fact, probably no one would be more astonished than Sir Edmund himself if, because of his success in Palestine, the world should now acclaim him a military genius. All he has ever pretended to be or just what he was called at the Horse Guards when the war began and a very responsible duty was thrust upon him—a good officer, one who executes a task, whether easy or difficult, with as little fuss and in as short a time as possible.

He was a good officer when, upon leaving Hailerbury College, an excellent but unrenowned English secondary school, he entered the Enniskilling Dragoons as a subaltern. He was a good officer, his superiors said, when he served in the Bechuanaland expedition in 1884-85. He was a good enough officer to be made adjutant of his famous regiment in 1889, and so good an officer in the Boer War that he was twice mentioned in dispatches and rewarded for his services by being made a Companion of the Bath. Later, as commander of the Fifth Cavalry Brigade, 1910, he continued to merit the trust and confidence of his superiors. "Allenby is dependable," they said at the Horse Guards. "A good officer," every one agrees.

It is little wonder, therefore, that in the dark hours of 1914 the British War Office, seeking a good officer to take command of the cavalry expeditionary force, that forlorn hope that was to grapple with von Kluck's Uhlans, turned to Brigadier-General Allenby. No small part of the credit that is now freely given Britain's "contemptible little army" for the part it played at Mons belonged to Allenby and his troopers. It was, however, at best a losing fight, though glorious in its gallant stubbornness, and the world is always inclined to withhold from losers the garlands it lavishes upon those who actually achieve victories.

We know how that General Allenby, as commander of the Third British Army, continued to prove himself a good officer on the west front during 1916, particularly in the battle of Arras, that began on Easter Sunday of that year. That the British gains in that action were not commensurate with the losses suffered was probably not his fault. That was British strategy then. But until he was transferred to the command of the British forces in Egypt in June last Allenby's name was as wholly unfamiliar as that of Byng itself.

That Sir Edmund is a cavalry officer by preference and by training should occasion no surprise. So far as the British army is concerned, this is a war in which the cavalry has had little to do, but in which cavalry leaders nevertheless have won distinction. Haig himself is a cavalryman, and so was his predecessor, the less aggressive Viscount French. Byng, the man who set things popping at Cambrai as they had not popped since the German Crown Prince sought the glory due a future Emperor at Verdun, had always been in the cavalry arm of the service before the big war, and for some time after it began. Since cavalry officers have made good in the trench fighting in France and Flanders, small wonder was it that one should have been chosen for the command in Egypt, where bodies of horses could be used to advantage.

Things had not gone well for the British in Egypt in the early days of the war. It will be recalled how in November, 1914, a Turkish army got within striking distance of the Suez Canal. The Anzacs had their hands full in defending the great waterway, but by December, 1915, the tide had turned and the Turks had been driven back as far as El Arish, 55 miles east of the canal. Then followed a lull of six months; then another Turkish advance, which met with a decisive defeat. The British had driven the Ottomans across the border into Palestine before Allenby's arrival at the front. It was that he found affairs in better [illegible] though [illegible] from [illegible] had [illegible] took command. An advance upon Jerusalem had reached a point only about fifteen miles south of that city, while along the coast another column had gone as far as Gaza; but there the campaign lagged until new life was infused into it by the good officer from the western front. Since November, when he struck north, he has taken Beersheba, then Gaza, afterward Jaffa, and now Jerusalem—pretty good evidence of efficiency and enterprise.

Now that General Allenby has once more proved himself a good officer by winning Jerusalem for the British and for Christianity, the question arises: How much real importance should be attached to his success. From a purely sentimental point of view the fall of the shrine of Christendom looms big. Doubtless it has much political value also; even the German press admitted this when the capture of the city was announced.

In the minds of many persons Allenby's drive into the Holy land is associated more or less directly with the progress of that other British expedition up the valley of the Tigris beyond Bagdad. The prospect of there being any co-operation between these two forces is to be considered. From Jerusalem to Bagdad is more than 400 miles as the crow flies, supposing that any crow would have the temerity to cross the Syrian desert without carrying a commissariat. Should Allenby push further along the coast it is barely possible that the Mesopotamian expedition might endeavor to strike westward and form a junction with him.

Even as it is, the Turks, relieved of the fear of invasion through the Caucasus, may yet decide to throw a far larger force into Syria and Palestine than they have hitherto had there. To Turkish eyes Mecca and Medina are prizes worth having and keeping. In that case Allenby may be called upon to fight harder than he has fought before to retain his conquests. But his British friends and admirers will remain confident that whatever further problems he may have to meet he will continue to prove himself a good officer.

WAS NATURAL POET.

Paragraphs From Dickens Read Like Blank Verse.

Thousands of admirers of Charles Dickens can perhaps recall passages —particularly in scenes where pathos was required—which, as they read them, had all the charm of poetry. Few persons, however, I venture to believe, ever realised that in reading them they were actually perusing blank verse. Printed in the form of prose, these examples of descriptive work did not reveal their rightful claim to be considered poetry.

It is quite possible, indeed probable, that the wording of such passages was the result of harmonious accident, and that Dickens himself, neither realized nor became conscious later that he was writing blank verse of irregular meter and rhythm, such as Southey and Shelley and some other poets occasionally adopted.

But look now at the following description of "Little Nell's funeral, taken from "The Old Curiosity Shop," when merely reset in the familiar form of blank verse:

And now the bell—the bell
She had often heard by night and day
And listened to with solid pleasure.
Seen as a living voice—
Rung in its remorseless toll for her,
So young, so beautiful, so good.
Decrepit age, and vigorous life,
And blooming youth, and helpless infancy—
Poured forth—on crutches, in the pride of strength,
And health, in the full blush
Of promise—the mere dawn of life—
To gather round her tomb. Old men were there
Whose eyes were dim
And senses failing—
Granddames, who might have died ten years ago,
And still been old—the deaf, the blind, the lame,
The palsied,
The living dead in many shapes and forms,
To see the closing of this early grave!
What was the death it would shut in,
To that which still would crawl and creep above it!
Along the crowded path they bore her now.
Pale as the new-fallen snow
That covered it; whose day on earth
Had been so fleeting.
Under that porch where she had sat
when heaven
In mercy brought her to that peaceful spot,
She paused again, and the old church
Received her in its quiet shade.

The above is a literal transcription from the novel, with the exception that two unimportant words — "in" and "the" are omitted, and that the word "granddames" is substituted for "grandmothers," and the word "even" for "almost." All the rest is exactly as in the original, not a single word transposed, and the punctuation the same to a comma.

And, again, if we reset the concluding paragraph of "Nicholas Nickelby" we get the following lovely bit of blank verse:

The grass was green above the dead boy's grave,
Trodden by feet so small and light
That not a daisy drooped its head
Beneath their pressure.
Through all the spring and summer time
Garlands of fresh flowers, wreathed by infants' hands,
Rested upon the stone.
—By Lucille Caine.

The First Coffee House.

The first coffee-house really deserving to bear that name, which was opened in the metropolis, was established in 1652 by Pasqua, in Newman's Court, Cornhill. Pasqua, a Greek, was servant to Mr. Edwards, a Turkey merchant, and the taste for the new beverage increased so rapidly that coffee-houses became common in London at the date of the Restoration of Charles the Second. It is recorded in "Evelyn's Diary," on May 10th, 1637, that "there came in that year to the College of Balliol, in Oxford, one Nathaniel Conopius, out of Greece, who was the first that ever I saw drink [illegible]

Starts Next Week



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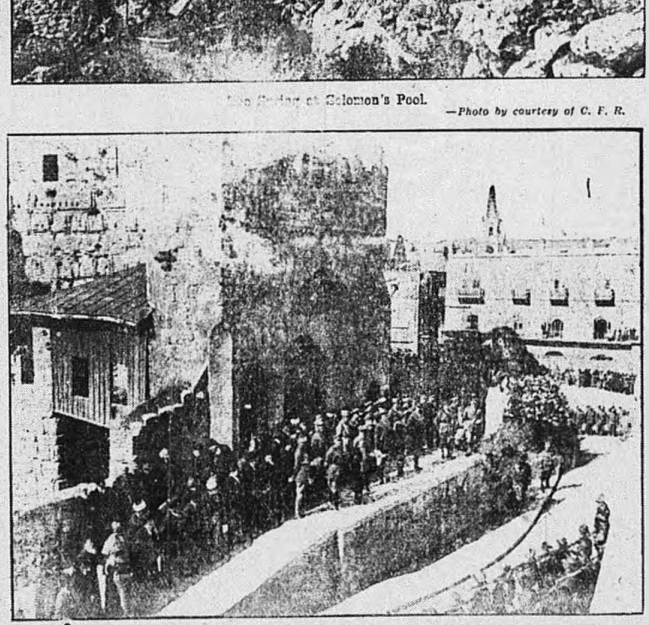
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THE BRITISH IN JERUSALEM



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Reading the proclamation from the steps at the base of the Tower of David, which was standing when Christ was in Jerusalem. —Photo by Courtesy of C. P. R.

SUNDAY SCHOO

Lesson 11—First Quarter, 17, 1918.

THE INTERNATIONAL

Lesson Text, Mark 8:
Memory Verses, Matt.
—Golden Text, Mat
Commentary Prepa
D. M. Stearns.

The opening verses chapter find Jesus te synagogue among His who could not understa whom they had known from hood, could teach as he did, such mighty works. They knew brothers and sisters, Mary's oth children of whom He was the fir born (Ps. 69-8; Lu. 2:7). posed that He was like th dinary human parentage, ing or not believing the His birth (Matt. 1:20, 2 unbelief, at which He mar dered Him from doing works among them excep few sick folk (4-6); round about among teaching. If some will others will, and there an open door somewh whom He sends forth We saw in a former le called unto Him twelve might be with Him, and might send them forth (3-14. and now we see him sending them forth, by two and two, to teach healin His name (7-13). They were not to go to the Gentiles or Samaritans, but only to Israel; and proclaim the Kingdom of Heaven is at hand, healing the sick, cleansing the lepers, raising the dead, casting out demons, and doing all freely (Matt. 10: 5-7). The Kingdom must be, with Israel, and will begin there when it shall be set up at His return. Because Israel rejected Him and His Kingdom, the gospel is, for this age of his rejection, and a postponed kingdom, to be purchased among the nations to take out of them a people for his name, the Church which is His body and bride; and then shall Israel be saved and then all nations (Acts 15: 14-18).

Inasmuch as human hearts are always the same, enmity against (Rom. 8:7, 8), we may still ex much of the same treatment the twelve were told they would (Matt. 10: 16-25), and must be content to be as sheep midst of wolves, for His sake all the day long. We are not the actual death of the body, ing that for the believer to calm, and absent from the means present with the Lord, 10: 26-30; Phil. 1.21, 23; 5:8). Our standing orders proclaim repentance and re of sins among all the people name, and tell them of a ju to come and of Him Who had appointed the judge of all. C risen from the dead (Lu. 24: 4 Acts 17-30, 31). He taught and us through them, that th treatment they received wou counted as if done to Himself also that as they went in His they must have no anxious about food or raiment or pense (vs. 5-10; Matt. 10-9, 42). On the last night bef was crucified He asked them, I sent you without purse, and and shoes, lacked ye anything they said, "Nothing." Like it stands ever true for all His ful followers, that if we ma coming of His Kingdom ou concern, He will see to the sup all our needs (Matt. 6:33; Ph 19). As to anything we m called upon to bear for His sa must count that a privilege comforted by the assurance o affliction or trial is working a far more exceeding and weight of glory, and that th ings of this present time worthy to be compared the glory which shall be revea (Phil. 1:29; 2 Cor. 4:17 8:18). As Herod and I lons heard of the wonders through Jesus Christ, some he was Elijah, but Hero conscience remembered party, and how to please woman he had caused Jo headed, and he said: risen from the dead" (vs. the terrors of a guilty con so awful here in this world imagine what the torment must be even between dea surrection, and then in th fire (Luke 16:23, 24; 1 11). Does it not seem really believed God cone happiness of the redeemed sufferings of the lost we more of the zeal of Paul, Moody, or a William reaching after sinners them from the wrath to c would be a great thing teacher and preacher, and true believer, to do every his disciples and apostles the burial of John the Baptis —tell Jesus all things that done and said through the 29, 30). If it was our custom hearer to him all we have done, we might perhaps leave unsaid and undone things, and to say and do which we are neglecting. not need that we should tell He sees and hears and knows it would be a great benefit talk it all over with Him would love to have us do so

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TOWN AND DISTRICT NEWS

Senator Donnelly of Pinkerton was in town Monday.

✣

Dr. McKibbon of Toronto, a native of Teeswater, died on March 3rd from a paralytic stroke in his 52nd year.

✣

Bookkeeper seeks engagement says an advt. Sure, and a heap of stenographers are looking not only towards engagement but marriage.

✣

Geo. T. Falconer, aged 44, manager of Fruit Growers Limited, and a member of Falconer Bros., Port Elgin died last Thursday after a brief illness with pneumonia. His wife and two little sons survive.

✣

The weaker sex
Is that portion
Of the human race
Which goes down town
In zero weather
In a half-masted lace waist
And pumps
To buy a muffler
And woollen socks
For the husband
So he can go to work.

✣

When the operations, now under way at the Hydro Power plant at Eugenia Falls are completed, the capacity of the plant will have been at least doubled—that is to say that while the plant is at present developing about 2,000 horse-power, the additional water wheels and dynamos will increase this to approximatively 6,000 horse power. The increased development is expected to result in a lowering of the cost to the consumer and a decided tendency to increase the amount of electricity in general use as a motive power. It is expected that the improvement will be completed this year.

✣

Re-elected Executive

Mr. James H. Hunter of Walkerton was re-elected a member of the Executive of the Grey and Bruce Mutual Fire Insurance Co. at its annual meeting at Hanover last week. Mr. T. H O'Neill, formerly of the South Line, is president of the Company. Mr. T. H. Wilson, Durham Road, was named as one of the auditors.

✣

All British-born

Gompers, Duncan, and Morrison, the heads of the American Federation of Labor, were all three born under the British Flag. Morrison as most of our readers know, was born at Walkerton. Before becoming Secretary of the Organization which comprises several millions of members he worked as a printer, having learned the trade at the Telescope.

✣

Where Was the Hat.

A ranchman coming out of ether in a hospital ward after an operation exclaimed audibly: "Thank God! That is over! "Don't be so sure" said the man in the next cot. "They left a sponge in me and had to cut me open again." And the fellow on the other side said: "Why, they had to open me too, to find one of their instruments." Just then the surgeon stuck his head in the door and yelled: "Has anybody seen my hat?"

✣

Church Union in Bruce and Grey

Representatives of Bruce, Owen Sound and Orangeville Presbyteries are meeting representatives from Wiarton, Owen Sound, Mount Forest, and part of the Collingwood District of the Methodist Churches to arrange for withdrawals in certain localities where Presbyterians or Methodists predominate in order to prevent overlapping. This is the next best thing to Church Union and will liberate ministers for work on the home and foreign mission fields. We wish the movement abundant success.—Chesley Enterprise.

✣

Mistook The Word

The Sarnia Canadian says: "There is a joke going the rounds at the expense of a modest young newspaper man in a neighboring town, which is so good that it ought to be true. The young man in question it appears, was recently invited to a party at a residence where the home had lately been blessed with an addition to the family. Accompanied by his best girl he met the kind hostess at the door, and after the customary salutation, asked after the welfare of the baby. The lady was suffering from a cold which made her deaf, and she mistakingly supposed that the young man was inquiring after about her cold. She replied that though she usually had one every winter, this was the worst one she had ever had; it kept her awake at night at first and confined her to her bed. Then noticing that the scribe was getting pale and nervous, she said that she could tell by his looks that he was going to have one just like hers, and she asked him to go and lie down. The paper came out as usual the next week, but the editor has given up enquiring for babies."

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Truax attended the funeral of the latter's cousin, the late Mr. Falconer at Port Elgin.

✣

Mr. Joseph Lambertus sold his bay matched team to Runstedler, the horse buyer for four hundred dollars.

✣

Owen Sound merchants have cut out Saturday delivery and are now talking of making a small charge for every delivery made.

✣

The city of Niagara Falls, Ont., has now only one daily newspaper, instead of two. The Review, of which Mr. Frank Leslie, a Glamis boy, is managing editor, has bought out the Record.

✣

The long lists of "Tenders Wanted," appearing in Conservative papers only, in regard to Gov't contracts, leads one to suspect that the recently deceased patronage list must have as many lives as the German cruiser Goeben or the family cat.—Guelph Mercury.

✣

While returning to her home, Mrs. Gibson of the Ottowell settlement near Wiarton, fell and was discovered in a helpless condition. Four hours later she died. It is supposed that she either suffered an attack of heart failure or sustained a stroke. Her husband and eldest son also dropped dead.

✣

Four thousand two hundred men are employed by Canadian municipalities in waiting for fires to occur, and then attempting to extinguish them. The cost of this service exceeds $4,000,000 a year. Most of this energy would be better employed if devoted to removing fire breeding conditions and to enforcing proper regulations to prevent the occurrence of fires.—Municipal World.

✣

Going Some

Under the new G. T. R. time table it would take two solid days and nights to make an all-rail trip from Owen Sound to Walkerton, Paisley, etc., even at that one would only have a few hours before returning.—Owen Sound Sun.

✣

A Freak Pig

One of a family of fourteen pigs which were littered at Gordon Ritchie's of Greenock last week, showed a strange freak of nature. From its middle backwards this little porker had a double body, with a double set of hind legs and two tails. It was an odd looking monstrosity. The freak pig did not live but its thirteen young brothers and sisters who were favored with the ordinary number of hoofs and tails are thriving and very much alive.

✣

Bull Got Loose

Some bills of goods marked short came into the hands of the Canadian express agent one evening last week. The reason for the goods being short or damaged was most unusual, it being stated that the destruction had been wrought by a bull. Behind this is quite an interesting story of the misbehavior of a male bovine some six or eight months old which was enroute from down east to Dantroon. The animal was apparently securely crated and had made the first stages of the journey without showing any refractory tendencies. But on the final stretch he became restive and soon the lumber in the crate commenced to creak. The boards and wire nails provided were not secure against the brute strength of this animal and soon he was at liberty, or partial liberty, in the car. The messenger was unable to control the bull and had to hustle out for assistance from among the train crew and the mail car. Meanwhile the bull had been giving expression to a decided dislike for cut flowers and some boxes containing greenhouse products were the chief objects of attack. When sufficient help was gathered in the express car the bull was put back in what was left of his crate and so tethered that it would be impossible for him to give further trouble so long as he was in the custody of the express messenger.—Alliston Herald.

Have you visitors? Let the Telescope know.

✣

The average price of farm land in Canada has increased from $41 an acre to $44 in the last year.

✣

Arthur Lloyd, an Owen Sound Merchant, was fined $200 and costs for selling lemon extract, contrary to the Ontario License Act and Alex Cobean was fined for getting drunk on the extract.

✣

The fishermen of Lake Huron and Georgian Bay held a meeting at Wiarton last week and organized. They were brought together by the government regulation, forcing men to sell at eight cents a pound which they consider an injustice. The men claim that their produce cost them ten cents a lb last year and more this year.

✣

Action for criminal libel has been entered against the Meaford Express for statements made in its colums regarding Capt. C. A. Spencer, formerly of the 147th Batt., now serving in France. The statments made are alleged to have reflected on the conduct of Lieut. Spencer in Military life and charged that he had refused to revert in rank in order to go to France, also stating that he was on his way to Canada. Lieut. Spencer was a minister in Meaford before enlisting and is a middle-aged man.

✣

More Advice

Eat less: breathe more.
Talk less: think more.
Ride less: walk more.
Clothe less; bathe more.
Worry less: work more.
Waste less: give more.
Preach less: practice more.
—Ohio State Journal

✣

Will Increase Grant

County Supt. D. J Izzard and Reeves Case, D. McDonald, and Whicher, the members of the Bruce Good Roads Committee, attended the Provincial Good Roads Association at Toronto last week. While in the city they interviewed the Minister of Public Works and induced him to increase the govt. grant on the County road from Wiarton to Tobermory from 40 % to 60%. There being no railway on the Peninsula the whole traffic from the Peninsula must drive over at least a portion of the highway to get train connections.

✣

The Hired Man's Dream

A Caledon farmer nearly cremated his trusty hired man one night last week. A little house cleaning had been done and the battery of the farmer's car was placed under the hired man's bed. The hired, tired tiller of the soil had eaten some hot rabbit pie before retiring and when he hit the hay fell asleep to dream that he was in Hades. When he was about to be poked by a fork he awoke and for a moment it was sure Hell, for the bed clothing was afire. Fortunately he escaped being severely burned, but after this no more batteries will be placed under beds in that homestead. The cause of the blaze is said to have started from the wire springs coming in contact with the battery and the fire started.

✣

Fraud By Cable.

Mr. Jacob Miller of Kinloss was recently swindled out of $25 by a cable sent by some fraudulent person in England who signed the name of son son. The Lucknow Sentinel states that the crook first cabled for $25, and this Mr. Miller sent. This evidently looked like easy money and soon after there came another message asking for $35, and stating that Pte. Miller was in trouble. This message created suspicion and the money was not sent, and later investigation proved that Pte. Miller not only was not involved in any trouble, but he never was in the town where the fraudulent message said he was in trouble. Later a third request came, this time for $50, and this was accompanied by the statement that he was about to leave for France. This being disregarded a fourth distress call came asking for $100. The signature was each time different "J. Herb Miller" H. J Miller and so on, but each time different from that invariably used by Pte. Miller. The crook evidently was feeling about to see if he would strike the right arrangement.

Pte. Miller's letter to the folk at home was in part as follows: " You asked me in your last letter if I received the money which you thought I cabled for. I did not receive any money and I never sent for any. I am in no need of money. Some crook used my name and number. I sure would like to get hold of the fellow who cabled for $100 from London stating I was in trouble. I never was in any trouble. By the date of the cable, I was in the trenches in France when it was sent. I am getting on O. K. and will soon be well again.

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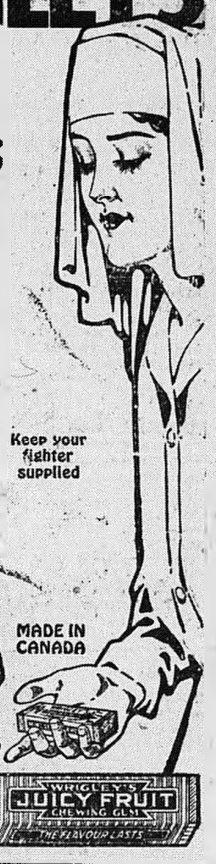
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A large crowd of farmers were in for the consignment sale of Shorthorn Cattle held on the Market Square on Saturday afternoon. It was the second Annual sale under the auspices of the Bruce Stock Breeders' Club and the Dept. of Agriculture. Twenty young registered shorthorns ranging from six to eighteen months were offered and all brought a fair price. The average selling price of the lot was $130. Auctioneer Purvis handled the hammer. The sales were as follows:—

"Red Billy" yearling bull, bred by—Edwin Tolton, Walkerton, bought by Thos. Mercer, Markdale, for $170.

"Day Dream," 9 mos. heifer, bred by—H. H. Fletsch, Carlsruhe, bought by Lewis Bester, Cargill, for $156.

"Stamford Choice" roan bull 13 months, bred by—E. G. Kuntz, Formosa, bought by John Brindley, Greenock, R. R. for $155.

'Cherry Pathfinder" 9 mos., bull, bred by—Henry Hossfeld, Walkerton, bought by John Scanlon, Walkerton, for $150.

"Royal Red,' 15 mos. bull, bred by—Abram Rowand, Walkerton, bought by Walter Findlay, Elmwood, $150.

"Stamford Count" 16 mos. bull, bred by—E. G. Kuntz, Formosa, bought by Thos. Mercer, Markdale, for $145.

"Silver Beauty" 15 mos., heifer, bred by—N. Durrer, Walkerton, bought by Roy Lamb, Walkerton, $140.

"Rosie Broadhooks" 14 mos., heifer, bred by—Henry Hossfeld, Walkerton, bought by Lewis Bester, Cargill, for $135.

'Bandsman Duchess," 10 mos. heifer, bred by—N. Durrer, Walkerton, bought by Wm. Berry, Walkerton, R. R. $130.

"Royal Duke, 9 mos bull, bred by—H. H. Fletsch, Carlsruhe, bought by, Frank Steffler, Mildmay, $120.

"British Peer 2nd" 7 months bull, bred by—Henry Hossfeld, Walkerton bought by Albert Wilken, Hanover, for $107.

"Golden Chief," 10 months bull, bred by—N. Durrer, Walkerton, bought by Ronald Cameron, Spry, for $105.

"Roan boll," 8 months, bred by—J. Holm, Walkerton, bought by John MacHae, Teeswater, R. R. for $100.

"Rosn Hero," 9 months, bull, bred by—Jas. Tolton & Son, Walkerton, bought by Noah Gateman, Elmwood, for $95.

"Rosebud" 7 months heifer, bred by—Henry Hossfeld, Walkerton, bought by Wm. Johnston, Walkerton, for $90.

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LOCAL C. P. R TIME TABLE.

Morning train, leaves Walkerton—6.20 a. m.

Noon train, arrives Walkerton—1.25 p. m.

LOCAL G. T. R TIME TABLE

Morning train north bound—

Afternoon train—

p. m

GREENOCK BOY WRITES

Of the Work of the Canadians in Flanders—Nothing too Hard for the Boys to Attempt and Carry out

Mrs. J. Hodgkinson of Cliversdale had the following splendid letter from her son Stanley last week. It was written while he was on leave in England. Stanley's address is No. 907,358, 20th Batt'n B. E. F., Army P. O. France.

England, Feb. 7th 1918

Dear Mother:—

Received your parcel with shoepacks the day before I come over on leave. They are jake with two pairs of socks in them. Well, this is the same country raining all the time. Well I am due back in France on the 18th of this month. France is a much better climate than England, but it is not so healthy owing to so much shrapnel and shells flying around. We had an exciting time the last time I was in the line. Just about the time we were being relieved, the old boy started shelling our headquarters and then put a barrage on the Front line and a new officer got his wind up, for he thought they were coming over on us so he shoots up an S. O S. and our artillery started and pounded his front line so he thought we were coming over and started shelling his own front line so it wasn't very comfortable in his front line for a while at least. I suppose you know I was at Paschendaele. Well, it was fierce up there. We had no protection from shells or bombs or anything else, and if a man got off the trench mats which were on top he would be going down in mud yet. It was the worst battle-field I have ever seen. But we are not up there now. We are now on the Vimy front. It also has been a bad one, but is pretty quiet now. I saw in one of the papers the other day that the Canadians were very anxious for Fritz to come over on them. Well, I do not know where they get all the information as any I have ever seen are content to let well enough alone. If there is any hard nut to be cracked the Canadian Corps have to crack it. When some big Imperial general wants promotion or decoration, he gets hold of a nut, and says if he had the Canadian Corps he could crack it. That is about it. We can do the cracking and they all know it and believe me Fritz is just about as scared of us as he can be. The Canadians have made a name for themselves that they cannot lose. For proof of this statement all you have to do is to ask a German prisoner.

Well, mother, I guess this is all. I will try and get another chance to write before going back.

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Walkerton Markets

(Revised. Wednesday, March 6th)

Hay	$10.00 to	$12.00
Oats, per bsh.	90 to	90
Wheat " "	2 10 to	2 10
Butter, per lb.	38 to	40
Eggs per doz	40 to	42
Potatoes, new, bag,	1.50	1.75
Barley per bag	$1.20	1.40
Hogs per cwt	18.50 to	19.50

SERGT. GEO. KINGSBURY WRITES

Mrs. S. Saunders received the following letter from Sergt. George Kingsbury who has been on duty in England since being discharged from the Hospital since early last year:—

Canadian M. G. Depot
Seaford,
Sussex.
February, 14, 1918.

Dear Mrs. Saunders:—,

I guess by this time, you are expecting to hear from me. Have just received a letter from Jim, and tells me that you are not any too well. I do hope that by this time you are feeling yourself again. How is Mr. Saunders getting along, do hope that he is feeling as well he possibly can be. Will you will see that I am still here at Seaford and still on the same job, at the Station, but guess that before long, they will be getting after me, to go back to the "Firing Line" again. Well I should worry for have had by this time, a pretty good rest. During my stay here, have met a few of the Walkerton Boys, who belong to the 160th Battalion, and one of them was Billy Richl. Was never so surprised in my life, when he walked into my hut, he looked the same as ever. He was down here taking a Course, but has now gone back with the rest of them to where they are camped in England Well, there does not seem to be anything fresh, to write about. Of course, everyone is expecting a great offensive undertaken by the enemy, but he will be held and pay dearly. Glad to say that I am feeling pretty good in health, and anxiously longing to get back to you again. Now I will close for this time, shall be so glad to hear from you, and please remember me to all who should enquire of my welfare.

I am,
Your Friend,
George Kingsbury.

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J. H. APPEL PHONE 53

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New stock of Dress Goods just in; newest designs and shades. Harmony Sateen, newest designs, yard wide at 50c a yard.

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Some real old stock of Table Linen, quality that cannot be equalled, ranging from $1.00 to $1.20 per yard.
Get our prices on Men's Working Skirts.

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8-4 Sheeting in Bleached and Grey at 50c a yard.
Get our prices on Bleached and Grey Cottons, yard wide.

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Ladies' Cashmere and Fleeced Gloves at 60c a pair.
Ladies' White Chamoisette Gloves at $1 00 a pair.

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Roasted Rio Coffee, 25c per lb.
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ALBERT PINKERTON DEAD

Prominent Resident of Northern Village Succumbs to Attack of Pneumonia —A Good and Beloved Citizen

In the death of Mr. Albert Pinkerton, which occurred at his home at Pinkerton on Sunday morning, a central figure in the life of that community was removed. Mr. Pinkerton was postmaster, storekeeper, secretary of the Fair, treasurer of the church, and took an active interest in all public movements. He was apparently at the very height of life's activity when he was suddenly attacked by a serious illness two weeks ago. The doctors diagnosed his case as pneumonia with traces of ptomaine poisoning and his condition was very serious from the first. He soon lapsed into a delirious condition and never really gained consciousness. Mr. Pinkerton showed himself always public-spirited, even to the sacrifice of his private interests. Unassuming and rather diffident in manner, he showed a consideration and thoughtfulness for others that marks the true gentleman. His death is deeply mourned in the community. Besides his widow, a family of five boys and three daughters are left to mourn. Gordon, the eldest son is Overseas, Aileen is attending Normal College at Stratford, Marie attending High School at Walkerton, the others being at home. The funeral which was held on Tuesday afternoon to Douglas Hill Cemetery, was very large, friends coming from many miles in all directions. Service was conducted by Rev. R. M. Gale, pastor of Pinkerton Presbyterian Church.

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Town Milk Test

Chief Ferguson had a test made this week of the milk taken from the two waggons of the Dippel Dairy which supplies most of the town with milk. The test required by the town is 3. The result of the test is as follows:—No 1 rig, bottle 3.2, can 3.2; No. 2 rig can 2.9, bottle exploded during test, no report.

Hurt By Bursting Wheel

Mr. Emil Dietsche had his right elbow badly injured, when a power emery wheel, which he was operating in his blacksmith shop burst last Tuesday afternoon. He was fixing the bolt when the accident occurred. The injured arm was so badly bruised that it swelled to double its size. He will be laid off work for some time.

Lost Little Son.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Schwalm, who have been preparing to leave West Toronto to return to Walkerton after several years absence, sustained a very sad loss on Sunday morning in the death of their fyoungest son, George. He was a bright little fellow of two years and three months. Deep sympathy for the parents is felt by their old friends here.

The All-Local Paper.

Mr. Andrew Woelfle of Paisley writes :—Wish you all success in making the Telescope an all-Walkerton paper.

Found.

A pair of gold rimmed spectacles on Victoria St. Finder can have same by calling at Telescope, proving peoperty, and paying for this advt

Gets Farm Tractors.

The Agricultural Dept. has succeeded in getting four farm tractors for the use of the farmers of this County. Eight was the number asked for.

Is Some Better

The condition of Mr. Peter McCannell, who has been very low with peretonitis, has shown some improvement the last two days, although still critical.

New Agric. Assistant.

Mr. N. C. McKay has a new assistant at the Agricultural Office, Mr. W Bryden, who comes here from Paris, where he was assistant for some time. Mr. Bryden is a B. S. A. of the class of 1916.

Goes With 107th.

Sergt. Walt Eidt of the 160th. who reverted to the ranks in order to get to France, has been permitted to cross the channel with the 107th. Batt'n, retaining the rank of Corporal.

Commercial Lighting Lower

This month's electric light bills show a reduction in the commercial rate for offices and stores. The old rate was 10c per k. w. h. with discount. The new rate is 10c. for the first 15 K. W H. and 5 cents for each subsequent K. W. H.

Passenger Train Stalled

The C. P. R. noon train was stalled just outside of town near Alex. Stroder's farm on Thursday when the engine threw a side-rod causing one pair of driving-wheels to leave the rails. A carriage was sent out and brought the passengers in to town. It was ten o'clock at night before the train pulled up at the station.

Old Land-mark Removed

In the removal of Mr. R. H. McKay's old fanning mill works which was torn down last week, another of Walkerton's old land-marks has been removed. Looking back a few years to its owner's vigorous days, many citizens can remember the time when this building hummed with industry and was the central point from which men with teams radiated to all parts of this district, supplying the farmers of half a dozen counties with their wants in the one particular line. Ex-Mayor R. H. McKay, who was second in none in enterprise, opened up all that section of the town, disposing of it bit by bit for residential building purposes. Conditions have changed greatly since those times. The countryside, now networked with railways, depends for its supplies of this kind on the larger centres and long-distance teaming is a thing of the past.

NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Sap is running.

Renewed your subscription?

Read every page for local news.

Auto Tires and Tubes at S. W. Vogan's.

Lowe Bros. Paints. The best at S. W. Vogan's.

New styles in women's fine shoes at Ramsey's Shoe store.

For the best farm shoes go to Ramsey's Shoe store.

Will some reader kindly favour us with a Telescope of Feb. 14th.

Mrs. Joe Wallace spent a few days with friends at Listowel this week.

Mrs. S. D Croft, of Stratford, spent the past week visiting friends here.

Cushunette shoes need no breaking in sold at Ramsey's shoe store.

Rubber boots, a full stock of the best quality at Ramseys shoe store.

Mr. R. E. Truax M. P. left on Monday to attend the Parliamentary session at Ottawa.

Freight and passenger rates on Canadian railroads advanced 15 per cent on Monday.

Miss Minnie Kerney of Kitchener was here attending the funeral of her aunt, Mrs. Wm. Etsell.

On the bargain table women's $4.50 and $5.00 Shoe clearing at $3.95.—Ramsey the shoeman.

Don't miss the opening chapters of "Seventeen," our new story, in this week's Telescope.

Rev. Thomas Wilson, pastor of Knox Church, and Rev. R. M. Gale of Pinkerton will exchange work next Sunday.

Mr. D. McKerrachor entertained the choir of Knox church at the Soldiers' Aid Tea Room on Thursday evening last.

Miss Olive Heughan of Toronto visited her father, Mr. R E. Heughan, who is a patient at the County Hospital, over Sunday.

Mr. Arthur Reid of Pinkerton who sold his farm to Mr. J. Hodgkinson, has bought a 200 farm near Fergus, for about $12,000.

Mr. and Mrs. Stan Sanderson and family of Chesley spent Sunday with Mr. Sanderson's parents, Rev. and Mrs J. W. Sanderson.

Mrs. Frank Rennie was in London this week visiting her daughter, Nursing Sister Lizzie Rennie, who left London yesterday for Overseas.

The ladies of the public school staff were the guests of Prin. Willoughby at the baked-bean supper at the Soldiers' Aid Tea Rooms last Wednesday.

Miss Jean Miller has returned from a visit to friends at Chepstow. She has not yet recovered from the effect of a bad fall on the ice last month.

Mr. George Glendening was taken with a weak spell on the street in front of his house on Saturday morning and was carried in in a helpless condition. He has since fully recovered.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Zettler of Cargill and his two nephews, Frank and Leo Zettler of Chepstow, are leaving for Alaask, Sask., on Monday. Mr. Zettler intends buying a farm.

Spring Assizes next Monday.

Renewed your Subscription?

Clover and Timothy Seeds at S. W. Vogan's.

It's a great pity some animals can't talk and some men can.

Opening display at "The Elite," Friday and Saturday, March 22 and 23.

Mrs L. H. McNamara and daughter Hilda are spending the week at Mount Forest.

Judge Greig, sitting as Appeal judge, heard six military service cases on Tuesday.

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Mrs. Cargill of Paisley spent a few days this week with her aunt, Mrs. Thos. Cunningham.

Fire did $2000 damage to the McConnel Bdg. and Bailey Block at Harriston early Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Greeg of Clare mont are visiting Messrs Amos Hoover, Robt. Richardson, and Mrs. David Morgan.

County Supt. D. J. Izzard and the members of the County Council Roads Committee held a meeting here on Tuesday.

Mrs. M. J. Ramsey, who has been suffering from nervous trouble, was taken to the Bruce County Hospital the past week.

Miss Gertie Followsky, a former Walkerton young lady is expected here from Kitchener to spend the week-end with friends in town.

Milt. McCarter of the 160th. writes that he is still at Seaford taking an instruction course, and is at present quarantined for Diphtheria.

Mrs. James McCarter of Brant underwent a serious operation at the Bruce County Hospital on Saturday. She is now reported to be doing nicely.

The Baptist and Christian Mission Band are holding their Easter meeting on Monday, March, 25, at 8 o'clock. Short program. Silver Collection.

Mr. Rodger Clancy the well-known cattleman of Chepstow, has rented Mr. Lockhart's house near the Methodist church and moved to town last week.

Mrs. George Watt and little five year old daughter of Ottawa spent a few days this week with her husband's mother, Mrs. James Watt, Victoria Street.

Norman Shaw who was operated upon for appendicitis at the County Hospital on the 9th. inst. is making good progress and expects to return home next Saturday.

The 8th Battalion of Winnipeg which Capt. Roy Whitehead and 200 men of the 160th are reported to have joined, is the Battalion to which the late Lieut Geo. Rock, son of Rev. G. C. Rock belonged. It has a proud record as a fighting unit, being known as The Little Black Devils.

Housemaid Wanted.

Housemaid wanted. Apply at the Bruce County Hospital.

Lost.

Pair of men's lined mocha gloves a couple of weeks ago. Will finder please leave at Telescope.

For Sale

Brick house, 12 rooms, good garden, fine view, centrally located. Apply Walkerton Telescope.

Sixteenth Anniversary

Sixteen years ago yesterday, Rev. Thomas Wilson was inducted as pastor of Knox Church, Walkerton.

Two Train Service Again

It is reported to-day, although the G. T. R. office has received no word, that the night and morning train will go back on the schedule next Thursday.

Auto Tires

For Ford and Chevrolet tires, tubes and auto accessories, try Sandy McCarter.

Lost

Lady's fur-lined glove with wrist strap. Will finder kindly leave at G. T. Rourke's store.

For P. S. Trustee

Nominations for Public School trustee, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Trustee F. J. Fraser, takes place to-day. We understand Mr. George F. Schwindt will be a candidate.

Bill Weidner Weds.

Sapper Wm. E. Weidner, a former Walkerton boy who has been on special duty at London since returning from Overseas, was married on Feb. 19th at London to Miss Daisy Neve of that city.

Wins Military Medal.

Letters received here this week state that Gunner Pat Stevenson, formerly of the Bank of Commerce Staff here has been awarded the Military Medal for bravery under fire. His home is at Seaforth.

Dynamiting The Ice

The past two days' thaw is taking away the snow rapidly. The river has risen to flood height and unless there is a change in temperature, the flood will be the worst in years. On Tuesday night the ice broke below Truax's dam but got jammed around the C. P. R. bridge. In an effort to get the jam cleared before the ice would break above the dam the Firemen fired several charges of dynamite but didn't accomplish anything the ice being possibly too soft.

Ice Broke Water Main

The ice broke the watermain under the East end bridge Tuesday night, let the water out of the reservoir and left the East Ward without town water. It will be impossible to fix the main until the river gets low in summer but the Waterworks Committee overcame the difficulty by a temporary arrangement. The four inch main was plugged at both sides of river and a two inch pipe will be run temporarily across the bridge which will supply the needs of the East warders until the regular main can be replaced.

Spring Assizes

Only one case is on the docket for the Spring Assizes which opens here Monday before Mr. Justice Lennox. This is Robinson v. Robinson, a Bruce Tp. suit, brought to determine the ownership of goods seized by the Sheriff, the wife claiming that goods seized on behalf of the husband's creditors are her property. This was entered as a jury case but Barrister Otto E. Klein withdrew his notice for a jury not wishing to put the County to the expense of bringing a jury here for one case. A big saving is thus effected as it would have been necessary for the jury to come here Saturday and remain until Tuesday.

Sign Up Boys!

Boys, who are anxious to "do their bit," for their Country but are too young to enlist, will have an opportunity to do an important work this summer as "Soldiers of the Soil". It is estimated that 20,000 of the youths of Canada will have a part in the harvest the coming summer and their help will be an important factor in production. The enrolling of the "Soldiers of the Soil" throughout Canada takes place the coming week and all the Walkerton boys who intend to "do their bit" should hand in their names at once to Mr. N. C. McKay at the Department of Agriculture.

Death of Mrs. Butler

The death occurred at Waterloo, last Thursday, March 14th, of Emelie Montague, wife of Mr. W. E. Butler, formerly manager of the Merchants Bank, Walkerton. Mrs. Butler had been poorly for a number of years. The deceased was a sister of the late W. A. McLean, Master-in-Chancery and a sister of Mrs. H. P. O'Connor. She lived for many years in Walkerton both before and after marriage. Her husband entered the bank here as a junior clerk and became accountant. Years later he retired as manager. Lately they have lived retired at Waterloo. Besides her husband, one son, Capt. Lee Butler, on active service, and two daughters. Misses Keeth and Isabel survive. The remains were brought to Walkerton for interment on Saturday, arriving on the noon G. T. R. train. In the absence of Rev. R. Perdue, who is taking medical treatment at Toronto, the funeral service was conducted by Rev. Mr. Shaw, of Hanover. The following old friends acted as pall-bearers:—Messrs Chas. Fox, W. M. Shaw, T. E. Attwood, C. H. Rogers, H. McCrum, D. Robertson, J. A. Rowland.

CORP. CUNNINGHAM'S FATE

Was Instantly Killed While Directing Fire of His Gun Against Enemy Lines—His Officer and Chums Praise His Work Highly

Corp. Chester Cunningham was killed instantly while superintending the working of his trench mortar during a barage concentrated on the German lines. Two others were killed with him. Letters received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cunningham, from his commanding officer and from two of his chums speak in highest praise of the gallant young Walkertonian as a soldier and as a man. Corp. Ed. Eidt, D. C. M., who has been with Chester for three years, ever since the boys enlisted with the Tobermory Wireless Guard, sent Chester's mother a thoughtful and comforting letter, which gives full information. The letter, which was received here Tuesday reads:—

Just a line to extend to you our sympathy on behalf of the boys of the battery. Chester's death will be a sad loss for you folks at home, as it was for us here, and you have our deepest and most sincere sympathy. The battery has lost one of the best Corporals it has ever had. He always went cheerfully about his duties whether in the trenches or out, and his presence inspired the men with whom he worked. He has been in all the big fights, the whole length of the British line in France, Ypres, the Somme, Vimy, Hill 70 and was wounded at Passchendaele Ridge, when he was sent to a base hospital for several months. He went into the trenches shortly after coming back to France and was killed instantly on the morning of Feb. 14th while firing his trench mortar in a barage concentrated on the German lines.

His body was brought out of the line and we buried him in the Canadian cemetery. The burial services were conducted by Capt. Farrel formerly of Kincardine, Chaplain of the 44th Battalion. The bodies of Everett Truax and Leith Russel are buried in the same cemetery. Chester met his death just a year from the day that Leith was killed, on Feb. 15th, 1917. If we live to see home again we will tell you all about it.

Chester had some photos taken while on leave and they have just arrived from the photographer in London. They are very good pictures of him and I am forwarding them to you from here. If you could spare one, give one of them to my brother to keep for me, as I would like to have one as a keepsake of Ches. His personal effects, snapshots, signet ring, badges etc., have been sent to you by our paymaster. We have all found Chester a staunch comrade and friend and he has done his part in many an emergency during his eighteen months on the firing-line, and had he lived through this war, I am certain that his career in life would have been successful, just as he was a successful and efficient soldier in the Canadian Forces. Yours in sincere sympathy, Cpl. E. G. Eidt, Cpl. R. A. Oberle, W. A. Ross, Lieut.

Chester's Commanding Officer, Capt. R. W. Course writes: He was instantly killed while superintending the working of his gun during a raid. As was usual with him he was in high spirits at the prospect of straffing the Hun, and it is men of his calibre that have gained for the Canadian Corps, the name which it now holds. He was universally liked throughout, the Battery, and the sympathy of the officers, N. C. O's and men is extended to you in your great loss.

Lieut. Mel. Wilson, one of Chester's Walkerton chums, sent a nice letter of sympathy from Overseas on an early mail. In the course of the letter he said:—Chester was a good soldier, one of the best. He was a great favorite with his officers, N. C. O's and privates and any of them would have done anything in their power for "Cunny,".

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Will Farm in Sask.

Mr. Jacob Tschirhardt who returned recently from the West, has bought a good half section of land at Walpole, Sask., for his brother, Albert, who has given up his position at the Rattan Works to go farming. Mr. Jacob Tschirhardt's health has been poorly of late, and he has bought a small property at Formosa where he will live quietly for the present. He has been a successful farmer in Saskatchewan for a number years and is only waiting for returning good health to get back to ranching somewhere in Western Canada. The two brothers leave for the West in about two weeks' time. Mrs. Albert Tschirhardt and family will remain East with relatives for a few months.

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EDITORIAL COMMENT

HERE is a new municipal stunt which we will follow with interest. Guelph has a bill before the Legislature for the re-organization of the civic administration. The bill is being engineered through the House by Sam Carter M. L. A. This bill does away with the election of Mayor. Eighteen councillors are to be elected, the six highest holding office for three years, the next six for two years and the others for one year, six retiring each year. The Mayor is chosen from and by the council. This plan has much to commend itself even though it is not a new idea. Boards of Education being elected that way. But the councillors will thus get the experience without being compelled to go before the ratepayers each year, and the citizens will reap the benefits or should, of the experience thus gained in the three year term.

THE occupations of the 234 members composing the new House of Commons, according to figures compiled by W. F. O'Connor, general returning officer, are: Barristers, 78; notaries, 3; conveyancer, 1; physicians, 23; veterinaries, 2; dentist, 1; farmers, 39; rancher, 1; publishers and journalists, 11; educationists, 2; manufacturers, 23; lumber operators, 7; contractors, 2; merchants, 22; brokers and agents, 17; plumber, 1; railway conductor, 1; land surveyor, 1; military officers, 4. In addition to the four members who are designated as officers and soldiers, there will be about a dozen others in the House who have served in the war.

SOME time ago Sam Carter of Guelph a member of the Ontario legislature, made the proposal that on account of the war and as an example to the people, that the members take only $1000 of their sessional indemnity and leave the other $400 to the province. The suggestion was so unpopular that he couldn't get a seconder.

Culross Tp. Council

Town Hall, Teeswater, Mar. 11th.

Town Council met on above date, members all present. The Reeve in the chair.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted.

Armstrong—Thompson—That Thos. Roswell be refunded $1.87 charged for Statute labor as the labor was performed.—Carried.

McPherson—Weffer—As Anthony Schnurr has asked to have the license for a Pool table renewed that the same be granted at $23.00—Carried.

Thompson—Weffer—That John S Armstrong and the mover be a Committee to arrange for the Township printing for the present year.—Carried.

Armstrong—Thompson—That Joseph Murray be appointed to operate the Grader at $2.50 per day. And to make any cement tile required at the following prices 24 in. $2.90 15 in. $1.50 10 in. 90c. He is to secure teams for Grader and not to use more than two teams except where necessary. The pay for man and team $4.50 for 10 hours.—Carried.

Armstrong—Weffer—That the Reeve communicate with the different Bridge Co's and get estimates as to the cost of a Steel Bridge at lot 28 Con. 8 and Jas. Thompson to get prices for a Wooden Bridge with Cement abutments in either cases. They to report at next meeting of Council.—Carried.

FINANCE

Thos. Roswell, overcharge Statute Labor	$ 1 87
C. Hetherington, rep sinkhole	5 00
Arch. Kirkland work on County road	3 75
Thos. Elliot 90 yds. gravel and road	10 00
Grader repairs	12 10
Jos. Stroeder work on survey	10.00
J. F. Waechter work on survey	21 25
John Grenache Bal. of salary	6 70
Printing	36 25
Chas. Dickenson work on road	6 00
Thos. Millen work for County road	8 75

The Finance report was read and adopted and orders issued for payment of the accounts. The Council then adjourned to meet again on April 8th. or at the call of the Reeve.

C. Button,
Clerk.

MEMORIAL SERVICE

Was Held at the Methodist Church on Sunday for Two Walkerton Heroes who Made the Supreme Sacrifice in Flanders

The memory of two of Walkerton's gallant sons, Sergt. Wm. Wolfe and Corp. Chester Cunningham, who gave their lives for King and Country, was fittingly honored at the Methodist Church on Sunday morning.

The front of the auditorium was draped in Royal purple and white, and there was a profusion of beautiful flowers. The building was filled by a congregation which represented all denominations of the town.

Rev. C. W. Cosens took for his text II Cor. 15: 26—The last enemy that shall be destroyed is death. In an eloquent and thoughtful discourse he outlined Christianity's Mission in the world referring to the emancipation of womanhood, then coming on down through the centuries, the freeing of the slave, the destruction of liquor traffic, and struggle for the overthrow of military oppression. Then he dwelt on the Victory of Christ over death and the Victory that comes to every Christian. The speaker paid a tribute to the noble boys who have offered their lives a sacrifice on the altar of liberty and justice. He regretted that he had not known the young men for whom the Memorial Service was held, they having gone to the Front before his time. He called upon Rev. J. W. Sanderson, who knew one of the boys intimately. Rev. Mr. Sanderson said he had known the Cunningham family since 1884 and knew Chester as a clean, honest, truthful, upright boy. He spoke of his willingness to take his part in Church work as a Christian young man. Chester made his decision to go to the Front not rashly but by deliberate determination to do his duty as a citizen for his God and Country. He had placed duty above everything else. We heard of him as being wounded, then later of his being buried by a shell, then of his being disabled, then of his few days' leave in England, and then of his going back to duty and to his death. In conclusion he pointed out the comfort of the Christian's hope and the example of noble sacrifice. The young hero would still live on in the lives of those to whom he was near and dear.

The musical program, in charge of Miss Flossie Cosens, was an impressive part of the service. This included a quartett, "Under the Flag", by Messrs Hehn, Glebe, Rats, and Tovell, a solo by Miss Seller, "He wipes the Tear from Every Eye;" Anthem, "One Sweetly Solemn Thought"; Anthem, "Brave Hearts Lie Still", in which solo parts were taken by Mrs. Skelton and Miss Dippel. A reading, "To Those Who Have lost", was splendidly given by Miss Ruth Garner. The service concluded with the singing of "God Save Our Men; God Save Our King", followed by the playing of the Dead March in Saul, the congregation standing.

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WALKERTON CONTRIBUTORS

March 13th, 1918.

Editor Telescope,
Walkerton, Ont.

Dear Sir,—

The Treasurer of the Muskoka Free Hospital for Consumptives desires gratefully to acknowledge the following contributions received in Walkerton by the Field Secretary of the National Sanitarium Association:—

Stephen Bros. $2.00, Dr W. B. Halladay 2.00, L. A. Eedy 2.00, R. M. Player 2.00, Mr. and Mrs. Harrows 5.00, R. E. Truax 1.00 Miss M. C McGregor 1.00 Miss M. Cummer 1.00 L. C. Benton 1.00 N. Robertson 1.00 Thos. Dixon 2.00 Rev. Father Cummings 1.00 Rev. G. W Cosens 1.00 W. G. Searle 1.00 H. L. Willoughby 1.00 G. T. Rourke 1.00 John Erdman 1.00 W. H. McBurney 1.00 C. H. Rogers 1.00 S. W. Vogan 1.00 John Appel 1.00 Wingefelder & Krueger 1.00 A. Collins $3.00 H. M. Lay 2.00 A. Eberle 2.00 D. Robertson 2.00 Pletsch Bros 1.00 J. Morgan 1.00 A.D. Lamont 1.00 Rev. J. W. Sanderson 1.00 W. Wesley & Son 1.00 Judge A. M. Gregg 1.00 Dr. R. E. Clapp 1.00 Rev. Thos. Wilson 1.00 C. A. McLeod 1.00 A. P. Sieveright 1.00 W. R. Paterson 1.00 H. G. Hunter 1.00 C. A. Fox 1.00 C. Reichenbach 1.00 Alex. McCarter 1.00 Jas. Whitehead 1.00 H. A. Havill total $57.00 — Geo. A. Reed Secretary — Treasurer.

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Who is the greatest woman in all history? One hundred and fifty school teachers recently answered the question, and with enthusiasm and unanimity the judges awarded the prize to the one who made this reply: "The wife of a farmer of moderate means who does her own cooking, washing, ironing, sewing, brings up a family of boys and girls to be useful members of society and has time for intellectual improvement

Town and District

Read every page for local news.

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Many farmers throughout Minto tp. and the townships adjourning, who have pits of potatoes, turnips or other roots, say that the frost has penetrated into their pits and destroyed from half to two thirds of their roots. One farmer in Minto alone estimates his loss to be $300.—Harriston Review.

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The birth of a little child reveals God, the helplessness of a little child proves Providence; the innocence of a little child illustrates heaven; the death of a little child implies immortality. Surely no little one sees into an earthly home, even but for a day, and bequeathing these beautiful and sublime lessons, can be thought to have come and gone in vain.—Catholic Record.

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An exchange says that alcohol will remove grass stains from summer clothing. The exchange is right. It will also remove summer clothes, and also spring and winter clothes, not only from the man who drinks it, but also from his wife and children. It will remove household furniture from the house and estables from the pantry; the smile from the face of his wife, and the happiness from his home. As a remover of things alcohol has few equals.

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Chatham has a hen which is setting a record in egg laying. Since the first of the year she has never missed laying at least one egg. Her record is three eggs in six hours. An expert poultry man was there trying to purchase the hen, and when he could not, he paid thirty dollars for six eggs. An effort is being made to find a good sale for this hen as she has beaten records of the best layers at the Ontario Agricultural College.—J. W. Ingram is the owner of this Black Minorca.

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Why He Appealed For Exemption

A St. Louis man has applied for exemption on the ground that he is a newly-married man and he quotes from Deuteronomy as follows:—"When a man hath taken a new wife he shall not go out to war, neither shall he be charged with any business; but he shall be free at home for one year and cheer up his wife which he hath taken." This is said to be the first time a quotation of this kind from the old Hebraic law has been so cited.

NEWS TOPICS OF WEEK

Important Events Which Have Occurred During the Week.

The Busy World's Happenings Carefully Compiled and Put Into Handy and Attractive Shape for the Readers of Our Paper — A Solid Hour's Enjoyment.

TUESDAY.

Toronto City Council refused to increase civic car fares.

The authoress of "Keep the Home Fires Burning" is dead.

Export of scrap iron from Canada has been prohibited entirely.

Enemy efforts to cross the Piave River were checked by the Italians.

Premier Lloyd George defended the appointment of newspaper owners to the Government.

The Provincial Government is asking for wide powers in connection with an investigation of the fuel situation.

Three hundred men volunteered as farm workers at last night's meeting of the British Imperial Association, Toronto.

The Ontario Government Department of Agriculture is urging the production of ten million bushels of spring wheat.

Drastic changes in the marriage act are proposed in a bill introduced in the Legislature by Dr. Forbes Godfrey, M.P.P.

Capt. William Redmond will contest the Waterford seat in the British Commons made vacant by the death of his father, John Redmond.

Some twenty thousand soldiers discharged as medically or physically unfit for further service are to be brought back to Canada this spring.

The Government has arranged with the Dominion Iron & Steel Co. of Nova Scotia to devote practically its entire plant till June to the rolling of rails for Canadian railways.

Ontario has set the aim of increasing its acreage of cereals and other cultivated crops by 1,000,000 acres, Quebec by 500,000, and the three Maritime Provinces by 400,000 acres.

Eight thousand five hundred pounds of chicken, held in cold storage at Winnipeg by the Wm. Davies Co. since October, 1916, was last week destroyed as unfit for human food.

WEDNESDAY.

The situation in the Far East was reported to be acute.

Five million dollars was voted for Northern Ontario development.

The safe arrival in England of a number of troops from Canada is announced.

An American steamer successfully warded off an attack by a German submarine.

The inquiry into the treatment of returning soldiers on shipboard will be conducted in private.

The Hydro-electric Association of Ontario will oppose the granting of a charter to the C.N.R. radial.

Applications of war veterans for Western lands are likely to cause a problem in meeting all requirements.

Sir William Hearst adjourned the evening session of the Legislature abruptly on account of Mr. Hartley Dewart's action.

The British Columbia Government has decided to open the Pacific Great Eastern Railway line at the earliest possible moment.

Former Premier Asquith spoke in the British Commons on the Premier's statement regarding the appointment of newspaper owners.

Wm. Andrews, one of the pioneer builders of wooden ships on the Welland Canal and at Collingwood, died at his home in Collingwood, aged 77.

Transportation interests and Harbor Commissioners conferred with the Government on plans to increase the transportation facilities this summer.

A new German war loan of 15,000,000,000 marks will be issued soon, an Exchange Telegraph despatch from Copenhagen says. The German war debt now amounts to 109,000,000,000 marks.

The Federal Government is arranging for cars, especially a large number of colonist sleepers and a large number of coal cars, and for locomotives, as well as for 100,000 tons of rails, to the extent of forty million dollars' worth this year.

THURSDAY.

The Soviet Congress at Moscow was postponed for a day.

Three Zeppelins took part in the last German raid over England.

Upkeep of Government House for last year amounted to $28,000.

The gallantry of the crew of the U. S. destroyer Parker was praised in the British Commons.

Amendments were introduced into the Ontario Temperance Act to support recent Dominion measure.

Mr. John K. Macdonald, an elder, has been nominated as moderator of the Presbyterian General Assembly.

The commission investigating pilotage conditions at Halifax has reported, making important recommendations.

Lt.-Col. W. McKeown was appointed to command a Canadian hospital in England, to succeed Col. C. F. Wylde.

One hundred and ten recruits arrived in Toronto from the British-Canadian Recruiting Missions in the United States.

An arrangement has been reached, settling long-standing fisheries questions in dispute between Canada and the United States.

Settlers in Northern Ontario must conform to provincial regulations with regard to the English language as well as the Military Service Act.

John H. Matthewman, of Appleby, Halton county, a keen temperance advocate, died on the farm where he was born in 1842 and had lived all his life.

The two Ontario vacancies in the Senate have been filled by the appointment of John Webster, ex-M.P., of Brockville, and Robert A. Mulholland, for five years mayor of Port Hope.

FRIDAY.

Gen. Dunbaine, commandant of the part of Vladivostok, has committed suicide, says a Reuter despatch from Petrograd.

The death of the noted Julius Caesar Cui, has occurred at Petrograd. He was born at Wilna, and was of French descent, his father having been one of Napoleon's officers left behind wounded after the great retreat from Moscow.

Heavy rains during last week started the Thames on a rampage. The current is very large quantities of ice are carried down. The ice near Thamesford of the river is reported to be solid, and residents of Chatham fear a jam.

So successful was the launching of the world's largest reinforced concrete ship that her builders declared they immediately would begin construction of 54 similar ships, and expected that would be completed within eighteen months.

The City of Quebec has decided to float a loan for the sum of $ for which public bonds will be issued at par for terms of five years, bearing interest at six per cent. It is expected that at least his amount will be subscribed by citizens of Quebec.

The statement, issued by the British War Office on Tuesday says that Turkish troops have entered Persia and are extinguishing fires over the Armenians. Erzerum, the capital city of Turkish Armenia, lies southeast of Trebizond and is 90 miles southeast of Russians until the cessation of Turkish Armenia.

The appeal of Bolo Pasha from sentence of death imposed by court-martial for treason was rejected by the Court of Revision, which confirmed the original judgment. The action was taken by the court in the case of Darius Porchere, who was tried with Bolo Pasha, and sentenced to three years' imprisonment.

Prince Lvoff, former Premier of Russia, has been arrested by the Commander of the northern front. It is reported from Irkutsk on March 7 that he had set up a new Russian government in the Far East and is awaiting the landing of Japanese troops at Vladivostok in order to enter Siberian territory with them.

The Provincial Government are now operating with the Dominion Department of Agriculture and the Finance Department on plans whereby it is hoped that a complete inventory of all industries will be made available for whatever action the Department of Finance may be disposed to take in the matter of taxation.

SATURDAY.

Sir George Alexander, the British actor-manager, died in London.

A civic welcome is planned in Toronto for First Contingent men home on leave.

Fierce battles have occurred in Turkestan between the Bolsheviki and the natives.

The export of newsprint paper and mechanical wood pulp is prohibited by order in Council.

The German and Austrian press are angry over the allied shipping agreement with Holland.

The entire staff of public and high school teachers in St. Thomas threaten to resign unless given an increase in salary of at least $200 per annum.

Four dental students' exemptions were cancelled by Judge Coatsworth's tribunal, in Toronto, for failing to meet the Dental College drill requirements.

W. P. McEwen, Court Clerk and Registrar at Perth and formerly editor of the Almonte Gazette, died at his home of pneumonia in his 58th year.

A bill to ratify the gift by the city of three airplanes to the Imperial Government was carried by the Legislature, despite the protests of two Toronto members.

The speed of steamers entering or leaving Halifax harbor has been fixed at not more than six knots an hour by order in Council, Government steamers excepted.

A son was born to Lady Haig, wife of Field Marshal Sir Douglas Haig. Gen. Haig was married in 1905 to the Hon. Dorothy Vivian, daughter of the third Lord Vivian. They have one daughter who was born several years ago.

Hon. J. B. Lucas informed the legal department of Toronto of the proposal to give York County general rights of appeal with regard to the expropriation of the section of the Metropolitan Railway within the city limits.

MONDAY.

The Newfoundland regiment was honored by King George.

A Paris paper urged that the German air raiders' bases be attacked.

The Ontario Legislature will likely be prorogued on Tuesday of next week.

H. J. Smith, an authority on sphagnum moss, was killed in British Columbia.

Forty tractors have been ordered by Ontario farmers from the Provincial Government.

Canada has been granted delay in the conferring of the new Order of the British Empire.

A man of about seventy, giving his name as Albert Haight, died at Brampton on Saturday.

Eight members-elect cannot take their seats in Parliament owing to protests filed against them.

Millers must not require customers desiring to purchase feed to buy also flour when not needing it.

A tremendous increase in exports of produce in February as compared with February, 1917, is reported.

A large steel plant is to be established by New York capitalists on the north arm of the Fraser River, B.C.

Some fifty members of Parliament took the oath on Saturday, preparing for the opening of the session to-day.

An impressive memorial service was held in St. Michael's Cathedral, Toronto, in honor of the late John Redmond.

Steps have been taken by the Opposition leader in New Brunswick, Hon. J. A. Murray, in the direction of woman franchise.

Western Ontario farmers are indifferent over the passage of the National Gas Act by the Legislature, and what its amendment.

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NEWSY HAPPENINGS IN BRUCE

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Carlton Place has bought 20 acres of bush expects to get 900 cords of hardwood for its citizens.

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Mr. H. H. Stevens of Port Elgin who has returned from a business trip to the Pacific Coast and California, says that general business conditions throughout the West are very good.

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A well-known farmer was summoned before Magistrate Mackenzie last week for driving over Huron Terrace street bridge faster than a walk. Remember the law is going to be enforced.—Kincardine Reporter.

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Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Craig and family have returned home from their three months' stay at a winter resort in Florida. Mr. Craig, we are pleased to report, has been very much benefited in health by the rest and change. He has gained twenty pounds in weight.—Paisley Advocate.

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Mr. George Willoughby, a Port Elgin boy, has been elected to the Presidency of the Nyal Drug Co. of Detroit, Mich. This is a concern doing two million dollars worth of business a year with branches at New York, Kansas City and San Francisco, Mr. Willoughby is only 30 years of age.

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There have been many ways by which women have responded to their names at the roll call of various societies but the latest is from Tara. There the members of the Women's Institute asked a conundrum as they responded to their names. What a time the local 'conundrumist' would have had there.

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The West still demands horses from Ontario. On Tuesday a carload was shipped from here by Mr. Geo. Craig, and two carloads by Irwin Bros., of Walkerton. We hear that some of the farmers who disposed of all their horses to the buyers are having difficulty in obtaining teams for their Spring work. With the attractive prices for wheat the western farmers are apparently determined to produce as much as they can this year, and require extra horse power to carry on the work.—Paisley Advocate.

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Port Elgin Times: A number of citizens of Port Elgin are receiving letters from the Registrar at London, in which they are asked to give information concerning a number of men who are seeking exemption. Is this the proper course to take to secure information? The local tribunal has investigated and passed upon these cases, and it would seem an evidence of weakness on the part of the authorities when they expect that letters sent out in hit-and-miss style will result in a fair and unbiased opinion. Should a man be sent to war or kept from war on the casual opinion gleaned from a few persons?

Mrs. H. P. O'Connor of Toronto is staying with Mr. W. E. Butler and daughters at Waterloo.

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Three Southampton youths charged with stealing lead from the Dom Fish Co. were summoned to appear at Police Court. Two of them lit out and the one who stayed paid a fine of $5. and costs.

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We hear a great deal about the tired business man, but you haven't heard much about how tired the front street men of Port Elgin are. Every day it's a collector or canvasser for something. It's a wonder that some of the organizations, which send men here to canvass for charitable institutions, don't revise their lists and give the shopkeepers a rest.—Port Elgin Times.

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Ptes Norman McLeod and Ross Woods, two veterans from France, who have been maimed by wounds so that they are incapacitated for further service, arrived home on Thursday last. Pte. McLeod had his right arm shot off by shrapnel, also sustained wounds in neck and side. There is sufficient stump left at the shoulder to attach an artificial limb, but he must undergo an operation before that can be done. Pte Woods suffered severe wounds in the left leg, and his ankle is stiff. Both men feel the effects of their terrible experience upon their nervous system, but are in good heart, and glad to get back to Canada alive.—Paisley Advocate.

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Teeswater Gets Busy

Teeswater village council has bought 50 acres of bush in order to combat the fuel scarcity and will have it cut shortly and the wood supplied to citizens.

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Mail Couriers' Wages

The following letter, signed "Walkerton Rural Mail Couriers," appeared in Saturday's London Advertiser:—Seeing the splendid article you had for the city mail carriers on your editorial page in Wednesday's issue, after reading same I felt that there are others connected with the postal department also in need of some consideration in the way of a raise in salary, and that is the mail-couriers. The average man in this neighborhood doesn't get more than about $600 a year, and the way the cost of living has gone up by leaps and bounds, by feeding the necessary horse or two, according to distance, at oats $1.10 a bushel keeps the mail courier guessing where the next loaf of bread will come from. Some will say: Why did you tender so low? It is because things have changed so quick and a mail contract is for four years—that's why the mail man is in a bad way, and the best way to meet this is to put all mail contracts on the mileage system. We hope when Parliament meets some justice will be done to the mail-carriers in cities and also the mail couriers radiating from the different postoffices in Canada.

Rev. Geo. Mason of Harriston has resigned his pastorate and it is proposed to unite the two Presbyterian Churches in that town.

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Mrs. Wm. Berry of Brant received the sad news last week of the death of her sister-in-law, Mrs. David Barrons, who died in Toronto on Tesuday March 12th. She leaves three small children and a loving husband to mourn her loss. The funeral took place to the Mt. Pleasant Cemetery, Toronto.

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The death occurred at Carlsruhe on Monday of last week of Mrs. August Freiburger in her fortieth year. Death was due to Grave's disease. The late Mrs. Freiburger who was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hundt of Carlsruhe was a woman of sterling disposition and her death leaves a sad vacancy. A young family of three sons and two daughters survive. Messrs John, David and Joseph Freiburger of Walkerton were cousins.

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Keep a Hog.

The Provincial Board of Health Regulations have been relaxed to allow citizens of urban municipalities to keep a pig so long as the animal and its pen are kept in a sanitary condition. The consent of the Local Board of Health must first be secured before any one can start a piggery. In case there is a dispute between the pig owner and the local Board, a plan and all the facts connected with the case are sent to Dr. J. W. McCulloch, Provincial M. O. H. and his decision is final. But don't put your hog in the cellar as a Kitchener alderman did. Last year great strels was laid on the hen as a wealth producer and this year with the high price of pork and bacon, the watchword of the Agricultural Dept. is "keep a hog".

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Lightning Stunt

While driving home on Thursday evening, Messrs. Walter and Percy Dryden, of the Alloway Mills here, had a thrilling experience. There was an electric storm that night, and just as they were passing the farm of Mr. Weber, on the Elora road, the first vivid flash of lightning occurred. Mr. Percy Dryden, who was driving, neither saw the lightning nor knows anything of what happened immediately afterwards, as he was instantly stunned. However, the horse was thrown against a milk-stand, but regained the road and proceeded homeward to Dryden's Corners. Though still somewhat dazed, the man were quite capable when they reached home and felt no after-effects. An examination of the horse and harness next morning showed the bridle leather burned and shrivelled and the horse's hair and eyes scorched. It was not only a narrow escape but a demonstration of the peculiar stunts which lightning is capable of performing.—Harriston Review.

CANADA

Income Tax Forms

Are now available

Returns must be filed on or before 31st March

THE Dominion Income War Tax Act requires you to fill in one or more of the five special Forms provided before 31st March, 1918. In order to assist the public to understand just what is required of them, information on each Form is given below. Read carefully, then get three copies of the form that fits your case and fill them in. Answer all questions fully and accurately. For making false statements, **a penalty of $10,000 or six months' imprisonment, or both, is provided.**

Individuals.—All persons unmarried, and all widows or widowers without dependent children, whose income is $1500 a year or more, must fill in Form T1. All other persons whose income is $1000 or more, use the same Form. Where any income is derived from dividends, list amounts received from Canadian and Foreign securities separately. Fill in pages 1, 2 and 3 only. Do not mark on page 4. Partnerships, as such need not file returns, but the individuals forming the partnerships must.

Corporations and Joint Stock Companies, no matter how created or organized, shall pay the normal tax on income exceeding $3000. Use Form T2—giving particulars of income. Also attach a financial statement. Under Deductions, show in detail amounts paid to Patriotic Fund and Canadian Red Cross or other approved War Funds.

Trustees, Executors, Administrators of Estates and Assignees use Form T3. Full particulars of the distribution of income from all estates handled must be shown as well as details of amounts distributed. A separate Form must be filled in for each estate.

Employers must use Form T4 to give names and amounts of salaries, bonuses, commissions and other remuneration paid to all employees during 1917 where such remuneration amounted in the aggregate to $1000 or over.

Corporation Lists of Shareholders.—On Form T5 corporations shall give a statement of all bonuses, and dividends paid to Shareholders residing in Canada during 1917 stating to whom paid, and the amounts.

Figures in every case are to cover 1917 income—all Forms must be filed by **31st March. For neglect, a fine of $100 for each day of default may be imposed.**

In the case of Forms T1 and T2, keep one copy of the filled in Form and file the other two with the Inspector of Taxation for your District. In the case of T3, T4 and T5, keep one copy and file the other two, with the Commissioner of Taxation, Dept. of Finance, Ottawa.

Forms may be obtained from the District Inspectors of Taxation and from the Postmasters at all leading centres.

Returns must be sent on all letters and documents forwarded by mail to Inspector of Taxation.

Department of Finance, Ottawa, Canada

SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Lesson 12---First Quarter, March 24, 1918.

THE INTERNATIONAL SERIES

Lesson Text, Mark 6:32-44. Memory Verse, Mark 6:50—Golden Text, Matt. 26:28—Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

After they laid away the body of John the Baptist, and had told Jesus all that they had done and taught, our Lord said that they should come away from the crowd and rest awhile, for so many were coming and going they had no leisure even to eat (vss. 30-32). To those who long for rest He says, "I know thy works," and he also says, "Come unto me and I will give you rest" (Rev. 2:2; Matt. 11:28). Contrast those who some day will have such a glorious rest and those who will never rest day nor night (Rev. 14:11). It may be His will for some that they continue at work until absent from the body or caught up to meet Him in the air.

The two parts of to-day's lesson, feeding the multitudes and toiling in the night storm, simply and wonderfully set forth our present occupation as his followers, and present conditions till He come. The feeding of the five thousand is the only miracle recorded in each of the four gospels, the night storm is found in all but Luke. When the multitudes saw them departing across the sea, they ran afoot and outwent them, and came together unto Him. When He saw the multitudes He was moved with compassion for these shepherdless sheep, and began to teach them many things (vss. 33, 34). It was nearly passover time and Jesus had gone up into a mountain with his disciples, but the multitudes followed Him because they saw his miracles on them that were diseased; so He healed their sick as well as taught them (John 6:1-4; Matt. 14:14). In Luke 9:11 it is written that he spake unto them of the Kingdom of God and healed them that had need of healing. Always note the association of His healing with His teaching concerning the Kingdom (Matt. 4:23). As the day wore away, and the evening came, the disciples became a little concerned about the multitudes having nothing to eat, and so they asked the Lord to send them away into the villages to buy bread (vss. 35, 36). How great must have been their surprise when He said: "They need not depart, give ye them to eat" (vs. 37; Matt. 15:16).

Here we need to notice John 6:5-9, and the suggestion of Philip and Andrew; the one saying how each one might have a little if— and the other apologizing for speaking of a lad who had five barley loaves and two small fishes. The Lord's suggestion, or rather command, was simply an impossibility, as they saw it. How they failed in their knowledge of Him, and seemed not to recognize in Him the One Who had fed all Israel for forty years with bread from Heaven. Do we know Him any better now? Commanding them to bring to him the boy's loaves and fishes, and make the multitudes sit down by hundreds and fifties upon the green grass, for there was much grass in the place, he took the loaves and fishes, and, looking up to Heaven, He gave thanks and blessed them, and gave them to the disciples, and through them to the multitude. They did all eat and were filled, and twelve baskets full of fragments of the loaves and fishes were gathered, for He had said, "Gather up the fragments that remain that nothing be lost." Thus 5,000 men, besides women and children, were abundantly fed (vss. 41-44 and the other gospels).

Multitudes are perishing to-day for lack of the Bread of Life, the Living Bread from Heaven, and He is saying to all who have it, "Give ye them to eat." More than half of the people on earth have never yet had a taste of the Bread of Life, while those who have tasted and hungered for more are too often given stones instead of bread. He is saying, "Eat ye that which is good and let your soul delight itself in fatness." "Eat, O friends; drink, yea, drink abundantly, O beloved" (Isa. 55:2; Song of Solomon 5:1); but where are the disciples who are ready to receive the bread at his hands and pass it on to the hungry? He received from His Father all that He passed on to others, as he said, "I have given unto them the words which thou gavest Me" (John 17:8; 12-49, 50). Only that which we receive from Him is worth passing on, for all else is naught but the thoughts and opinions of men. His cry still is, "Whom shall I send, and who will go for us?" There is no use saying "Here am I, send me" (Isa. 6:8) unless we are willing as his servants to carry only His message (Ex. 4:12; Jer. 1:7-9; Hag. 1:13).

He sent the multitudes away in peace, but constrained His disciples, who were evidently unwilling to leave Him—to return by boat to the other side, to Bethsaida, while he departed into a mountain alone to pray (vss. 45, 46). The wind was against them, and evidently a strong wind, for they were tossed with the waves and were toiling hard at the oars, and this continued till near morning, the fourth watch, when He came to them, walking on the sea (vss. 47, 48). He saw it all, but did not come to them till the morning. How suggestive it all is of his true disciples now. He is at the right hand of the Father making intercession for us, and we are in the world's night contending with winds and waves.

The Austrian black and yellow were the colors of the holy Roman Empire.

Several of the Tibetan lakes in the Himalayan Mountains are twenty thousand feet above sea level.

NEWS ABOUT TOWN

It is expected there will be a big apple crop this year.

To make a barrel of money, spend a keg of it in advertising.

The farmers are mixing wheat with coarse grain for chop. They claim it is cheaper to feed this way than to take $2.10 for wheat.

It always has paid, it always will pay, to tell the public what one has for sale. The man who advertises gets the cream of the business.

Lady (on street car)—Conductor, that man on the back platform just fell off. Conductor—That's all right, madam. He's paid his fair.

"On the whole, the public is receiving satisfactory service from standard hotels" is the finding of the Ontario License Commissioner in their report.

Mrs. Will Lambertus of Hepworth, visited Mr. and Mrs. Lambertus on Thursday while returning from attending the funeral of the late G. A. Lambertus at Teeswater.

The Bindertwine factory has been further cleared of old stock the past week, by Thos. Watson of Boston, representing Mr. John Connor, the present owner of the plant. A good deal of the machinery has been shipped to Fergus, where it has been set up and is making rope in the factory of Beatty Bros.

The new motor headlight law of Ontario says: "It shall be unlawful to carry on any motor vehicle a lighting device of over four candle power equipped with a reflector, unless the same shall be so designed, deflected or arranged that no portion of the reflected beam of light, when measured seventy-five feet or more ahead of the lamp, shall rise above forty-two inches from the level surface on which the vehicle stands.

The Official Returns

Major John Henderson, Returning Officer for South Bruce in the Dominion Elections, received the official report on Monday from the General Returning Offier, Mr. O'Connor, as follows:—

	Truax	McNab
Civilian	3605	2824
North America	3	60
United Kingdom	8	419
Continent of Europe	12	153
	3628	3456

Will Take a Rest

Mr. David Noble, one of Brant's most successful farmers, is about to retire from active work. Mr. Noble is turning over the homestead to his son, Harry, the old Buchan farm to his son Sam, who is returning home from Hamilton, and the third farm he will put under grass. Mr. Noble has had a long and prosperous career as a farmer, has been honored on many occasions by the ratepayers of the township, has sat at County Council, and will now take a well-earned rest after a life of strenuous activity. That Mr. and Mrs. Noble will live to enjoy life and good health for very many years is the wish of their many friends in the community.

English Rink Wins

It looked as though there would be wigs in the green, when the Irishmen challenged the English to play the annual International championship on the Seventeenth of Ireland. The English captured the local championship in 1917 from the Irish who had held it for a number of years and were anxious to get it back. But the English still reign supreme at the rink. It was 13—12 in their favor when the smoke of battle rolled away on Saturday night and now the smiling sun has come along and seemingly clinched the title for the champions until next winter. The English were called upon to defend their honors without the aid of the redoubtable Corrish curler, Mr. Ed. Peogelly who was laid up with a cold. Mr. Norman Webb however filled the gap in an acceptable manner. After the first two ends the Irish were leading by four and their lead was maintained by brilliant play until the middle of the game. Their opponents then however with their backs to the wall made a stout bid for victory and succeeded in putting the game over by the close margin of a shot. As the last stone was played the game was still in doubt. Skip Collins was lying two requiring three to tie and four to win. The stone came down with the required vim to drive out the English third, with it disappeared the 4th. and 5th Irish shots which were necessary to win the game. The game was pronounced the most exciting of the season and the losers accepted the decision in the spirit of a good sportsman. Mr. John Allen's south paw is very effective. The Professor was looked upon as dangerous by the green stones. The score:—

English	Irish
N. Webb	J. M White
John Allen	A. E. McNab
E. H. Leeson	L. H. McNamara
H M. Lay	A. Collins
skip 19	skip 12

Try the Telescope for neat jobprinting.

A double wedding might properly be called a four-in-hand tie.

It looks like spring. It feels like spring—perhaps it is spring.

Don't miss the opening chapters of "Seventeen," our new story, in this week's Telescope.

That it pays to advertise is the sound conclusion of the most successful business men the world over.

The thing we can't understand is why news print should go up and writing paper remain stationary.

Some people save all their sympathy until a man is dead; then they make his grave sloppy with their tears.

Dan McAulay is Clerk, Assessor and Collector at Southampton, for which he receives a salary (or salaries) of $500.

Hanover is to have a new street lighting system under hydro. There will be 122 street lights of 160 watt capacity, 44 of which will be placed on the main street.

A bill has been introduced in the Legislature to give authority to towns and villages to pass a by-law requiring that wood be sold only by the cord of 128 cubic feet.

New Station For the Grave

G. T. R. is prospering to erect a new station at Eden Grove to replace the building which was destroyed by fire some time ago. Two cars of lumber for the new structure arrived there this week.

Will Remain Here

Mr. T. G. Cheshire who intended leaving office work to engage in farming in Keppel, has secured a man to look after his farm and will remain in his present position, much to the satisfaction of his many friends here.

Norman Webb Married

Mr. Norman Webb, formerly of the 160th, who returned recently from Overseas had a telegram yesterday morning announcing that his intended bride from England would arrive the same day. The young lady was met by her intended at the noon G. T. R. train and at 5 p. m. they were made man and wife by Rev. G. C. Rock, pastor of the Baptist and Christian Church. The happy couple will live in Mr. Webb's house in the West Ward.

A Sudden Call

Death came with shocking suddenness to Mrs. Wm. Etsell, an old and highly esteemed resident of Walkerton. She was walking down town Saturday morning when she was suddenly stricken with paralysis. A neighbor passing by summoned help and she was carried into Mr. Skelton's residence where she remained in an unconscious condition. Later in the day she was removed to her home and there she passed away that evening without regaining consciousness. Mrs. Etsell had been enjoying fairly good health, although she had sustained a slight stroke last Fall, so that her sudden taking-off was a very sad shock to the bereaved family, who have the deep sympathy of the community. Mrs. Etsell was born at Streetsville, her maiden name being Mary Ann Kerney, but practically all her life was spent in Walkerton. Her husband predeceased her twenty-one years ago. Mrs. Etsell was a kind, neighborly person who had many friends. She was a member of the Baptist Church. One son and five daughters are left to mourn. They are:—Gunner H. H. (Barney) Etsell, now in France with a battery of artillery; Mrs. James McConkey of White Rock, B. C.; Mrs. (Mayor) A. P. Johnston, Mrs. John Johnston of Brant, Mrs. Arthur Dean of Walkerton, whose husband is Overseas, and Miss Maizie at home. Martin Kerney of Walkerton, and Wm. Kerney of Dryden are brothers. The funeral was held yesterday afternoon to the Walkerton cemetery, Rev. G. C Rock, pastor of the Baptist Church, conducting the service.

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BORN

HEHN—At the County Hospital, Walkerton, on Saturday, March 16th, to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hehn, a daughter.

KUFFERSCHMIDT—In Carrick, on 3rd., to Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Kufferschmidt, a daughter.

McGUIRE—In Malcolm, on Monday March 11th to Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose McGuire, a son.

BOYLAN—At Caron Sask. to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Boylan, (Miss Emma Royce) on March 9th a son. (James Harris.

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ETSELL—In Walkerton, on Saturday, March 16th, Mary Anne, relict of the late Wm. Etsell, in her 72nd year.

PINKERTON—At Pinkerton, on Sunday, March 17th, Albert Pinkerton, aged 65 years, 11 months, 19 days.

Walkerton Heroes Whose Memory Was Honored At the Methodist Church on Sunday.



SGT. WM. WOLFE
Killed in Battle on August, 19, 1917.



CORP. CHESTER CUNNINGHAM
Killed in Action of Feb., 1918.

Wiarton town council has decided that a reading and recreation room is to be fitted up for the Boy Scouts, the cost to be met by private subscription and the town.

Making Good Recovery

Mrs. Andrew (Susie) Bauman, who underwent a serious operation at the Waterloo Co. Hospital is reported to be doing fine. A letter received Monday stated that she was able to sit up for the first time.

Will Take Trip West

Mr. James Cahoon who sold his farm on the 6th con., Brant, last week, is leaving shortly on a trip to the West. Jim hasn't had a real holiday since he came to Brant about about forty-three years ago as an infant in arms, and now as soon as his farm stock sale is over he is going to have a change of scene for a few weeks. He has no definite plans for the future yet but for family reasons will likely pass farming up for a few years.

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CARD OF THANKS

The family of the late Christopher Gateman wish to express their very sincere thanks to many neighbors and friends for their great kindness during their recent bereavement.

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Card of Thanks

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cunningham and Miss Florence wish to express their sincere thanks for the great kindness and many kind expressions of sympathy received from friends in town and country.

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SOLDIERS OF THE SOIL

High School pupils who intend to go out and help on the farm as Soldiers of the Soil are getting ready to write this week on their final examinations. Quite a few from the Walkerton High School have volunteered. The girls are not permitted to go as farmers, and are perhaps a bit envious of the male pupils. Four of the girls got together the other afternoon and composed a poem about the "Soldiers of the Soil" which is good enough to print.

Am I a soldier of the soil
A follower of the plough
And shall I fear to hitch a horse
Or shrink to milk a cow?

Shall I be carried to the mow
On thistly loads of hay
While others strive with pen and ink
Examination day?

Are there no beets for me to hoe
Shall I not use the rake?
Shall I not help defeat the foe
And fight for freedom's sake?

Sure I must work if I would eat
My country 'tis for thee
I'll bear the toil, endure the pain
For the sake of liberty

Chorus

At the farm, at the farm,
Where I first saw a cow
And the burden of my books rolled away,
There I worried not at all
For I worked in overalls
And oh! I was happy all the day.

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GREENOCK COUNCIL.

McNab's Hotel, Chepetow,
Mar. 11, 1918.

Council met as per adjournment, all the members present, the Reeve in the chair.

Minutes of last meeting, and of Special meeting were read and adopted. The following accounts were ordered paid:

J. J. Cassidy, breaking and plowing road	$ 3 00
Ivan Neilly, 13 yds. gravel to Con. 10 at 70c	9 00
Jas. Symon, cutting ice at Symon bridge	7 50
Ben Waechter, 32 yds. gravel $2.20. Road to gravel pit $2.60	7 20
Jos. Lippert, 50 yds. gravel per A. Fritz	5 00
M. M. Schurter, reports to B. of Ind. $3.00. Supplies $2.10	5 10
Wm. Rookie, bal. grading and gravelling on North St.	50 00
M. McNab, room for council	2 00

The following checks were issued for Red Cross grants:

Ema White, Sec. Kingarf Soc.	25 00
Laura Cunningham, Sec. Glamis Soc.	25 00
Mabel Nelson, Sec. Lovat Soc.	25 00
Maud McCoy, Sec. Cargill Soc.	25 00
Grace McDonald, Sec. Riversdale Soc.	50 00
Mrs. A. Pinkerton, Sec. Pinkerton Soc.	50 00
Ina Alexander, Sec. Narva Soc.	50 00

Sawyer—Gilchrist—That the Clerk draft a By-Law to regulate and enforce Statute Labour for the year 1918. Carried.

By-Law was duly drafted and read a first time.

Gilchrist—Symon—That the clerk draft a By-Law for the purpose of changing the Road Divisions as outlined by the Council, same to be passed at next meeting. Carried.

Symon—Gilchrist—That Clerk draft By-Laws to appoint Pathmasters and Poundkeepers. Carried.

By-Law No. 573 was drafted and read a first time appointing the following pathmasters:

Div. 1 T. Gamble, 2 D. McIntosh, 3 J. Denhan, 4 A. McFarlane, 5 W. Neil, 6 A. Hedley, 7 W. Hedley, 8 S. Moulton, 9 W. Armstrong, 10 J. G. Moore, 11 P. S. Campbell, 12 Alexander Cashenette, 13 Nicholas O'Hagan, 14 J. Huffman, 15 W. Petteplace, 16 J. G. Carter, 17 J. Keller, 18 J. Strader, 19 F. Zittel, 20 A. Waechter, 21 Alex. Waechter, 22 W. J. McConkey, 23 A. McKinnon, 24 A. Dietrich, 25 J. Symon, 26 W. Abbott, 27 T. O'Hagan, 28 J. Latzgus, 29 W. Kritz, 30 F. Graf, 31 A. Zettler, 32 A. Siegel, 33 W. Coumans, 34 J. Folmer, 35 A. Lippert, 36 H. Kroeplin, 37 J. Brick, 38 E Schmidt, 39 N. Brick, 40 P. Brockelbank, 41 W. D. Cargill, 42 J. Graf, 43 J. Kenny, 44 J. Meagher, 45 P. Dales, 46 A. Campbell, 47 W. Anstett, 48 A. Foreman, 49 W. Taylor, 50 R. Hetzler, 51 G. Needham, 52 H. Hettrick, 53 W. T. Stewart, 54 G. Webb, 55 G. Smith, 56 J. Metcalf, 57 H. G. Clark, 58 A. Bain, 59 H. Scott, 60 W. Johnston, 61 W. J. Ross, 62 R. Teeple, 63 H. Lyon, 64 A. Watson, 65 W. Megraw, 66 S. Pollock.

By-Law 574 was drafted and read a first time appointing poundkeepers as follows: Peter Valad Sr., Jacob Koller, H. Hehe, John Graff, A. E. Knox, W. T. Stewart., Chas. Webb, D. Lamb, R. Acton, S. Pollock, A. Kicktown Jr., and O. Russell.

By-Laws duly read a second and third time and finally passed.

The resignation of Dr. Bricker as M. O. of Health was read and accepted.

Communication from R. Vanstone, barrister, re damages sustained by Jas. Collison through water backed on his property by roadway.

This was ordered to be filed.

Symon—Gilchrist—That this Council do now adjourn to meet at Pinkerton on Monday, April 15th, for general business. Carried.

THOS. H. PERDY,
Clerk

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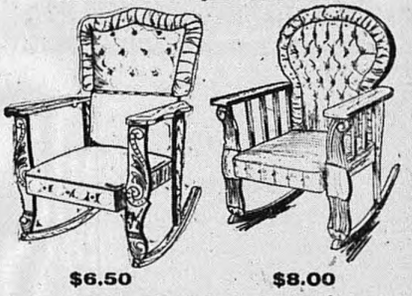
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(Revised. Wednesday, March 20th)

Hay	$10.00 to	$12.00
Oats, per bsh.	90 to	90
Wheat " "	2.10 to	2.10
Butter, per lb.	38 to	40
Eggs, per doz	40 to	42
Potatoes, new, bag.	1.50	1.75
Barley per bus	1.40	1.40
Hogs, per cwt.	18.50 to	19.50

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EIGHBORING VILLAGES & COUNTRYSIDE

ews of the Week Collected by a Staff of Live Correspondents

EDEN GROVE

esidents of Eden Grove were ly shocked and grieved to hear death last Sunday morning of Pinkerton. The deceased was ly respected and widely honor- . Our sincere sympathy is ex- to his family in their great loss.

Miss Clara McKinley of Camlachie has been engaged as teacher in our school. It is to be hoped that the parents will unite in sympathy with the teacher in every possible manner that her success may be assured,

We greatly regret the departure of Mr. Reid, our present school mam. Though only here for a short time he proved himself a capable teacher and endeared himself to a host of friends (including one at Paisley?)

Of those last week that came some distance to deal at Mac Scotts store, was A. L. Belbeck of Prince Albert Sask. A. L. who has been keeping a grocery in the latter town is staying with his wife, two children, and four crate of fowl at his father-in-law's, W. Atkinson. As he has sold out his store in the West, it is to be hoped that may be some chance of his settling near or in the Grove.

Rob. Bailey without whose consent no man may enter the sacred portals of the senate left on Friday last for Ottawa. He has been working at the Guelph Shell Works for some time but managed to visit old friends at the Grove for a day or two prior to leaving for his arduous duties at Ottawa.

I walked over to one of our suburbs called Cargill, last Saturday, and had a most amusing experience. I had just entered Hunstein & Wittich's store when I felt something small but sharp under my feet. Stooping down, I picked it up. It was very tiny but bright and sharp. Rather pretty too, would make, I thought, a dandy charm to hang around a certain lady. To admire it in more detail I took out a pocket magnifying glass. Imagine my dumbfounded surprise when it jumped out of my hand as nimble as you please By golly, it was Harvey Grice!

There are two rumors afloat in the Grove. Both are important to its well-being. The first is that the early and late trains are to be run again after the 28th of this month—though really the noon train is late enough. The second is that Mac Scott, our progressive merchant, is about to inaugurate a mail order department to his store. It is to be hoped this is true as it will not only give employment to many but will possibly relieve the present congestion in his store. (Above is a slight error, it is a telephone order business not a mail order that is rumored.

Rev. Storey after an able sermon last Sunday which was much enjoyed by the congregation, gave out his subject next Sabbath, "Excuses People give for Not Going to Church." If he gives them all it will be a mighty long sermon, I'm thinking.

CHEPSTOW

Mrs. O. Freedman and Mrs. Ambrose Miller departed on Friday for their homes in the vicinity of Allan, Sask., following the winter's sojourn with the former's mother, Mrs. Jos. Freedman.

In a letter to his mother, Pte. Jas. Golden states that his Battalion, which has formed a unit of the Fifth Division at Witley Camp, Eng., for over a year, has gone to France. His brother, Frank, who has served in the trenches for some months, and was gassed recently, is rapidly recovering.

Miss Mary McNab has returned to resume her position at Detroit following a two weeks' stay at her home.

Our energetic salesman, J. Schutkopski, who was confined to his bed the greater part of the past week, is able to be about again. Our town can ill afford to lose the quickening influence of such a live wire as Jos, even for a few days.

HANOVER

Mr. Jasper, head of the Hydro staff working in Hanover, has a map of the proposed street lighting for Hanover. It certainly looks well on paper and this burg should be a regular little scintillator when all is complete. There will be 122 street lights of 160 watt capacity in town, 44 of which will be placed on the main street.

Pte. Ernest Brooks, son of Mrs. Abott of Elmwood, who enlisted here, has sustained a gunshot wound in the right shoulder while fighting in France.

Mr. Uriah Curtis, one of the earliest settlers of this district, is still hale and hearty at the age of 93 years. He is staying with his son, Robert, in Brant. He has a great grandson in the trenches in France. Mr. Curtis is one of the pioneer Methodists of this district and a man who always enjoyed the esteem of those who knew him. He can read well today without his glasses.

Mrs. Patchell received a telegram from Ottawa last week informing her that her husband, Scout W. D. Patchell, had received a gunshot wound in the right hand on March 2nd. He trained with the 124th Pals Battalion of Toronto, went overseas 1½ years ago, and has been in France 11 months. His many friends here hope that his injury may not prove serious.

The town standpipe, having a capacity of 100,000 gallons, and towering 185 feet above the ground, collapsed at 9.30 Saturday night with a crash that could be heard all over the place. During the recent zero weather the water in the big tank froze solid, and huge icicles formed all about the tank Following the mild weather yesterday huge pieces of ice, some of them weighing many hundreds of pounds, crashed downward. Steel girders supporting the standpipe were smashed off like matchwood. About 9:30 in the evening there was a terrific crash, and when citizens investigated they found the remains of the standpipe cattered over an area larger than an acre. Huge blocks of ice some of them five feet in thickness, shot in all directions, and the houses of Mrs. Wright and Mr. Beaman had a close call from being smashed. The loss to the town will be fully $10,000, and in the meantime the local water supply and fire protection system suffers severely. The standpipe was so badly wrecked that an entire new one will have to be built, the material in the old one being useless now.

KINLOSS

At their last regular meeting on Saturday March 9th, the Kinloss Red Cross Society packed two bales of supplies to be sent to headquarters in Toronto. In spite of severe weather and unfavorable condition of roads during the winter our meetings have been well attended, the average attendance being seventeen. The contents of the bales were as follows.—60 suits of pyjamas, 3½ doz. towels, 2 doz. face cloths, 100 mouth wipes, 3 hospital shirts, 2 doz. surgical pads, 40 handkerchiefs 15, personal property bags, 4 doz. pillow cases, 2 doz. sheets, 1 dozday shirts. Total value amounting to $164.45. In addition to this we have on hand socks and underwear to the value of $65.45 to be sent directly to the boys in the trenches.

Mrs. C. N. MacKenzie.
Sec.

GREENOCK

Quite a few from here attended the Memorial Service at the Methodist Church, Walkerton on Sunday morning for Chester Cunningham and Wm. Wolfe. The number included:—Mr. and Mrs. John Cunningham and family Mr. Bert and Mary White, Mr. Wm. and Mrs. D. Pinkerton, Mr. and Mrs. John Wallace.

Mrs. S. Whyte, who has had a slight attack of pneumonia is, we are pleased to report, on the road to recovery.

Some of the prominent citizens of this burg have been out ditching to keep the water from flooding.

Miss E. McGill spent the week-end with friends at Elora.

Mr. J. Koller is delivering hay to the Central Hotel.

Mr. Albert Yaeck, who has been spending the winter with his mother left on Friday for his home at Gates, Montana.

Mrs J. Schurter is visiting her sister Mrs. Herman Weis at Formosa.

Miss Henrietta Winters spent a few days with friends in Walkerton this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wallace attended the funeral of Mrs. Wm. Etsell at Walkerton on Wednesday.

MILDMAY

Mr. Ed. Spahr who now owns a ranch in British Columbia but who formerly conducted a general store in the building now occupied by Schuett's Furniture Store, is visiting at his sister's, Mrs. Peter Lobsinger.

Miss Duretta Sauer is ill with an attack of brain fever.

Miss Clara Schwalm has returned from visiting her sister, Mrs. Werlich, at Wallaceburg.

The local Ford garage is in fine shape for Spring business.

This two train a day service on the G. T. R. certainly finds no favour with the Mildmay people.

A good many farmers in this vicinity are planning for a big season of syrup boiling.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Bilger are moving to their 50 acre farm on the 10th Concession and have leased their residence in town to Mr. Norman Hamel for the summer months.

The Hamel Furniture Factory is working overtime now owing to the rush of orders.

The mill yard of Schwalm & Sons is almost covered with piles of logs and a good many are piled on the side of the road near the foundry. This means a busy year's work for this firm.

Mr. Peter Kaufman of Con. 10 is putting up a new straw shed, and Mr. Con. Hill is putting up a new barn, this summer.

BRANT AVENUE

Mrs. Jack Johnston received a sad shock on Saturday in the sudden death of her mother, Mr. Wm. Etsell of Walkerton.

The waterworks system at the Irvine Bros. farm froze up last week, but you can't beat Hank. He soon had temporary pipes laid on top of the ground and a good supply of water.

Herman Grant and Walt Blackwell are working for the Irvines.

Mrs. James McCarter, who was operated upon at the Bruce County Hospital last week is in a serious condition. Her many friends in this neighborhood hope for her speedy recovery.

CARGILL

During the month of February the Women's Patriotic League of Cargill made and shipped the following articles;—128 bed socks, 49 personal property bags, 36 suits pyjamas, 28 surgical shirts and 84 pairs of socks.

NARVA

Mr. Horace Moffat is off work at present suffering from a deep cut in the foot. We wish him a speedy recovery

Quite a number from here attended the box social in Glamis on Friday night and report a good time.

The Women's Institute at their last meeting packed and shipped fifty-five more pairs of socks. The ladies wish to thank the council for their donation of $50.00.

The body of the late Miss S. J. Bell was brought from London on Saturday to the home of her mother, Mrs. C. Bell where the funeral took place Monday afternoon to Purdy's cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Harriston, also Nurse Rebecca Bell of Toronto and Mr. and Mrs Byres, Mr. and Mrs. Esplen of Burgowne attended the funeral of Miss Bell here.

AUCTION SALE

—OF—

Farm Stock, Implements, Etc.

The undersigned Auctioneer has received instructions from MR. JAMES CAHOON to sell by Public Auction at

Lot 13, Con. 6, Brant,

on TUESDAY, APRIL 2nd,

The following valuable property, viz:

HORSES—1 Heavy Aged Team, horse and mare (mare in foal), 1 Heavy Bay Colt 3 yrs. old, 1 Heavy Brown Colt rising 3 yrs., 1 Heavy Sorrel Colt rising 2 yrs., 1 Matched Black Team rising 4 and 5 yrs., weighing 2500 lbs. (this is a splendid team and needs only to be seen to be appreciated), 1 Road Mare 4 yrs. old, 1 Road Horse 4 yrs., 1 Road Mare with foal, 1 Pair Percheron Colts.

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GRADE CATTLE—7 Grade Durham Cows supposed to be in calf, 2 Grade Holstein Cows supposed to be in calf, 3 Fresh Cows with calves at foot, 2 Heifers supposed to be in calf, 3 Yearlings and 5 Young Calves.

PIGS AND FOWL—1 Sow due to farrow April 17, 8 Fat Hogs (if not previously sold), 1 Pair of Geese and about 20 Hens.

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GRAIN, HAY, ETC.—About 200 bus. O. A. C. No. 72 Seed Oats, about 150 bus. Prince Royal Seed Oats, 100 bus. Barley, 25 bus. of Peas and about 20 tons of Hay, if not previously sold.

The Above Will be Sold Without Reserve as the proprietor has sold his farm.

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TERMS—All sums of $5.00 and under, cash; over that amount 9 months' credit will be given on furnishing unpaved joint notes with 6 per cent added. Hay and Grain cash.

Sale to Commence at 12:30 p.m.

Lunch will be served to parties coming from a distance.

JAMES CAHOON, Proprietor.
JOHN PURVIS, Auctioneer.

GLAMIS

Mr. John C. McLean is returning to Lawson, Sask., this week.

Mrs. James Murray (nee Mrs Draper) of Stratford returned home on Saturday after a short visit with her mother, Mrs. McIntosh.

Quite a number of our young men are joining the I. O. O. F. Lodge here.

On Sunday morning the sad news was received here of the death of Mr Albert Pinkerton of Pinkerton. The deceased was well-known here and highly respected and his death was learned with deep regret. Many friends extend deepest heartfelt sympathy to those bereaved.

The Red Cross Workers here received the following grants last week. Kincardine Twp. $40.00, Greenock Twp. $25.00.

Mr. Webb Kaske of Sanford Dane, Sask., was a visitor at J. Cunningham's on Saturday.

Mr Fred Passmore has returned to his home in the West.

Mr. George McKenzie went to Guelph last week to work.

Miss Mary Dewar was a week-end guest of Miss Reta McKinnon.

Mr. Bannerman of Riversdale was a caller here in the burg on Monday

Miss Flora McFadyen, Boundary West, Glamis, died on Friday, March 15th, 1918, following a few days illness with pleurisy. The deceased was in her 63rd year. She was highly respected by a large circle of friends and will be much missed in the neighborhood and in the home where a brother resides. Besides the brother, Neil, at home to mourn her loss, she leaves two brothers and one sister in Saskatchewan. The funeral on Monday afternoon was largely attended. Interment took place in Tiverton cemetery. Rev. J. E. McCauley, pastor of the Baptist Church, of which the deceased was a member, had charge of the services. To the bereaved sympathy is extended.

We are pleased to report Mrs. Neil Gilchrist much improved in health.

Mr. Roy Abbott of Riversdale is working at Mr. James Begg's.

Mr. A. Symon lost one of his team last week. The horse was a valuable one.

Miss Ethel Stewart has returned to duties in Guelph.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Bell and family of North Battleford, Sask., are visiting relatives on 10th con., Mrs. Bell being summoned home to Ripley owing to the death of her father, Mr. Donald McKinnon.

The remains of the late Donald McKinnon of Ripley, formerly of this neighborhood, were laid to rest in Purdy's cemetery last week. To the bereaved wife and family sympathy is extended in their sudden bereavement.

The box social under the auspices of the Red Cross Workers here, held on Friday evening was a grand success A large crowd was present, filling the hall. A splendid Irish program was rendered. Each number receiving a hearty applause. The order through out was first class. After the program two pairs of socks were sold. One pair knit by the oldest knitter, Mrs. J. C. McIntyre, and one pair knit by the youngest knitter, Miss Evelyn Gunn. Following this the sale of boxes which numbered over 60 were sold at good prices. The bidding was lively, showing a patriotic spirit. The proceeds for the evening amounted to $155. A hearty vote of thanks is due our good friend, Dave Robertson, who did his work in the most capable manner. He is a very earnest Red Cross worker. We are all proud of him.

PINKERTON

The whole community was shocked and saddened when it was learned that Mr. Albert Pinkerton had passed away on Sunday morning. The deceased contracted a severe attack of pneumonia and after a short illness succumbed although everything was done that could be done. He was 55 years of age and his untimely death is regretted by all. The late Mr. Pinkerton was well-known throughout the county and took an active interest in everything which was for the welfare of the community and state. He was an active member of the Presbyterian church, being treasurer for some years and also on the Managing Board; he was a school trustee and Sec'y-treas. of the Pinkerton Agricultural Society. His place as postmaster and general merchant will be hard to fill and he will always be remembered for his honesty and his efforts to please everyone. In politics he was a staunch supporter of the Conservative Party and was a valued member of the Bruce Preparedness League. His wife and eight children survive, Gordon being Overseas with the 160th and Aileen at Stratford Normal. The sympathy of all goes out to the widow and children. The funeral which took place on Tuesday afternoon was largely attended and was conducted by Rev. Mr. Gale.

Rev. Mr. Wilson of Walkerton will conduct the service in the Presbyterian church here on Sunday afternoon.

Lieut. Harold Pinkerton is now training in the Aviation Corps in Texas and has had the sensation of making several flights.

Rev. Mr. Richardson of Arthur visited at the Manse last week.

Mr. Horace Moffat had the misfortune to cut his foot with an axe and is now confined to the house.

The remains of the late Sarah Jane Bell, daughter of Mrs. S. Bell, arrived from London on Saturday, interment taking place on Monday afternoon.

Rev. Mr. Gale attended a committee meeting in London last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Stringer (nee Miss Irene Culham) of Kincardine called on friends here prior to leaving for the West.

The ladies of the Red Cross are grateful for the following donations:—Mr D. Pinkerton $6.50 proceeds of cheque for work on County Roads, Greenock Council $50.00 and Mrs. A. Bain for her donation of $61.00, being proceeds of social and money received for cushion.

BRANT TP. COUNCIL

March 4th, 1918.

The Municipal Council of the Township of Brant met on the 4th day of March. Members all present. Minutes of last meeting read and declared correct.

Johnston—Rowand—That this council do now go into a committee of the whole with the Reeve in the chair for the purpose of appointing Pathmasters, Poundkeepers, Fence Viewers, Sheep Valuators and Engineers to operate the road graders.—Carried.

Gregg—Findlay—That the following named persons be appointed Pathmasters, Poundkeepers, Fence Viewers Sheep Valuators and engineers for road graders, and the clerk prepare a by-law confirming the appointments.

Pathmasters.

1 Con. Zuber, 2 Frank Wilhelm, 3 Jos. Corrigan, 4 Jas. Garland, 5 John Clancy, 6 Wm. Atkinson, 7 Geo. Daniels, 8 Wm. Abel, 9 John Chisholm, 10 Wes. Napper, 11 , 12 Jas. Telchard, 13 , 14 D. W. Gregg, 15 W. A. Tolton, 16 , 17 Robt. Chesney, 18 , 19 John Lambertus, 20 Jos. Tanner, 21 Sebastian Kirstine, 22 John Tanner, 23 Ed. Hopkins, 24 Frank Geisler, 25 F. A. Kent, 26 , 27 Norman Brocklebank, 28 A. V. Cooke, 29 , 30 Wm. Blake, Louis Lambertus, 32 John Hodgson, 33 Alex Waechter, 34 A. Rowand, 35 Arthur Grierson, 36 Jas. Threndyle, 37 John Burrel, 38 Thos. Scales, 39 Wm. Berry, 40 , 41 Philip Kastner, 42 Dan Ernest, 43 J. L. George, 44 45 Fred Wilkin, 46 Henry, 47 Albert Wilkin, 48 Robert Curtis, 49 Robert Murray, 50 Frank Lang, 51 Ben Mitchell, 52 Alex Keiswetter, 53 Charles Rhody, 54 John Ahrens, 55 Herb Napper, 56 Pat McGarrity, 57 Wm. Lambertus, 58 Mac McNiven, 59 Herman Hoffman, 60 Ethout Brodhagen, 61 Elliot Thomas, 62 Jas. Smith, 63 Ben Stansell, 64 Wm. Klohn, 65 Wm. C. Liefso, 66 Chris. Pegelo, 67 Ephraim Rody, 68 Eli Michlhausen, 69 Mike Driscol, 70 Stewart Butchart, 71 Wm. Atkinson, 72 Wm. Procknow, 73 Marshall Jacklin, 74 Herman Ahrens, 75 Frank Shilling, 76 Dan Thornburn, 77 Wm. Redford, 78 Wm. J. Ryan, 79 Hugh Ferguson, 80 Chas. Jackson, 81 Gotlieb Klages, 82 Thos. Carler, 83 John Rody, 84 Gordon Smith, 85 Fred Fortune, 86 Jas. Ward, 87 Jas. Garner.

Poundkeepers

Fred Glintz, Duncan Smith, John Rapp, Wm. Dickenson, Robt. Long, H. J. Ernest, Louis Lambertus, Peter Fisher, John Whitehead, J. C. Richardson, John Burrell, Wm. Abell, Wm. Craig, Henry Logie, Jas. Garland, Robt. Murray, Martin Hannoure, Fred Price, Wm. Lambertus, John Monk, Jas. Watson, Ben Stansell, Chris. Pegelo, Eli Michlhausen, Stanley Gallencer, W. T. Hopper, Jas. Kane, Louis Monk.

Fence Viewers

J. L. Tolton, Hugh Traynor, Jas. Metcalf, Norman Brocklebank, Chas. Glauser, Abram Rowand, J. D. Little, Israel Abell, Henry Logie, Thos. Chisholm, John Hannore jr., Henry Ahrens, Ben Stansell, Jac. Schwindt, John Muschl, Geo. Fiddis, Jas. Maxwell jr., W. H. McLean, John Wright, Hugh Ferguson.

Sheep Valuators

Geo. Sirrs, Thos. H. Wilson, Jas. Monk.

Engineers

Walter Threndyle, South Division, Chris. Pegelo, North Division.

Johnston—Gregg—That By-law No. 107 A. D. 1918, a by-law appointing Pathmasters, Poundkeepers, Fence Viewers, etc. be now read a first, second and third time, passed, signed and sealed.—Carried.

Johnston—Rowand—That the engineers working the road-graders be paid 60 cts. per hour while grading and that they furnish a certified statement from each pathmaster of the number o hours' work done.—Carried,

Findlay—Gregg—That John Storrar, John Dierstine and Noah Wildfang be appointed a committee to look after the interests of the users of electric light in Elmwood.—Carried.

Rowand—Johnston—That this council make a grant of $300 to the various Red Cross Societies doing work in the Township—Carried.

Rowand—Johnston—That the customary grant of $10 be made to each of the Cargill and Elmwood Public Library.—Carried.

Johnston—Rowand—That the Reeve and Clerk issue orders on the Treasurer for all accounts passed at this meeting of Council.—Carried.

W. G. Hastie, Treas. of Bentinck Tp. amount for townline work and grant on deviation road south of Hanover	$ 9 15
Treasurer of Greenock Tp. in care of T. H. Purdy, clerk, amt. due Greenock for Townline work	33 00
Dr. J. G. Bricker, salary as Medical Officer of Health for 1917	90 00
J. H. Dierstine, refund of Hydro Electric Tax re Elmwood	82 76
David Mauer, 31 yds of gravel at 3.40 road to pit 2.00	5 40
John Lundy, repairing road F. A. Kents' Hill	2 00
Jos. Rathwell, 30 yds gravel	3 00
W. A. Rowand, grant to the South Bruce Board of Agri	10 00
Joseph Monk, valuating sheep	1 0
John Storrar, grant to Elmwood Public Library	10 00
John Clancy, grant to Cargill Public Library	10 00
John Ernest, repairs to plow broken on road	5 00
Miss Elizabeth Watson, grant to Red Cross Society Eden Grove	50 00
Mrs. Spence Nesbitt, grant to Red Cross Society Solway	50 00

Gregg—Findlay—That this council do now adjourn to meet on Monday the 8th day of April for the transaction of general business.—Carried.

M. A. McCallum,
Clerk.

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Don't miss the opening chapters of "Seventeen," our new story, in this week's Telescope.

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CHAPTER I.
William.

WILLIAM SYLVANUS BAXTER paused for a moment of thought in front of the drug store at the corner of Washington street and Central avenue, considering what kind of an ice cream soda he would have, when he was roused by the bluff greeting of an acquaintance not dissimilar to himself in age, manner and apparel.

"Hi'lo, Silly Bill!" said this person, hailing beside William Sylvanus Baxter. "What's the news?"

William showed no enthusiasm. On the contrary, a frown of annoyance appeared upon his brow. The nickname "Silly Bill," long ago compounded by merry child comrades from William and Sylvanus, was not to his taste, especially in public, where he preferred to be addressed simply and manfully as Baxter. Any direct expression of resentment, however, was difficult, since it was plain that Johnnie Watson intended no offense whatever and but spoke out of custom.

"Don't know any," William replied coldly.

"Dull times, ain't it?" said Mr. Watson, a little depressed by his friend's manner. "I heard Miss Parcher was comin' back to town yesterday, though."

"Well, let her!" returned William, still severe.

"They said she was goin' to bring a girl to visit her," Johnnie began in a confidential tone. "They said she was a reglar ringdinger, and"—

"Well, what if she is?" the discouraging Mr. Baxter interrupted. "Makes little difference to me, I guess!"

"Oh, no, it don't! You don't take any interest in girls! Oh, no!"

"No, I do not!" was the emphatic and heartless retort. "I never saw one in my life I'd care whether she lived or died!"

"Honest, is that so?"

"Yes, 'honest!'" William replied sharply. "They could *all* die; *I* wouldn't notice!"

Johnnie Watson was profoundly impressed. "Why, I didn't know you felt that way about 'm, Silly Bill. I always thought you were kind of"—

"Well, I do feel that way about 'em!" said William Sylvanus Baxter, and, outraged by the repetition of the offensive nickname, he began to move away. "You can tell 'em so for me. If you want to!" he added over his shoulder. And he walked haughtily up the street, leaving Mr. Watson to ponder upon this case of misogyny, never until that moment suspected.

It was beyond the power of his mind to grasp the fact that William Sylvanus Baxter's cruel words about "girls" had been uttered because William was annoyed at being called "Silly Bill" in a public place and had not known how to object otherwise than by showing contempt for any topic of conversation proposed by the offender.

William meanwhile made his way toward the "residence section" of the town. He walked in his own manner, using his shoulders to emphasize an effect of carelessness which he wished to produce upon observers, for his consciousness of observers was abnormal, since he had it whether any one was looking at him or not, and it reached a crucial stage whenever he perceived persons of his own age, but of opposite sex, approaching.

A person of this description was encountered upon the sidewalk within a hundred yards of his own home, and William Sylvanus Baxter saw her while yet she was afar off. He had perceived even in the distance that she was unknown to him, a stranger, because at least all the girls in this part of town who dressed as fantastically as [illegible] were known to him, as the [illegible] knew the corner.

William rested an elbow upon the gatepost and with his chin reposing in his hand gazed long in the direction in which the unknown had vanished. And his soul was tremulous, for she had done her work but too well.

"'Indifferink!'" he murmured, thrilling at his own exceedingly indifferent imitation of her voice. "'Indifferink!' that was just what he would have her think—that he was a cold, indifferent man. It was what he wished all girls to think. And "sarcastic!" He had been curious one day when May Parcher said that Joe Bullitt was "awfully sarcastic." William had spent the ensuing hour in an object lesson intended to make Miss Parcher see that William Sylvanus Baxter was twice as sarcastic as Joe Bullitt ever thought of being, but this great effort had been unsuccessful, because William failed to understand that Miss Parcher had only been sending a sort of message to Mr. Bullitt. It was a device not unique among her sex.

"'So indifferink!'" murmured William, leaning dreamily upon the gatepost. "Indifferink!" He tried to get the exact cooing quality of the unknown's voice. "'Indifferink!' And, repeating the honeyed word, so entrancingly distorted, he fell into a kind of stupor, vague, beautiful pic-



"Will-ee!" she shrilled. "Look! Good!"

tures rising before him, the one least blurred being of himself on horseback, sweeping between Flopit and a racing automobile. And then, having restored the little animal to its mistress, William sat carelessly in the saddle (he had the guardsman's seat) while the perfectly trained steed wheeled about, forelegs in the air, appearing to go. "But shall I not see you again to thank you more properly?" she cried, pleading. "Some other day—perhaps," he answered and left her in a cloud of dust.

"Oh, Will-ee!"

Thus a shrill voice, to his ears ridiculously different from that other, interrupted and dispersed his visions. Little Jane, his ten-year-old sister, stood upon the front porch, the door open behind her, and in her hand she held a large slab of bread and butter covered with apple sauce and powdered sugar. Evidence that she had sampled this compound was upon her cheeks, and to her brother she was a repulsive sight.

"Will-ee!" she shrilled. "Look! *Good!*" And to emphasize the adjective she indelicately patted the region of her body in which she believed her stomach to be located. "There's a slice for you on the dining room table," she informed him joyously.

Outraged, he entered the house without a word to her and, proceeding to the dining room, laid hands upon the slice she had mentioned, but declined to eat it in Jane's company. He was in an exalted mood, and, though in no condition of mind or body would he refuse food of almost any kind, Jane was an intrusion he could not suffer at this time.

He carried the refection to his own room and, locking the door, sat down to eat, while, even as he ate, the spell that was upon him deepened in intensity.

"Oh, eyes!" he whispered softly in that cool privacy and shelter from the world. "Oh, eyes of blue!"

The mirror of a dressing table sent him the reflection of his own eyes, which also were blue, and he gazed upon them and upon the rest of his image the while he ate his bread and butter and apple sauce and sugar. Finally he rose and approached the dressing table to study himself at greater advantage.

Beyond doubt he was acting a little scene of indifference. Other symbolic dramas followed, though an invisible observer might have been puzzled for a key to some of them. One, however, would have proved easily intelligible. His expression having altered to a look of pity and contrition, he turned from the mirror and, walking slowly to a chair across the room, used his right hand in a peculiar manner, seeming to stroke the air at a point about ten inches above the back of the chair. "There, there, little girl," he said in a low, gentle voice. "I didn't know you cared."

Then, with a rather abrupt dismissal of this theme, he returned to the mirror and, after a questioning scrutiny, nodded solemnly, forming with his lips the words, "The real thing—the real thing at last!"

He meant that, after many imitations had imposed upon him, Love—the real thing—had come to him in the end. And as he turned away he murmured, "And even her name—unknown!"

Seating himself at a small writing table by the window, he proceeded to express his personality in something he considered a poem.

Three-quarters of an hour having sufficed for its completion, he solemnly signed it and then read it several times in a state of hushed astonishment. He had never dreamed that he could do anything like this:

MILADY.

I do not know her name
Though it would be the same
Where roses bloom at twilight
And the lark takes his flight
It would be the same anywhere
Where music sounds in air
I was never introduced to the lady
So I could not call her Lass or Sadie
So I will call her Milady
By the sands of the sea
She always will be
Just Milady to me.

—William Sylvanus Baxter, Esq., July 14

Suddenly again that voice:

"Will-ee!"

To William, in his high and lonely mood, this piercing summons brought no actual shudder, and the very thought of Jane (with tokens of apple sauce and sugar still upon her cheek, probably) seemed a kind of sacrilege. He fiercely swore his favorite oath, acquired from a hero of a work of fiction he admired. "Ye gods!" and concealed his poem in the drawer of the writing table.

"Will-ee! Mamma wants you!" Jane hammered on the door.

"What you want?" he shouted.

Jane explained, certain pauses indicating that her attention was partially diverted to another slice of bread and butter and apple sauce and sugar. "Will-ee, mamma wants you—wants you to go help Genesis bring some washtubs home—and a tin ole'es boiler—from the secondhand man's store."

"What!"

Jane repeated the outrageous message, adding, "She wants you to hurry—and I got some bread and butter and apple sauce and sugar for comin' to tell you."

His refusal was direct and infuriated, but there was a decisive tapping upon the door, and his mother's voice interrupted:

"Hush, Willie! Open the door, please."

He obeyed furiously, and Mrs. Baxter walked in with a deprecating air, while Jane followed, so profoundly interested that, until almost the close of the interview, she held her bread and butter and apple sauce and sugar at a sort of way station on its journey to her mouth.

"That's a nice thing to ask me to do!" stormed the unfortunate William. "Ye gods! Do you think Joe Bullitt's mother would dare to"—

"Wait, dearie!" Mrs. Baxter begged pacifically. "I just want to explain'—"

"Explain!" Ye gods!"

"Now, now, just a minute, Willie!" she said. "What I wanted to explain was why it's necessary for you to go with Genesis for the"—

"Never!" he shouted. "Never! You expect me to walk through the public streets with that awful lookin' old nigger"—

"Genesis isn't old," she managed to interpolate. "He"—

But her frantic son disregarded her. "Secondhand washtubs!" he vociferated. "And tin clothes boilers! That's what you want your son to carry through the public streets in broad daylight! Ye gods!"

"Well, there isn't anybody else," she said. "Please don't rave so, Willie, and say 'Ye gods' so much. It really isn't nice. I'm sure nobody'll notice you"—

"Nobody!" His voice cracked in anguish. "Oh, no! Nobody except the whole town! Why, when there's anything disgusting has to be done in this family—why do I always have to be the one? Why can't Genesis bring the secondhand washtubs without me? Why can't the secondhand store deliver 'em? Why can't"—

"That's what I want to tell you," she interposed hurriedly, and as the youth lifted his arms on high in a gesture of ultimate despair and then threw himself miserably into a chair she obtained the floor. "The secondhand store doesn't deliver things," she said. "I bought them at an auction, and it's going out of business, and they have to be taken away before half past 4 this afternoon.

"Genesis can't bring them in the wheelbarrow because, he says, the wheel is broken, and he says he can't possibly carry two tubs and a wash boiler himself. And he can't make two trips because it's a mile and a half, and I don't like to ask him, anyway. And it would take too long, because he has to get back and finish cutting the grass before your papa gets home this evening. Papa said he had to! Now, I don't like to ask you, but it really isn't much. You and Genesis can just slip up there and"—

"Slip!" moaned William. "Just slip up there!! Ye gods!"

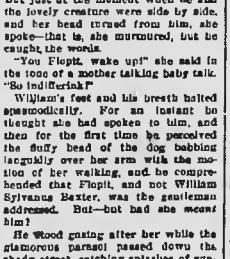
"Genesis is waiting on the back porch," she said. "Really it isn't worth your making all this fuss about."

"Ye gods!" He clasped his head in his hands, crushed, for he knew that the curse was upon him and he must go. "Ye gods!"

Genesis and his dog were waiting just outside the kitchen door, and of all the world these two creatures were probably the last in whose company William Sylvanus Baxter desired to make a public appearance. The aged, grayish, sleeveless, neckless garment which sheltered Genesis from waist to collar bone could not have been mistaken for a jersey.

Upon the feet of Genesis were things which careful study would have revealed to be patent leather dancing pumps long dead and several times buried, and upon his head pressing down his markedly criminal ears, was a once derby hat of a brown not far from Genesis' own color, though decidedly without his gloss. A large ring of strange metal, with the stone missing, adorned a finger of his right hand, and from a corner of his mouth projected an unlighted and spreading cigar stub.

And Genesis' dog, scratching himself at his master's feet, was the true complement of Genesis, for, although he was a yaller dog, he was a dog that would have been persecuted anywhere in the world as a colored person's dog



When Her Dark Lashed Eyelids Slowly Lifted, He Had a Flash of Inspiration.

(To be continued.)

William necessarily, yet with extraordinary reluctance, accompanying them. But just at the moment when he and the lovely creature were side by side, and her head turned from him, she spoke—that is, she murmured, but he caught the words.

"You Flopit, wake up!" she said in the tone of a mother talking baby talk. "So indifferink!"

William's feet and his breath halted spasmodically. For an instant he thought she had spoken to him, and then for the first time he perceived the fluffy head of the dog bobbing languidly over her arm with the motion of her walking, and he comprehended that Flopit, and not William Sylvanus Baxter, was the gentleman addressed. But—but had she *meant* him?

He stood gazing after her while the glamorous parasol passed down the shady street, catching splashes of sunshine through the branches of the maple trees, and the cottony head of the tiny dog continued to be visible, bobbing rhythmically over a filmy sleeve. Had she meant that William was indifferent. Was it William that she really addressed?

He took two steps to follow her, but a suffocating shyness stopped him abruptly, and, in a horror lest she should glance round and detect him in the act, he turned and strode fiercely to the gate of his own home before he dared to look again. And when he did look, affording great amusement to [illegible] who dressed as fantastically as [illegible] and then as the [illegible] formed the corner.

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A BRANT PIONEER

Late Christopher Gateman Helped Clear the Bush in the Days when Hardship Abounded Sixty Years Ago

Another of the few remaining pioneers of Brant, passed to his reward on Friday, March 15th, in the person of Mr. Christopher Gateman. Mr. Gateman had been poorly for a couple of years and on Tuesday night of last week he suffered a paralytic stroke. For the next few days his condition became gradually worse until the end came. Mr. Gateman was one of those early settlers of the Brant bush, who, equipped with nothing but their brawny arms and a determination to make the most of the slender opportunities, have made this country what it is to-day. Back in the early sixties before the railroad came in, Mr. Gateman at one time walked the entire distance to Guelph, bringing back over his shoulder, for fifty miles, a half cwt. of flour to provide nourishment for his young family. That was but an example of what he and others were called upon to do in those early days. Mr. Gateman was born in Mecklenburg-Schworen, in 1845 and came to this country with his parents at the age of 8 years and settled in the County of Waterloo. When he was 14 years old they came to the 4th concession, Brant, which was then all woods. Thirteen years later he was married to his present wife, then Miss Wilhemin Engel of Brant. He and his parents cleared a 300 acre farm. Then he removed to the Township of Bentinck, where he lived for three years, after which he bought a farm of 65 acres on the 9th con. of Brant, where he lived for 13 years, when he leased for a number of years a 150 acre farm on the second concession from Mr. Myles. At the expiration of a seven years' term he leased the 150 acre farm of Robt. Chambers of Greenock for five years. He then bought the farm near Solway from Mr. Charles Pegelo where he resided until retiring to Walkerton five years ago. The deceased was an active and consistent member of the Lutheran Church. He was a man of high principle, of a genial, companionable disposition and a good neighbor. Besides his widow his loss is mourned by seven surviving children. They are: Mrs. August Monk, Mrs. George Faust, Walkerton, Mrs. John Reler of Bentinck, Mrs. John Fisk of Greenock, Mrs. David Frook and Mrs. George Wilkin of Brant; Messrs Noah and Louis Gateman of Brant, and Charles at home in Walkerton. Two of his children predeceased him. Emma, who died at the age of 5 years, and John, whose death occurred at 23 years of age. Two brothers and two sisters of the deceased are still living. There are twenty-four grandchildren.

The funeral was held on Monday afternoon March 18. Rev. H. R. Mosig of, New Hamburg and Rev. Mr. Henkel of Brant conducted service at the house, and Rev. Mr. Mosig afterwards conducted service at the Lutheran Church. It was one of the largest funerals seen here in some time, friends and neighbors coming from a great distance. The pall-bearers were:—Messrs T. Pye, I. Glintz, J. Brillinger, C. Kolpin, C. Ernest, J. Wilkin.

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Remember that when you do your shopping at home your money is more likely to return to you than if you send it to the city mail-order house.

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Dreadful Doings

"Do you know there are times when it is positively terrifying to enter a church," observed a lady to the Bishop of Lincoln, at a dinner party.

"That cannot be, madam," returned the bishop: "pray explain."

"Why," said the lady, "it is when there is a canon at the reading desk, a big gun in the pulpit, when the bishop is charging his clergy, the choir murdering the anthem and the organist trying to drown the choir."

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Pacific Coast Humming

In renewing her subscription to the Telescope, Mrs. W. Fay Nupes of Brebserton, Wash. U. S. A., formerly Miss Florence Smith of Walkerton, writes:—This is a very interesting town just now. It is Headquarters for Navy Yard of U. S. A. of Pacific Coast. There are over 5000 sailor boys in training here in addition to large work yards where over 6000 men are employed and turn out an immense amount of government work, including boats of all kinds, submarines and submarine chasers. The Pacific Coast is experiencing a wonderful boom at present. Seattle, Tacoma and all coast cities are fairly humming with new industries and it's impossible to secure labor except at fabulous prices. Weather is so ideal the year round it attracts the far Easterner especially this winter. We have had no cold weather and only our usual amount of rain. Gardens are being put in and trees and shrubs all budding. We have felt no shortage of coal only an advance in price so we have much to be thankful for.

Aunt Sally's Letter

To the Readers of The Walkerton Telescope

Dear Friends:—

The magic spell of Spring is there again. The robins are chirping their old familiar songs. The snow is melting and the water is running away to join the Saugeen River. We would much rather have it take a more direct course than by way of our cellars, for the havoc it makes rather turns our attention from our Spring-time dreams. It makes me think of Mr. Muldooney.

Mr. Muldooney didn't see any fun in the babbling springs in his cellar. He went to the Water Registrar's office and introduced himself and his business by saying, "My name is Muldooney. My cellar is full of water, and my hens will all be drowned if it isn't fixed, and I want you to fix it." Mr. Muldooney was informed that nothing could be done for him there; that they looked after such matters at the Mayor's office—he should go to see the Mayor. Two or three days later he called again "I come again to see about that cellar, said he; "it's worse than ever, and I want you to understand that I carry votes. But, we told you the other day, Mr. Muldooney, that we could do nothing about it here, and that you should see the Mayor about it." "The Mayor, is it? An' sure didn't I see the Mayor!" "And what did the Mayor say to you?" "Huh! What did he say? Why he said, "Mr. Muldoonay, why don't you keep ducks!"

Spring! Spring! how glad we are to greet it, with no spring in the cellar.

Sincerely Yours
Aunt Sally,
Walkerton Telescope

P. S. Don't forget I will be glad to help you in any way with your town shopping.

RING CONTEST CLOSES APRIL 15.

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Read every page for local news.

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Wins Provincial Medal

Charlie McNab, son of Barrister McNab is to be congratulated on winning a provincial bronze medal for his essay on the Victory Loan. Charlie's essay had previously taken first place at the Walkerton High School before it was submitted in competition for the coveted Provincial prize.

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Want Trustee to Explain

Angry because one of the school trustees accused "certain teachers" of staging "kissing bees" and "huggy-wuggy" affairs during school hours, the teachers of Windsor public schools will send a delegation to the next meeting of the board of education to ask the trustee to explain his charges.

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Ship Old Newspapers

A carload of old newspapers, weighing over 22,000 lbs., has been shipped by the High School pupils to a city junk-dealer. The collection which made seven or eight wagonloads represented the result of the boys' and girls' weekly collections since last Fall. About $75 will be realized, which will be handed over to the High School Patriotic Society.

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Forger Nabbed At Last

Montgomery, the slick young lad who was arrested at Southampton a couple of weeks ago on advice from Lindsay, and then made good his escape from the hotel bedroom where the Constable had him locked up, was arrested at Cobourg a week or so later where he was trying to pass worthless cheques. He was wanted at various places in Ontario for forgery. When the police got him, he was in a store trying to cash a cheque for $12.65. On his person were found numerous confederate bills. On the charge of forgery and uttering bogus cheques, and for obtaining money under false pretenses he was sentenced by the Magistrate to serve five years in penitentiary on the first charge, and three years on the second, the sentences to run concurrently.

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THE MARKETS

TORONTO MARKETS.

TORONTO, March 18.—The Board of Trade quotations for Saturday are as follows:

Manitoba Wheat (In Store, Fort William, Including 2½c Tax).
No. 1 northern, $2.23½.
No. 2 northern, $2.20½.
No. 3 northern, $2.17½.
No. 4 wheat, $2.13½.

Manitoba Oats (In Store, Fort William).
No. 2 C.W., 91½c.
No. 3 C.W., 88½c.
Extra No. 1 feed, 87½c.
No. 1 feed, 84½c.

American Corn (Track, Toronto).
No. 2 yellow—U.S.A. War Board prohibit importation.

Ontario Oats (According to Freights Outside).
No. 2 white—93c to 94c.
No. 3 white—91c to 92c.

Ontario Wheat (Basis in Store, Montreal)
No. 2 winter, per car lot, $2.23.

Peas (According to Freights Outside).
No. 2—$3.70 to $3.80.

Barley (According to Freights Outside).
Malting—$1.78 to $1.82.

Buckwheat (According to Freights Outside).
Buckwheat—$1.53 to $1.55.

Rye (According to Freights Outside).
No. 2—$2.45.

Manitoba Flour (Toronto, New Bags).
War quality—$11.10.

Ontario Flour (Montreal, Prompt Shipment, New Bags).
War quality, $10.70; Montreal; $10.70.

Toronto.
Milfeed (Car Lots, Montreal Freights, Bags Included).
Bran, per ton, $35; shorts, per ton, $40. May (Track, Toronto).
No. 1, per ton, $17 to $18; mixed, per ton, $14 to $16.

Straw (Track, Toronto).
Car lots, per ton, $8.50 to $9.

Farmers' Market.
Fall wheat—Milling, $2.14 per bushel.
Goose wheat—$2.10 to $2.12 per bushel.
Barley—Malting, $1.78 to $1.80 per bushel.
Oats—$1.04 to $1.06 per bushel
Buckwheat—$1.53 per bushel.
Rye—According to sample, nominal.
Hay—Timothy, per ton, $20 to $22; mixed, per ton, $16 to $18.

WINNIPEG GRAIN MARKET.

Winnipeg, March 18.—At times during the session of the market today the market almost verged on panicky conditions. It was the first real bear market the exchange has seen in a long time. The rapid fluctuations were very hard to follow. The decline of almost five cents a bushel in the American markets was the chief reason for the weakness in Winnipeg. A considerable sum of stop orders were uncovered on the decline. The buying all the way down, was of a very strong nature. Big interests accumulated oats all the way down altho their buying was not in a sufficiently large volume to stem the wave of bear enthusiasm. In the cash market spreads were practically unchanged from Friday's close, with odd lettings of spot oats very high.

Oats closed 3¼c lower for May at 88½c; July, 3¼c lower at 83½c.

Barley closed 8½c lower for May at $1.17.

Flax closed 3½c lower for May at $3.76; July closed 3½c lower at $3.53.

Winnipeg market: Oats, spot ... May, 84¼c to 87½c to 90½c; July, 80¾c to 84½c.

Barley—May opened $1.21, closed $1.17. Flax—May opened $3.83½c, closed $3.76; July closed $3.53.

Cash prices: Oats—No. 2 C. W., 88½c; No. 3 C. W., 85½c; extra No. 1 feed, 87½c; No. 1 feed, 85½c; No. 2 feed, 82½c.

Barley—No. 3 C. W., $1.87; No. 4 C. W., $1.21; rejected, $1.05; feed, $1.15.

Flax—No. 1 N. W. C., $3.84; No. 2 C. W., $3.81; No. 3 C. W., $3.61.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.

J. P. Bickell & Co., Standard Bank Building, report the following prices on the Chicago Board of Trade:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
Corn—					
May	125¾	126	124¾	125¾	125¾
July	127¾	127¾	126¾	126¾	127¾
Oats—					
May	87½	88¾	83	84¾	86¾
July	85¼	86¾	81¾	82¾	83¾
Pork—					
May	47.15	48.30	47.65	47.65	48.25
Lard—					
May	25.85	25.95	25.62	25.62	25.90
July	26.12	26.12	25.77	25.77	26.12
Ribs—					
May	24.25	24.37	24.15	24.15	24.37
July	25.00	25.12	24.85	24.85	25.12

CATTLE MARKETS

UNION STOCK YARDS.

TORONTO, March 18.— Receipts of live stock of all kinds at the Union Yards for to-day's market consist of 168 cars, including 2546 cattle, 145 calves, 2146 hogs and 166 sheep and lambs yet to arrive.

EAST BUFFALO LIVE STOCK.

East Buffalo, N.Y., March 16.—Cattle: Receipts, 200; steady.

Calves: Receipts, 250; steady; $7 to $19.

Hogs: Receipts, 2500; slow. Heavy, $18.50 to $18.75; mixed and yorkers, $18.80 to $19; light yorkers, $18.75 to $19; pigs, $18.50 to $18.75; roughs, $16.75 to $17; stags, $13 to $14.50.

Sheep and lambs: Receipts, 1000; active. Lambs, $13 to $19; others unchanged.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, March 18.—Cattle—Receipts, 2000; market strong. Beeves, $9.10 to $14.15; stockers and feeders, $8.25 to $12.25; cows and heifers, $7.15 to $12.10; calves, $10.50 to $16.75.

Hogs—Receipts, 30,000; market firm; light, $17.30 to $18.05; mixed, $16.90 to $18; heavy, $16.35 to $17.60, rough, $16.35 to $16.55; pigs, $13.75 to $17.35; bulk of sales, $17.15 to $17.85.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 5000; market strong; native, $11 to $14.50; lambs, native, $14.50 to $18.40

John Dillon's Strong Talk.

ENNISKILLEN, Ireland, March 18.—John Dillon, who succeeded John Redmond as leader of the Irish Nationalists, replying to congratulatory addresses Saturday, said his first task would be to tell England before the world that her statesmen must cease to talk of a league of nations or pretend to carry on this war in defence of small nationalities unless she first set her own house in order and set free a nation that had for seven hundred years groaned under her misgovernment.

Two Terrific Explosions in Paris.

PARIS, March 18.—Two terrific explosions occurred in the Paris suburb of St. Denis Friday. Certain quarters of the city suffered considerable damage. No details are known, but it was announced that an official statement would be made later.

Egyptian Cotton Crop Is Acquired.

LONDON, March 18.—The British and Egyptian Governments have decided jointly to acquire the entire Egyptian cotton crop beginning next August. A commission has been appointed to take control of the regulations.

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The top coat of 1918 is a pleasant sight—retaining all the soft becomingness of the season past but lacking the flare of skirt. A smaller collar and closer fitting sleeve.

Sand color, seagull grey and grey tweed mixtures are the favorites while the cloths are velours, duvetyn and Poiret twill and in black coats the always reliable serge and silk poplin.

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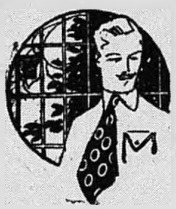
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EASTER NOVELTIES ARE READY

We have so many nice new things for Easter that we don't know which line to tell you about first.

Ladies' kid gloves, always needed for your new Spring costume. We are fortunate in having a good selection of high grade qualities in the prevailing shades at $1.50, $1.75 & $2.00 per pair.

Novelties in ladies' fancy collars and new designs just received at 50c to $1.50 each.

Our new dainty waists and Camisoles must really be seen to be appreciated.

Rich silk sweater coats for the ladies. Maize, Corn, Coral, Rose, Beet, Root, Black and white and other pretty color combinations.

We have also just received a lovely line of Ladies' Silk and Lisle Spring Hosiery, Black, White and other colors, 50c. to $2.25 per pair.

Dainty Mulls, Voilles, Chambrays, Muslin, Ginghams and Prints are here now. They are very pretty designs, and considering conditions are very reasonably priced. Your inspection is cordially invited.

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TOWN AND DISTRICT

Nominations for Public School Trustee today.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Trotter visited friends at Belmore on Monday.

Mrs. Webber of Greenway, Man. is home on a visit to her mother, Mrs. D. McCallum, and brother, M. A. McCallum of Malcolm.

The High School Patriotic Society is arranging to have portraits of several graduates who have fallen in action, hung in the building.

Disgusted Dealer: "H-m-m! If that's the horse I guess I'll take the cow, and if it's the cow I'll take the horse, but if it's both I don't want it."

Mr. Thomas Halliday of Kilfield, Sask., who has been spending the winter East, returned last week from visiting out of town friends. Mr. Halliday may not return to the West for several months if he can arrange to get his crop in.

A host who was carving a pig at a dinner, took a rib of the pig and, holding it up before the ladies, said; "Ladies, I believe that this is what the first of your sex was made of."

"Yes, it was," calmly replied one of the ladies, "and from very much the same kind of a critter."

When a man is nearly frozen from a ten mile drive on a cold winter day, he will hardly stop to read a poster bill. But at home in his arm chair with his legs crossed before a cheerful fire he reads his local paper, and while he is feeling good and has plenty of time, picks out the live business men of the town from the advertisements in the paper and makes up his mind where he will trade on his next trip to town.

Death of Dr Eckel

Dr. Chris. B. Eckel, a nephew of Mr George Eckel of Walkerton, died at St Thomas on Friday in his 32nd year. Dr. Eckel was born at Mildmay. He practicedhis profession for several years at Adelaide, and later practiced about four years at Brantford as a specialist in diagnosing diseases of the eye, ear, nose and throat. His health broke down last September and he went to his wife's ol home at St. Thomas for a rest, but unfortunately his condition became worse and he gradually failed. He is survived by his wife and one daughter, Gretchen. The funeral took place at St. Thomas.

A Walkerton Sammy

Mr. Frank Spitzig, who has been with Uncle Sam's forces at Spartanburg, South Carolina, since August, writes home to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Spitzig, that camp life is agreeing with him famously. The physical drill, which is an important part of the training, has added two inches to his height and he is now a six-footer. Since joining up he has gained 29 lbs in weight and when he dropped in on his brother, Will, at Buffalo, the other week, Will at first didn't know him, so much had he changed in the past six months. Frank's address is: Truck Company "C", 103rd Ammunition Train, 27th Division, Spartanburg, S. C.

Keep a close eye on the man whose wife is afraid to ask him for money.

Mr. George Lambertus and his son, Joseph, of Cargill, attended the funeral of the former's nephew, George A. Lambertus, at Teeswater, on Wednesday of last week.

Sergt. Art Taggart who has been on special service since he returned from the Front last summer has at last received his discharge and returned home from London this week.

Stockbreeders Club

The South Bruce Stockbreeders' Club held their annual meeting at the Dept. of Agriculture offices on Saturday afternoon. Officers for the coming year were elected as follows:—Hon. Pres., T. H. Jasper; Pres., W. A. Tolton; 1st Vice-Pres., E. G. Kunz; 2nd Vice-Pres., Abe Rowand; Sec.-Treas., N. C. McKay. Directors all re-elected. Arrangements were made for holding the next sale the first Thursday in March 1919.

Succumbs To Lengthy Illness

There passed away on Sunday, March 10th after an illness extending over five years, George Albert Lambertus of Teeswater in the sixtieth year of his age. Mr. Lambertus was born in Wellesly Tp., Waterloo County in 1859. He moved with his parents to Ambleside when quite young and resided there until about 35 years ago when he removed to Teeswater, and has been a respected resident of the village ever since. A few years after coming to the village he was united in marriage to Miss Caroline Riebel, of North Bruce, who survives him. Three of their four children are living, Mrs. Dan O'Mara, Miss Edna and Bert, all in town, their eldest son, Willie, having been killed most tragically about five years ago. The funeral on Wednesday morning of last week from their family residence to the R. C. cemetery was largely attended. Rev. Father Capps conducted the services Interment took place in the R. C. cemetery Teeswater.

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Advertising the Farm Auction Sale

(Family Herald and Weekly Star.)

The newspaper medium should not be overlooked. There are some peculiar facts in the psychology of advertising that have to be met. Perhaps the very best buyers, on the whole, pay but little attention to a sale bill. If the announcement appears in the column of his local paper, he will read it clear through.

It will, therefore, pay to be generous in buying space. Instead of confining your statement to a modest inch or two in some out-of-the-way corner, come out in the open with a display ad. Most merchants attract trade by blowing their own bugle. Nothing disrespectful about that. It's a twentieth century method of doing business. So prepare your ad as he does. Tell what kind of goods you are offering, where, when and on what terms.

Caustic Soda

Just arrived another lot of Caustic Soda in Bulk.

Apples

A fresh supply of Northern Spies.

Olives

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PHONE 165 WALKERTON

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THERE are others, but none to equal us in the two great essential points, Quality and Price. It is our business to supply Good Goods at the Lowest Prices and no one can enter our store and not be convinced of these facts.

New Dress Goods

New stock of Dress Goods just in; newest designs and shades. Harmony Sateen, newest designs, yard wide at 50c a yard.

Table Linen

Some real old stock of Table Linen, quality that cannot be equalled, ranging from $1.00 to $1.50 per yard.
Get our prices on Men's Working Shirts.

Cottons

8-4 Sheeting in Bleached and Grey at 50c a yard.
Get our prices on Bleached and Grey Cottons, yard wide.

Ladies' Gloves

Ladies' Cashmere and Fleeced Gloves at 60c a pair.
Ladies' White Chamoisette Gloves at $1.00 a pair.

Pure Food Grocery

People trade where they get the best goods, the lowest prices, fair treatment and a reliable deal every time—That's why they trade with us.

Roasted Rio Coffee, 25c per lb.
Black Tea special 40c to 50c per lb.
Red Salmon at 18c and 25c per tin.
Pink Salmon, at 25c per tin.
Buy Lily Brand Baking Powder.

Highest Prices paid for Farm Produce. Goods delivered Promptly.

Phone No.7 I. WEBER Walkerton

Wind Blew It Over

The job of taking down Mr. R. H. McKay's old fanning mill factory, was finished on Saturday night by the heavy wind which blew the last remaining wall over against the trees on the side of the street. Mr John Biggs, who recently bought the old building, is using the lumber to build a barn on his property.

Nice Printing

When you leave your order for a job of printing at THE TELESCOPE you know that you will receive a first-class job; neat, clean, well-printed from new type on high-grade stock. And you don't have to pay a cent more for it. Let us do your next order of envelopes, letterheads or billheads.



The indescribable something that distinguish the chic from the commonplace figure is ofte due to the comfort and grace of the corse

C/C a la Grace Corsets are beyond doubt the most graceful and comfortable obtainable. That's why we sell them. Come and see the new models

J. H. APPEL PHONE

There is one big reason why you should buy your **GROCERIES HERE!**

It Means Low Prices Without Loss of QUALITY

Buy your Groceries here and be money ahead.

Goode & McKay
"The People's Grocery" Walkerton

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that Mary King of Chesley, Ontario, wife of Thomas Andrew King, will apply to the Parliament of Canada at the next Session thereof for a Bill of Divorce from her husband, Thomas Andrew King, on the ground of adultery and desertion.

DATED at Chesley, Ontario, this 9th day of March, 1918.

C. J. MICKLE,
Solicitor for Applicant.
N. G. GUTHRIE,
Citizen Building, Ottawa,
Agent. 11-23

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SIX OFFICERS IN FRANCE

Also Many Sergeants of the 160th Have Reverted To Get To Fighting Line At Once

"Never have I seen a happier lot of men" says a Walkerton officer in writing home about the departure of the 160th draft for France. "The boys all seemed tickled to death to get away. "Six officers of the Batt'n have gone to France thus far." Capt. Whitehead left on Feb 11th. to join the 8th. Winnipeg. Major Dunlop is with the 2nd. Pioneer Batt'n. Capt. Minter is with the 47th. Batt'n. Capt. Little with the 1st. Batt'n, Capt. Rowland with the 107th. Batt'n. All are permitted to retain their Captaincies. Among the N. C. O's. who reverted to the ranks in order to get to France are:—Sergts. Joe Reichenbach, Vic. Ramstadtler, Zettel, Walt. Eldt, Chas. Wendt, and Jake Nairn. Major Moffat and Capt Todd are at Wittley Camp. As previously stated Major Moffat will rejoin the U. S. Army. The rest of the officers are at Bramshott. The Indians went to the Reserve Batt'n at Bramshott. Every battalion in the 5th. Division are reported to be in the "same boat". All have sent drafts to France and the remainder to reserve battalions in different parts of England.

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Wanted

Young girl to do house work.— one who will sleep at home. Apply Mrs N. C. MacKay.

Lost.

Young Scotch collie dog answers to name of Sport. Suitable reward.— Thomas Wilton, Brant.

For Sale

A nine-roomed brick house with all conveniences, centrally located and good stable. Apply at this office.

Children's Aid Inspector

Mr. H. W. Elliott, formerly of Ottawa, has been appointed Agent and Inspector for the Children's Aid Society on recommendation of the Provincial Department in Bruce County and commences his duties here next week. He will have his headquarters at Walkerton.

Wess Russell Home.

Wess. Russell, the first of Ex-Reeve Robt Russell's boys to get back from Overseas, arrived home from England Tuesday noon and was met at the Station by a large number of citizens. Wess enlisted on April 2nd of last year, with the Canadian Mounted Rifles and has been Overseas since May last. When his unit went to France he was turned down by the Medical Board and to his deep disappointment had to return home without getting into the big fight. Before leaving he visited the 160th boys at Witley Camp, and his brother, Jack who is doing light duty at Seaford since his return from the trenches.

CORP. WILFRID YACK HOME

Hit By Shell In the Side While Preparing for the Attack at Passchendaele—Made Quick Recovery From Serious Wounds

Brown as a berry, and the picture of health and good spirits, Corp. Wilfrid Yack arrived home from Overseas Thursday noon. A large crowd of citizens gave him a hearty welcome at the station. Wilfrid, who is a son of Mr. and Mrs Louis Yack, had just graduated from Walkerton High School, and put in a year at school-teaching when he enlisted with the 71st for Service Overseas. When the battalion was broken up in England he went to France as signaller with a machine gun section. He saw a lot of hard fighting but it was not until five months ago that his name got on the casualty list. It was in preparing for the Passchendaele advance that Wilfrid and a companion went out to get the line ready. A German shell wounded him badly in the right side. It was a serious affair but fortunately his companion was able to take care of him and get him into the Hospital. The shrapnel had gone through leaving a clean wound. At any rate, Wilfrid made a quick recovery and in exactly five months from the day he was hit he was back in Canada. Corp. Yack makes light of it and says he will be as good as new after a while, except a slight weakness in his side. The fact that he was as hard as nails and in glowing health no doubt accounts for his quick recovery from a wound which might have easily have proved fatal. Corp. Yack states that the quick recovery of the Tommies is a marvel to nurses and attendants at Hospitals who had experience before the war. They recover from injuries in a fraction of the time required by civilians, the explanation being the prime physical condition they were in, when hit. Before leaving England he ran across Ted Wilhelm and saw his wound which consisted of a large bullet hole through the middle of his wrist, which would incapacitate him for further military service. Wilfrid also spent a night with some of his old chums of the 160th at Seaford, where a large number of them were taking a course in pioneer work.

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Little Boy Taken.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew (Susie) Bauman lost their little son, Edmund Joseph, at Kitchener on Friday. He was taken with convulsions and passed away quite unexpectedly at the home of his grandparents while his mother was at the hospital recovering from a serious operation. The little fellow who was in his fourth year, has been the object of particular loving care owing to infirmity from his birth. The funeral was held here Saturday noon on the arrival of the G. T. R. train.

NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Ten pages.

Local news on every page.

To-morrow is Good Friday.

April 1st brings a bone-dry Canada.

Lowe Bros. High Standard Paints at S. W. Vogan's.

Daylight saving will start in United States Sunday.

April 1st. will be no joking matter for the thirsty ones.

For the best farm shoes go to Ramsey's shoe store.

Clover, Timothy, Mangle and Turnip Seed at S. W. Vogan's.

Mr. Harry Leech of West Toronto is visiting at his home here.

Cushionette shoes need no breaking in, sold at Ramsey's shoe store.

Mrs. L. H. McNamara and Hilda returned from Mount Forest on Monday.

Men's Rubber boots we handle only the best qualities.—Ramsey the shoeman.

Sergt. Horn. Runstadtler was home for a few days' leave from Guelph this week.

Mr. John Buehlow underwent an operation successfully at the County Hospital this week.

Women's $4.50 and $5.00 shoes clearing at $3.95 on the bargain table.—Ramsey the Shoeman.

This is the time for Ham and Bacon. We have the Ham and Bacons for Easter. —Goode & McKay.

Mrs. Robt. Gowanlock left the County Hospital on Monday after recovering from a serious operation.

A public reception to Wilfrid Yack and Wes. Russell will be held at the Town Hall Thursday night.

Mr. Robt, Simpson's little son, Robbie Bruce, underwent a slight operation at the County Hospital this week.

Canning factories are contracting for tomatoes at fifty cents a bushel. Last year the price was thirty-five cents.

Rev. Mr. Lamach, the new pastor of the Lutheran Church, will conduct his first service here on Good Friday afternoon

Mr. Robert Murray of Con. 14, Culross was operated upon for a serious ailment at the County Hospital, on Monday by Dr. Hall.

Rev. R. Perdue, who was in Toronto for a week or so being treated for ear trouble, returned home last week somewhat improved.

Mr. Fred Brislan has taken over Mr. Martin Hester's barber shop at Cargill the latter having returned to his farm near that village.

We are agents for the famous McLaughlin & Chevrolee Cars. Come in and get a demonstration. Walkerton Garage, Kolpin & Ermel.

Mrs James T. Clancy spent last week with her parents, Postmaster and Mrs. Frank of New Germany. Mr. Clancy went down over Sunday.

Have you tried our Buckwheat flour? With us a good seller while the Homemade Maple Syrup is at its best. Both lines on sale at the leading Grocery. — Goode & McKay.

Easter.

C. P. R. tickets at Hunter's.

Eastman U. C. Speed Films at Hunter's.

Try the Telescope for tasty job printing.

There are no holiday rates on the railways for Easter.

Miss Adeline Spitzig of Chepstow is visiting her sister at Mildmay.

For Easter—Get a box of Willard's chocolates at Hunter's.

Dominion and Maltese Cross Tires and Tubes at S. W. Vogan's.

Mrs. John R. Shaw of Woodstock is visiting at Mr. E. H. Sheffield's.

Mr. W. M. Shaw left Monday on a business trip to Toronto and Hamilton.

Hogs were $20 per. cwt. Tuesday. This breaks all records for high priced pork.

10 cent wall paper for 7 cents until next Wednesday at Bremner's. See advt

The Women's Institute will meet at Mrs. E. W. Garner's on Thursday, April 4th.

Mrs. McLennan is in Toronto at the funeral of her brother who passed away suddenly last Friday.

Mrs. Frank Smith leaves today on a visit to her daughter Mrs. George Bingleman at Simcoe.

Dr. Morgan of Peterboro visited his mother, Mrs. Morgan, who has been confined to her bed for some time.

Mrs. O'Gorman returned on Monday from an extended visit to Toronto accompanied by Mrs. Con. O'Gorman.

Herb, Hauck was here from Seaforth for a few days. Herb has a position there as operator in a movie theatre.

Rev. J. R. Mann of Port Elgin and Rev. Thos. Wilson pastor of Knox Church will exchange pulpits next Sabbath.

Mrs. McKillop a friends were glad to see her out again on Saturday after being confined to her room for a month by sickness.

Just arrived today a shipment of extra wine sage, fine quality and good eating as usual at the low prices. — Goode & McKay.

Miss Annie McKinnon, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Thos. Cunningham and other relatives here, returned home on Tuesday to Detroit.

If in need of anything in the carriage line, give McCarter's a call. Sandy is agent for the Heeney Carriage Co. of Montreal and will fix you up right.

Come in and get a demonstration on the New McLaughlin E Four—35 & E Six 63, also Chevrolet. Just arrived. Walkerton Garage, Kolpin and Ermel.

Easter Fruits & Vegetables—At this season you will want additions of seasonable varieties. We have a splendid assortment. —Goode & McKay.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Little of Calgary and Mrs. Steven Little of Brant spent last week visiting relatives at Paisley and Port Elgin district.

Gunner Jim McKinnon, who was to have gone Overseas last week with a draft from the Guelph Battery was withdrawn from the draft at the last moment and will likely go with the next draft shortly.

Buy your tires from a garage where you get good and guaranteed tires. We handle Dominion, Goodyear, Dunlop & Van der Linde, all guaranteed tires. Walkerton Garage, Kolpin & Ermel.

According to the Minister of militia's statement in the Commons Monday less than one quarter of the required 100,000 have been raised under the Military Service Act. The figure given was 24,000.

PETER McCANNEL GONE

Succumbed to Serious Illness After a Plucky Fight Lasting Over Three Weeks

The death occurred at Bruce County Hospital early Saturday morning of Peter McCannel in his 52nd year. Nearly four weeks previous he had been suddenly taken ill, and hurried to the hospital. After an operation for appendicitis, peritonitis was reported to have set in, and his life from that moment was despaired of. But his rugged physique, unimpaired by bad habits of any kind or the slightest physical infirmity, battled day after day against the tightening grip of disease. Unassuming, conscientious, genial, even-tempered, and honest as the hills, he was a man who made in his quiet way many friends but not an enemy and the progress of his plucky fight against overwhelming odds was followed day by day with deeply sympathetic interest throughout the town. On Wednesday and Thursday, last, his condition showed some improvement but a change for the worse followed and about two o'clock Saturday morning he passed away. During his illness he was comforted by the constant presence of his younger brother, Malcolm, who shut up his shop a month ago in order to be near his brother and to minister to every possible need

The deceased who was the second son of the late John McCannel of Brant was born in Caledon Township, but at an early age removed with his parents to Bruce Tp. In 1884 the family removed from Bruce to the 6th Concession of Brant, retaining for some years the farm in Bruce also. Here the greater number of his years were spent Seven years ago, the parents having previously passed to their reward, the three members of the family still remaining on the homestead, removed to Walkerton, where they have since resided. After coming to town he worked as as a carpenter. The surviving brothers and sisters are:—Mrs. (Rev.) Robt. Routledge of Cuba. Mrs. James T. Crawford of Walkerton, Mrs. Ed. McDonald of Toronto, Mrs. Thos. Keyes of Kincardine, Miss Ethel at home, John S. of Vancouver, Malcolm at home. The funeral was held from the family residence, Jackson St., on Monday afternoon, a very large company of old friends from town and country being in attendance. Service was conducted by Rev. G. C. Rock. The pallbearers were:—Messrs J Brillinger, John McKinnon, Claud Cooper, John Crawford Joseph Ernest, Thos. Jenkins. Interment took place at Douglas Hill Cemetery.

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Removing To Formosa

Mrs. F. Oberle, who sold her residence on Victoria St. recently, is preparing to remove with her family in a few days to Formosa, where she lived for many years. The best wishes of their many Walkerton friends go with them to their new home

Jack Russell Weds

John Findlay Russell, the second of ex-Reeve Russell's soldier sons Overseas, was wedded in England on February 2nd to a pretty English girl, Miss Maud Sorfleet, daughter of a farmer near Denham, Buckinghamshire. John met the young lady three years ago when he went over with the 1st Contingent and judging by her photograph, which he sent home a year ago, it appears that he is a very fortunate young man. Jack is now out of the hospital where he spent several months after being buried by a shell and is doing light duty at the Can. Machine Gun Supply Depot at Seaford, England.

Wounded In Eye

Lance-Corp. Norm. Denny, one of the three sons of Mr. Wm. Denny, who are Overseas, has been wounded in the eye and is now in a Military Hospital in France. The word came in a letter to Mr. Denny from a Canadian Red Cross visitor written on Feb. 21st. The letter said that Norman had come in the day before and his eye was pretty sore, but gives no particulars of the wound. Norm. would be transferred to England soon according to the letter. It is over three years since Norm., who was scarcely seventeen at the time, enlisted with the 34th Batt'n. He went to France with the 4th Can. Inf. Batt'n and has been in the thick of it ever since. In all that time this plucky young lad has never been on the casualty list until now, although twice slightly wounded. His parents are anxiously awaiting further particulars as to the extent of his injury. LATER —A further letter received yesterday, dated March 6th, said that Norm was getting along slowly. He had a little pain in his head but not too worry. It would be some time, the letter stated, before he would be sent back to England.

WALKERTON IN 1928

In A Letter Written Ten Years Hence Old Timer Tells of Changes That Come Over This Burg in the Next Decade

Walkerton, March 28, 1928.

Dear Bill:—

It seems but the other day, Bill, since you pulled out of here for Western Canada. I can hardly realize that ten years have passed and gone. That was in 1918, the cold winter, the like of which we have never seen before or since. It was also the year of the great drought about April 1st. And to think that you have been out of touch with Walkerton ever since. I wish you could take a jaunt back to the old town, Bill. It would do you good and take it from me, you will find a good deal better town than you left. The place has grown a bit since your time, about a thousand I think. It is getting to be quite a manufacturing centre. Cheap power and lots of it from the Saugeen is certainly a great asset. The old electric light company of course sold out to the town long ago. Some people thought they got a pretty fat price, you know how those things go, but it has meant such a big thing for the town that everybody is satisfied. Of course John Rowland is a senator now and wears a plug hat Sundays and week-days. With cheap power, plenty of labor and comparatively low cost of living for workmen we find that manufacturers are not hard to interest The Board of Trade, don't smile Bill things have changed since your time, is right on the job and doesn't let anything get past. President Sam Vogan has proven a live wire. The merchants too are smiling these times. Tommy Pye says he and Albert are doing the business of their lives. We don't hear any more about rural depopulation. Folks are finding out where the Garden of Eden really is. The farms are a good deal smaller than they were ten years ago and intensive cultivation is the cry. The growing population of the manufacturing towns means a big market right at the farmers doors. Yes, the farmers are making the money. Mr. Jim Cameron, the Queen Bee of our retired farmers, is actually threatening to go back to work. And of course the Hydro radial roads have helped. We find that the hyrdo radial through here from Owen Sound is a great business getter for the merchants. While country trade has greatly increased, I don't believe there are any more merchants than in your time. Outside competition has led to the carrying of larger stocks. The merchant nowadays has to be up-to-date in his merchandising methods but he has a firmer hold on the local trade than he had ten years ago. Teatons and Timpsons have lost their glamor. Folks find they can get better service at home. Of course late shopping and late deliveries are long since a thing of the past. The stores close down an hour earlier on Saturdays than on week days. Our Co-operative parcel delivery under Tommy Wolfe's management works fine. Only three rigs are needed to give the town three deliveries a day. The Front street has been paved since your day of course, and we have a permanent roadway a mile and a quarter long from station to station. Davie George, district manager of the hydro radial road, has cut down distances in town a whole lot by giving us a five cent trolley service from station to station and intervening points. This has proved a great boon to the folks in the G. T. R neighborhood. Was the Bend sized up in your time, Bill? Well it is a nice public park now. There is a dressing place for kids who go swimming. The Town Council has added swings, tables, benches and all kinds of conveniences for picnickers and the people certainly take advantage of it in the summer. There is a band stand in the centre of the grounds and every Thursday night our crack Walkerton band gives a public open air concert, which everybody attends. You didn't know about our band? Well, when Billy Thompson and Jack Wallace and those fellows got back from the war they weren't here five minutes until they organized a Walkerton citizens' Band, and believe me Bill, it's a hum-dinger.

Our scheme of running town affairs has charged a bit since your time. Our Councillors are now elected for one, two or three years according to the vote they receive at the poll. This gives more continuity to the work of the Council and our local Aldermen get better municipal training. The Mayor is no longer elected by the people but by the Council, in the same way that the Chairman of the School Board is appointed. Mrs. Wesse, Mrs. Sheldon,

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SPRING MEDICINES

Many medicines are more or less overrated in their advertisements but we believe you will find such reliable preparations as PENSLAR LAXATIVE BLOOD ALTERATIVE, NYAL'S SARSAPARILLA and NYAL'S SPRING TONIC do what they say. All are system tonics and give the body a regular house cleaning.

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THE JOB HUNTING IS GOOD

The glad tidings have gone out that ronage is abolished, but to the casual visitor at Ottawa it looks as if patronage had been doubled, says the Saturday Night. Instead of only one party having a pull, both parties have a pull, a long pull, a strong pull, and a pull all together. It is the open season for job hunting at Ottawa right now. The horn of the job hunter is heard on the Hill. The hunting is good, too. Nearly everybody brings down the job he is after. This war has got to be won if the last job takes the last dollar. Every man between Prince Rupert and Cape Breton, who lifted a finger for Union Government has a claim on this bleeding country which he ought to file right now. The quality of mercy is not strained. It blesses him that gives the job and him that takes. Three men may take the same job; they may even be uncertain what the job is, but that makes no difference—the chief end of a job is the pay envelope, and so far that has come regularly. We may be winning the war by multiplying jobs, but it looks bad to see so many buzzards picking Canada's bones. Royal Commissions of one kind and another sprout over night. God knows how many railway boards, war boards, food boards, purchase boards, war trade boards—all more or less festive boards, by the way—we have at this moment. We have them in Ottawa, and we have them in Washington. The best calculators have lost track of their number. Even the Government could not tell off-hand how many there are. Appointing commissions—passing the buck they call it at Ottawa—is perhaps the best thing the Government does. It is urged by way of excuse, that most of these boards give their services for nothing—just as Sir Joseph gives his—but we are inclined to suspect this gratuitous patriotism. And no matter how gratuitous it is, the expense allowance for each patriot is ten dollars a day, and when there are so many patriots on the job this runs into a lot of money.

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RETIRED FARMERS

An unknown "retired" farmer has the following to say for his kind. It hits the nail on the head. The retired farmer has earned everything that he has and deserves much more than he gets. He says:

"When I read in the papers and hear speakers tell that retired farmers are no good I get pretty mad. Maybe we are no good on the farm. The young folks don't want us around in the way. What are you going to do with us? I suppose you think maybe we ought to be "Solerized." Maybe we wouldn't be any good in Heaven and possibly we'd be too green to be any good in the other place. What made your towns? You say your railroads, your factories, your merchants. Let me tell you. First us old fellows (we weren't so old then) came onto the land cleared it, broke up the sod, built houses and barn and school houses, rode in lumber wagons, lived on corn pone pork, worked 16 hours a day and saved our money. Then the railroad came, and towns were built because we needed them. Factories were started. Everything prospered but we pioneers opened the way. Now we are crippled up with rheumatism, mother can't ride six or eight miles to church and we are going to town. We are going to sit in the park and hear the band play and watch the people go by and be just as lazy as we want to be. Maybe we will get fat and die in a few years. A year or two doesn't make much difference with us. Our usefulness anywhere in town or out in the country is about over. We have worked hard, suffered privations, saved up what little we had gotten and we are not very free to let go of it. Rubber plantations, mining stock or automobile factories don't appeal to us. We pay our way and it seems we are safe citizens, if not enterprising ones. Bear with us as you would with a faithful old horse or dog for the good we have done, and remember that old people do not change their ways as readily as younger ones, but we are just as sensitive to slights and slurs.

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During the past year 16,856,236 separate pieces of Sundy-school literature, came from the presses of the Methodist Book Room, Toronto.

Aunt Sally's Letter

To the Readers of
The Walkerton Telescope

Dear Friends:—

What do colors mean to you? The colors around us effect us whether we know it or not. The beautiful fresh green grass and trees will soon cast their influence about us. Green is a restful color. It isn't only the warm Spring breezes that makes us relax our energies. It is the sudden change from the glaring snow to the soothing restful green around us.

Lucile the clever designer of women's fashionable clothing, took much pleasure in decorating each room in her apartment with a color that harmonized with the use she intended to make of the room.

The hall is a vivid turquoise green with every bit of furniture and hangings and carpet of the same hue; the ceiling is vivid blue. These colors stand for success and loyalty.

Her bedroom is rose color—not that mind you, but rose, real rose. The walls are hung with filmy gauze, rose taffeta curtains drape the windows, and wreaths of silk roses are everywhere. The furniture is lemon and pale blue. These colors vibrate joy, love, wisdom and health.

The dressing room, which is entered from this room, is of palest sky blue, a blue with a slight tint of mauve which means pure happiness.

The sitting room is all dull grey with bluish walls. It's effect is peaceful and restful.

The music room has green and grey walls, with glints here and there on the greenish-grey furniture of every one of the other colors; the curtains are black toile de Jouey trimmed with green and decorated with blue-birds on leafless branches. When lit up at night the room has the gayest and most delightful vibrations which make you dance and sing and laugh.

The language of color is too often disregarded. In choosing our new wall paper and paint let us keep in mind what effect the color is likely to have on us. Lucile made some happy selections, don't you think so?

Faithfully yours,
Aunt Sally,
Walkerton Telescope,
Walkerton, Ont.

RING CONTEST CLOSES APRIL 15

Make your Easter holidays count girls and boys and earn a beautiful birthstone ring. Call at the Telescope office and the editor will give you some suggestions to help you earn one.

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SEPARATE SCHOOL REPORT

Honor Roll of Pupils for the Month of March

Sen. IV.—Thomas Monahon, Florence Obrecht, Louisa Lippert, Gladys Fehrenbach, Albert Weiler, Albert Ruetz, Earl Weiss, Melinda Schumacher, Rita Weiss, Adeline Becker, Gladys Jarvis, Lizzie O'Connor, Loretta Schumacher.

Jun. IV.—Clarence Weiler, Eleanor Weber, Edwin Schmidt, Edna Sutter, Lyal Cousins, Aloysius Zettler, Rita Scanlan, Arthur Waechter, Mary Zettler, Cyril Oberle.

Sr. III.—Laverne Yaeck, Audrey McNeill, Bernice Lambertus, John Sweeney, Griselda Becker, Gladys, Eckenswiller, Violet Freiburger, Willard Walker, John Obrecht, Arthur Sutter, Hilda McNamara, Harry Buehlow, Alvin Cunio, Clara Giesler, Lucy Gillen, Clara Buehlow.

Jun. III.—Agnes Weber, Leona Scanlan, Kathleen Obrecht, Joseph Gillen, Loretta Gillen, Albert Giesler, Joseph Batte, Norman Freiburger, Alex Bank, Albert Batte, Mike Gillen.

Sen. II.—Roy Walker, Vera Oberle, Leona Schuurr, Lillian Freiburger, Willie Dentinger, Erwin Cabalinger, Helen Wilhelm, Bernard Schnurr, Andrew Fehrenbach, Anthony Cunio, Melinda Ernest, Clarence Berberich, Evelyn Weber, Ursula Lymbery.

Jun. II.—David McNab, Bernice Mullen, Isabel Zettler, Albert Disch, Kelly Lettner, Joseph Huck, Fred Lymbery, Lionel Rich, Lillian Keller, Clarence Dentinger, Joseph Wilhelm, Clara Heiss.

Sen. I.—Harry Kroetch, Joseph Obrecht, Charles O'Malley, Arthur Weiler, Harry Schnurr, Annie Dentinger, Wilbert Mullen, Howard Yaeck, Gerald Klein, Edgar Oberle, Nelson Buehlow, Clarence Schnurr, Norman Siegfried, Dominic Gillen.

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Potatoes Frozen

Asked if there was a probability of potatoes taking a drop in price a local grocer declared his belief that there would be no drop. It was stated that thousands of bushels of potatoes which had been stored in pits during the winter had been ruined by the frost, and this loss militated against any reduction in the price.

WALKERTON IN 1928

(Continued from Page One)

Miss Truax, Mrs. Rowland, Mrs. Ramsey and half a score of others of our women whom you will remember as being active in war work in your time, are now running the schools and sitting at Town Council. Mere men have to toe the scratch these times, my boy. For instance, our old friend, Wig McKay, wanted to be Mayor this year, but his wife wouldn't let him. He has to stay home and mind the little flock, while she goes to attend the School Board. It's a poor husband nowadays that won't stay home every Tevening and finish up the housework while his wife is attending a Board meeting or gossiping a couple of hours down town. Bill, I would like to tell you about a lot of the improvements around town but it would make this letter too long. One thing you would admire if you came back would be the churches. We have just the three now instead of seven, but all are in a flourishing condition. The preachers get a living salary (and would you believe it, it is never overdue) and the funds of the Churches are well-kept up. The money that was saved by getting together is now available for missionary and other enterprises. As far as we can tell the Church is stronger in every way under the new conditions and a greater force for good in the community.

I know you are anxious to know if Denny Phalen is still Reeve of Greenock, and a score of other things, but if I don't stop I'll get writer's cramp and you'll get a headache. So long for the present, Bill.

Yours,
Old Timer.

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Town and District

Ten pages.

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Walkerville will keep a municipal piggery where 50 young porkers will be fed on town garbage.

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High Constable Briggs has asked the Carrick Council to recommend a man for constable at Formosa.

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Brantford Council has bought a wood lot and expects to provide 3,000 cords of wood for the citizens. A purchase has been secured for the cleared land.

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The action arising out of the cutting down of a shade tree on concession B, in which the Township of Carrick is interested, is slated to come up for trial at Walkerton April 9th.

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Mr. Hugh McKerracher has purchased the new Putnam residence on Queen St. south, which recently passed into the hands of an outsider. Mr. McKerracher is moving in this week.—Paisley Advocate.

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Seven years ago the city of Detroit had a population of less than 500,000. To-day it has passed the 1,000,000 mark, making it rank fourth among the cities of the country. New York, Chicago and Philadelphia are the only cities in America which have a greater population.

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A solution for the high cost of the meat problem comes from the Balcarres Sask., Free Lance. It consists of raising rabbits. You start with two. By the following spring you have twenty-two; the next spring 242; the next spring after that 2420; and so on.

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The Western farmers are clamoring for the removal of the duty on farm implements. They will make their weight felt this Session. During the last 9 months no less than 3 millions in duty has been collected on farm implements and the farmer paid the shot.

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Praise your wife sometimes. She works hard enough as a general thing with small compensation and less cheer than any other member of the family. You like being told that you can do your particular kind of work better than any one else can, so why should you withold the same merited praise from the woman who makes and keeps your home bright for you?

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Nice Chickens These

Last week an Orangeville produce buyer, paid $5 for a pair of dressed chickens. They weighed 16½ lbs and fetched 30c. per lb. Ten years ago $5 would have purchased fifteen pairs of ordinary chickens.

Expensive Load of Hay.

Not so many years ago, Andew Sanderson, a farmer in the township of York, took a load of hay one autumn to Toronto to sell in the open market. Finding no sale, and unwilling to take the load back with him over very heavy roads, he offered it to the proprietor of Elgin's Hotel on Yonge Street, who offered him in return the lot at north east corner of King and Yonge Sts., Sanderson reluctantly accepted. That lot was sold not long ago for a million and a quarter dollars.

NEWS TOPICS OF WEEK

Important Events Which Have Occurred During the Week.

The Busy World's Happenings Carefully Compiled and Put Into Handy and Attractive Shape for the Readers of Our Paper — A Solid Hour's Enjoyment.

TUESDAY.

Walkerville is to establish a municipal piggery.

Four more pro-German suspects were arrested in New York.

St. Patrick's day was appropriately observed at the Vatican.

Canada's new Parliament was formally opened at 11 a.m. yesterday.

A costly freight derailment took place on the G.T.R. near Trenton.

It was announced in Paris that trench fever is transmitted by lice.

Released German prisoners are helping the Bolshevikt in Siberia.

Toronto bill for an increased vehicle tax got an unsympathetic reception in the Legislature.

Cobalt Town Council asked Chief of Police Burke for his resignation, and deposed George Ross, town solicitor.

Toronto Home and School Council sent a resolution to the Dominion Government opposing a titled aristocracy for Canada.

Philip Smith, of Sarnia, employed by the Reid Wrecking Co. on the steamer Saranac at Halifax, fell overboard and was drowned.

Toronto City Council decided to increase water rates twenty-five per cent., and to place Firemen's Benefit Fund on an actuarial basis.

Three trains of wounded veterans and a quota of eighty Toronto married members of the original First Contingent are due to-day.

Col. David Carnegie urged immediate preparation for placing Canadian industry on a peace footing before the Toronto Board of Trade.

Mr. Justice Duff, Central Appeal Judge, has decided that theological students in missionary work or probationers in the Methodist, Presbyterian and Baptist Churches are not entitled to exemption, even for a limited period, owing to military necessity.

WEDNESDAY.

Roumania is opposed to the cession of Dobrudja to Bulgaria.

Thousands of relatives of Toronto soldiers waited in vain for their arrival yesterday.

The price of live hogs advanced to $20.50 per cwt. on the Toronto live stock market yesterday.

Second Flight Lieut. John Burley, of Toronto, was killed in an airplane accident in Texas.

A large number of men from the Toronto Military District were awarded the Military Medal.

Railway rates for coal in Western Ontario have been announced by the Railway Commission.

The Royal Templars of Temperance Dominion Council opened its biennial meeting in Hamilton.

The Canada Food Board has approved of a standard uniform for the older boy "Soldiers of the Soil."

The newsprint paper output in the United States for the first two months of 1918 showed an increase.

C. M. Bowman, M.P.P., said in the Legislature that the Government price of fish to the fisherman is too low.

The city of Toronto bill asking for the revenue from a special tax on motor vehicles was defeated in the Legislature.

Fish and meat valued at many thousand dollars have been destroyed in Montreal during the past month as unfit for human consumption.

The London & Lake Erie Transportation Co. directors decided to offer the road to London at $420,000, being fifty cents on the dollar.

The debate in the Commons on the address in reply to the speech from the Throne was concluded last night, and that in the Senate was adjourned.

Hon. Charles Murphy, in the Commons, made a slashing attack on Hon. Newton W. Rowell, the Toronto Globe, the Toronto Star, and the Christian Science Monitor.

THURSDAY.

Edward Stott, a British painter, died Tuesday at his home in Amberley, Sussex.

The Russian warships escaped in Sebastopol when the Germans occupied Odessa.

Atlantic fishing will soon be sold in Ontario and Quebec at an average of ten cents a pound.

Mrs. Earnest Trepanier, of Quebec, dropped dead while knitting with a neighbor for the soldiers.

Belleville has experienced the worst flood in its history, through the breaking of the icejam on the Moira.

Rev. Dr. John Neil, Moderator of the Presbyterian General Assembly, arrives home from England and France.

The Finance Minister has approved of the purchase by the Bank of Montreal of the Bank of British North America.

A charge of conspiracy was laid against General Manager F. M. Holland of the Dominion Permanent Loan Co.

Control of importation of luxuries is provided for in a resolution of which notice was given in the Commons.

Shipbuilders wait on the Dominion Government to-day to protest against alleged unreasonable demands of their men.

The Government has given notice of a resolution providing for the appointment of a Secretary of State for External Affairs.

Municipalities on the Lake Erie & Northern Railway strongly urge the Dominion Government to improve Port Dover harbor.

A campaign was launched which has on its objective the securing of two thousand Toronto high school boys for farm work.

The lifeless body of Lieut. G. S. Robinson was found on the ice beneath a 70-foot cliff just when a draft was leaving the station at Brockville.

FRIDAY.

A large number of farmers in Manitoba are commencing seeding.

Sir William Hearst's salary was raised from $9,000 to $12,000 per year.

The Toronto Board of Control approves of the garbage-fed hog industry.

W. K. Proudfoot, K.C., will continue as Liberal Leader in the Legislature.

Hon. N. W. Rowell left Ottawa for ten days' vacation and rest, on the advice of his physician.

A movement is on foot to detach Thunder Bay district from Ontario and annex it to Manitoba.

Two German destroyers and two torpedo boats were sunk by the allies in an action off Dunkirk.

The Merchants Bank has agreed to loan a million dollars to Alberta to aid the live stock industry.

Mr. G. H. Boivin, M.P. for Shefford, Que., was elected Deputy Speaker of the House of Commons.

Geo. S. Booth, fourteen years old, a Home boy, living with a farmer in Caledon townships, was electrocuted on his way home from school.

The United States Senate approved the measure providing for the fixing the Government's guaranteed wheat price for the 1918 crop at $2.50 a bushel.

A statement issued by the British Admiralty showed that from the beginning of the war up to Jan. 1 last the allies lost over 11,000,000 tons of shipping.

The bill introduced before the Ontario Legislature by J. C. Elliott, of West Middlesex, proposing seats for women in the Provincial House, was defeated.

J. M. Godfrey has been retained by the Toronto teachers to represent Freda Held in a public investigation into the charges against her that she does not admire the second verse of "God Save to King."

SATURDAY.

Germany is flooding Russia with her merchandise.

American troops destroyed two German lines in the Lorraine sector.

Toronto's tax rate was fixed by the Board of Control at 30½ mills.

A plan was drawn up at Washington for the conservation of newsprint paper.

The women's franchise bill was discussed in committee in the Commons.

The main estimates were tabled in the Commons, and interim supply passed.

Ex-Premier Asquith made a strong plea for a settlement of the Irish question.

T. & N. O. Railway net earnings for the last fiscal year were given as $516,700.

The New Brunswick Legislature approved of the extension of the franchise to women.

Spring work has commenced on the farms in Southern Saskatchewan, the earliest in seven years.

The daylight-saving bill will likely be fixed to come into effect at the same time in the United States.

A new service has been added to the Quebec Department of Agriculture, the Increased Food Production Branch.

York County Council announced its willingness to co-operate in the food campaign, although discontent was aired about the fixed price of wheat.

The Ontario Women Citizens' Association has sent a resolution to the Dominion Government asking for a thorough revision of the Criminal Code.

Writs have been issued against the estates of deceased directors of the Canada Permanent Loan Co., it was announced at a meeting at which the Provincial Government was criticized for loans methods.

MONDAY.

Seven Government tractors will be operated in Oxford County this year.

Wm. Pratt, father of Lt.-Col. A. C. Pratt, M.P.P., for South Norfolk, died at his home at Simcoe, aged 77.

Flight Lieut. Carpenter, Toronto airman, was killed in a flying accident at Shawsbury Camp, England.

Sir Collingwood Schriebert, one of the most distinguished engineers in Canada, died at Ottawa, aged 87.

Capt. William Redmond, son of the late John Redmond, was elected to succeed his father in Waterford.

Secretary of War Baker of the United States has reached England and will be received by the King.

British troops in Palestine have forced a passage of the River Jordan, bridged the river and established themselves on the east bank.

The recount of soldiers' votes overseas for North East has been withdrawn and W. C. Kennedy retains the seat.

Over five thousand war veterans in Saturday's parade made a demonstration against employment of aliens in Canada.

Lt.-Col. T. B. Welch, who commanded the 99th Battalion, died at his home in Windsor, following an operation.

The body of an unidentified young Macedonian found dead in woods east of Thorncliffe racetrack with bullet wound, indicating foul play.

The Archbishop of Canterbury and the Bishop of London have issued messages asking for special prayers in all churches for allied success.

Pte. Harold Austin, aged 16, of the Welland Canal Protective Force, who had been on duty only six months, was drowned near Thorold, Friday night.

Hon. Crawford Vaughan, ex-Premier of South Australia, stated in an interview that he sees no ground for misgivings about the German offensive.

Great concern was shown throughout Ontario in connection with news of the German offensive, and special prayer services were held in many churches.

The jury in the trial of the alleged dynamiters at Montreal agreed that six of the accused should be liberated —which was done accordingly—but disagreed about the three others, who will be tried on April 2nd.

THE MARKETS

TORONTO MARKETS.

TORONTO, March 25.—The Board of Trade quotations for Saturday are as follows:—

No. 1 northern, $2.24½.
No. 2 northern, $2.20½.
No. 3 northern, $2.17½.
No. 4 wheat, 12 1/2c.
Manitoba Oats (In Store, Fort William).
No. 2 C.W., 85½c.
No. 3 C.W., 81½c.
Extra No. 1 feed, 80½c.
No. 1 feed, 78½c.
American Corn (Track, Toronto).
No. 3 yellow—U.S.A. War Board prohibit importation.
Ontario Oats (According to Freights Outside).
No. 2 white—66c to 68c.
No. 3 white—65c to 66c.
Ontario Wheat (Basis in Store, Montreal).
No. 2 winter per car lot, $2.23.
Peas (According to Freights Outside).
No. 2—$2.60 to $2.70.
Barley (According to Freights Outside).
Malting—$1.18 to $1.80.
Buckwheat (According to Freights Outside).
Buckwheat—$1.25 to $1.25.
Rye (According to Freights Outside).
No. 2—$2.40.
Manitoba Flour (Toronto, New Regul.).
War quality—$11.10.
Ontario Flour (Montreal, Prompt Shipment, New Regul.).
War quality, $10.75, Montreal; $10.70, Toronto.
Millfeed (Car Lots, Montreal Freights Bags Included).
Bran, per ton, $35.40; shorts, per ton, $40.40.
Hay (Track, Toronto).
No. 1, per ton, $17 to $18; mixed, per ton, $14 to $16.
Straw (Track, Toronto).
Car lots, per ton, $8.00 to $9.
Farmers' Market.
Fall wheat—Milling, $2.14 per bushel.
Goose wheat—$2.10 to $2.12 per bushel.
Barley—Malting, $1.78 to $1.80 per bushel.
Oats—$1.01 to $1.02 per bushel.
Buckwheat—$1.45 per bushel.
Rye—Nominal.
Hay—Timothy, $20 to $22 per ton; mixed and clover, $18 to $20 per ton.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.

J. P. Bickell & Co., Standard Building, report the following prices on the Chicago Board of Trade:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Corn—				
May ...	128½	128¼	126¾	126¼
Mar. ...	...	...	...	...
Oats—				
May ...	85¾	87¼	85¾	85⅞
Mar ...	81⅜	81¼	80¾	80¼
Pork—				
May ...	48.65	48.65	48.40	48.62
Lard—				
May ...	26.32	26.37	26.17	26.22
July ...	25.50	25.52	25.17	25.20
Ribs—				
May ...	24.90	24.97	24.87	24.86
July ...	25.35	25.35	25.22	25.10

CATTLE MARKET

UNION STOCK YARDS.

TORONTO, March 25.—Receipts of cattle at the Union Stock Yards for to-day's market are 3235 being 221 calves, 98 sheep and lambs and 3,517 hogs.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, March 23.—Cattle—Receipts 6000. Market weak. Beeves, $9.50 to $14.35; stockers and feeders, $7 to $11.75; cows and heifers, $7.10 to $12.15; calves, $10.50 to $16.

Hogs—Receipts 23,000. Market unsettled. Light $17.35 to $17.95; mixed, $17.80 to $17.90; heavy, $16.25 to $17.; rough, $16.25 to $16.40; pigs, $13 to $16.; bulk of sales, $17.25 to $17.80.

Sheep—Receipts 8000. Market strong. Natives, $11 to $15; lambs, native, $14 to $18.75.

Activities in Air.

LONDON, March 25.—In the past three days the British airmen have downed 154 German machines on the western and Italian fronts, and have lost 11. This does not appear to bear out the German claim of supremacy made in yesterday's official German report. A British official statement follows:

"A thick morning mist on Friday prevented our airplanes from leaving the ground during the early part of the day. When the mist cleared there was much activity in the air on one battle front. The enemy's low-flying machines were particularly accurate, engaging our forward groups with machine guns.

"The enemy's massed troops again offered good targets for our low-flying airplanes. The location and range of bodies of hostile troops and transport were reported to our artillery and successfully engaged.

"Eight and a half tons of bombs were dropped on hostile railway stations in the rear of the battle front and also on the enemy's billets."

Great Gas Attacks.

Canadian Headquarters in France, March 25. — While German and British troops were struggling far to the south in the opening clash of the spring campaign the greatest projector gas bombardment in the world's history was carried out by the Canadians last night against enemy position between Lens and Hill 70. Sharply at 11 o'clock a signal rocket gave notice of its beginning. A moment later over five thousand drums of lethal gas, simultaneously released from projectors, were buried into enemy territory from the outskirts of Lens to Cite St. Auguste and Fosse de Dix Huit. From his front line and strong points favoring winds carried the poisonous clouds back upon the enemy's dugouts, supports, reserves, and assembly areas. The whole front was lit up with enemy flares, which could be dimly seen through the heavy mist, while the men in our lines could hear the enemy's gas alarm and cries of distress from the hostile trenches.

British Miners In Line.

LONDON, March 25.—It is understood that the Miners' Federation has accepted the Government's proposal regarding the combing out of men for military service.

The federation passed a resolution advising the men not to resist the combing out of 50,000 men from the mines, in view of the fact that the ballot taken by the miners did not show a two-thirds majority against the proposal.

Dangerous German Arrested.

NEW YORK, March 25. — Karl Tucker, who served as secretary to Horst von Der Goltz who organized the expedition to blow up the Welland Canal in Canada, was arrested here as a dangerous enemy alien.

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NEWSY HAPPENINGS IN BRUCE

Palmerston School Board allows its teachers a war bonus of $50 per annum.

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In Creemore, recording to the Star, the popular song is, "Everybody has the mumps."

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At Mount Forest a plate glass window in a store front was broken by the force of the wind.

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Farmers' clubs are the feature these days, says the Port Elgin Times, and this whole section of the country is being organized

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Goderich grocers announce that after May 1st. they will do a strictly cash business. Saturday night delivery will also be cut off.

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Guelph council has decided to greatly increase the tax on dogs and charge $15 for kennels, in addition to making all dog-owners purchase tags by April 1.

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A Midland township farmer sold a sow in Guelph for $117. It weighed 742 lbs., and as a fashion sheet says, had a waist measurement of 77 inches.

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At an auction sale in Harwich Township barley brought $5 per hundred pounds, and many of the implements sold for much higher prices than they were purchased new. Over $6,300 was realized at the sale.

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Many farmers throughout Minto township and the townships adjoining who have pits of potatoes, turnips or other roots, say the frost has penetrated into their pits and destroyed from half to two-thirds of their roots. One farmer in Minto alone in estimates his loss to be $3000.—Harriston Review.

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Coal Oil Stove Exploded

The fire alarm sounded on Tuesday afternoon, following the explosion of a coal oil stove in the apartments of Mrs. Fiddler, above Mrs. Montgomery's store. The lady was lighting the stove when it blew up, fortunately throwing its flame away from her. Mrs. Fiddler had the presence of mind to throw a quilt over it at once and prevented a blaze. The fire bell rang but the services of the brigade were not required.—Paisley Advocate.

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Sudden Death

The death summons came very suddenly to Mr. Henry Irwin of Belmore. Deceased, who had been living alone in a house south of the village of Belmore, had been a sufferer for years with heart trouble, and a week ago he told his neighbors that he believed his end was near. One morning recently his neighbors did not notice the smoke rising from his chimney as usual, and at once became alarmed, so entering the house they found the old gentleman dead in his bed. The coroner was called and decided that death was due to natural causes. Deceased was 77 years of age and had been been a resident of Belmore for many years.

Port Elgin Council has forbad citizens to tap the maple trees on the highway.

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At Elgin the Council will subdivide a two acre disused portion of the cemetery for garden plots for the citizens.

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Evidently it is cheaper to burn coal than wood as some farmers in Brant south of here are selling wood at Hanover for $5 per cord and buying coal here. It is reported they cannot get a supply at Hanover on account of their having wood.—Elmwood Corr. Chesley Enterprise.

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Clothing Caught Fire

Mrs. A. Blue had a narrow escape from being burned to death on Thursday last. As she was working about the stove her clothing caught fire. She ran outside, intending to roll herself in the snow, when her husband grabbed a broom and managed to whisk out the flames, but not before she was considerably burned about the upper part of her body.—Paisley Advocate.

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Death of David Hanna

All old residents of Paisley and vicinity will learn with regret of the death of Mr David Hanna, who in the earlier days of the town was one of our most enterprising and progressive citizens. With his father and brother James the deceased came here from Lanmark in 1848 and built a saw mill and grist mill which ten years later they sold to the late Duncan Fisher. In 1870 or 1871 David Hanna erected the Hanna House Hotel, which he ran for a number of years. Later he went to Toronto, and 34 years ago, went West to farm. His death occurred at Wetaskewin, Alta. He is survived by Mrs Aandra and their only son, Louis.—Paisley Advocate.

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Hog Prices Step Up

Live pork took quite a jump up on Tuesday, without anything to warrant it except the competition between the drovers and the farmer's clubs. There are now three of these clubs organized in this section—at Williscroft, in S. S. No. 16 Bruce and S. S. No. 8 Greenock & Elderslie. For the first time the members there delivered hogs at Paisley on f. o. b terms to the packing firm, also handling others than they themselves had to deliver. Result, higher bids from the drovers, and the price went up to $19.65. Should the farmers stick together on the hog-selling scheme, the co-operative system is bound to develop to other branches of the live stock business. It is a case of the producers attempting to remove one of the toll gates on the highway of trade between themselves and the consumer. As this is abundantly evident to those who have been engaged in the trade for years, there will in all probability be something of a fight for who is going to handle the hogs in the future.—Paisley Advocate

Port Elgin received 24 applications for the position of supervisor.

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Bruce Municipal Telephone System has raised the phone rate to $15 for 1918.

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A young man who was fined at Lindsay the other day for being drunk, had found the necessary stimulant in a mixture of extract of vanilla and two per cent beer.

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It was something of a funeral train which came up the Southampton branch of the G. T. R. last Saturday, no less than four corpses being on board. At Walkerton the remains of Mrs. Butler of Kitchener, a former well-known summer resident here, were taken off. There was another taken off at Paisley, one also at Port Elgin and the remains of the late Miss W. Rinkan were brought to Southampton for interment.—Southampton Beacon.

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"THE AVERAGE T.P. COUNCIL."

The Saturday Night, in reference to the recent municipal contest for Mayoralty of Vancouver, says: "The entire campaign centered around a trival incident which would not hold the attention of the average tp. council for 15 minutes."

We have often been amused at the views expressed by city papers anent rural municipal bodies. One would imagine from their writings that only in large centres are real brains to be found. After an experience of nearly a decade we desire to state that "the average township council" measures up to that of any city or town council we know. They meet once a month, and do their busines honestly and well. Their meetings are orderly and conducted in a gentlemanly manner. We have yet to report one council meeting where the members have lost their heads and called one another vile names that from time to time appear in the reports in the metropolitan press. Toronto city council for years has been a joke. The transaction of its business has at times almost developed into a bear garden with a free fight only averted by a few cool-headed men. The same may be said of many other cities. Why is it that the city press try to convey the impression that rural municipal councils lack brains or business ability? The only answer is that they lack first-hand knowledge of the working of such bodies. If they were present at some of their meetings they would find that courtesy, good breeding and respect for one another were the dominant features of their meetings. Also they would find intelligence exercised in dealing with all questions before them. We will back "the average township council" against any of the city or town councils we know, for more honesty of purpose and more gentlemanly conduct in public business than any of them.—Kincardine Reporter

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The Essentials in Planning Garden—Best Varieties to Plant.

(Contributed by Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.)

AT NO TIME in many years has the necessity and importance of the home vegetable garden been so clearly shown as for this coming summer. France, our wonderful ally, has since the French Revolution been a nation of small farmers, her people of small means cultivating some available land to produce a portion of their own household foodstuffs and to increase the wealth of the nation. Great Britain, threatened with a shortage of foodstuffs, determined to cultivate all available land possible to offset this shortage and we, in Canada, bending every energy toward facilitating these great nations should do all in our individual power to do something in the hope of helping ourselves and assisting the commercial vegetable growers who are seriously handicapped by the shortage of labor in the production of vegetable foodstuffs. Every city, town and village dweller has an opportunity to help in this great work, in that there are hundreds of available plots now practically unproductive, which could be made grow vegetables and thus add to the wealth of the country.

Vegetables an Important Food.

Vegetables should form an important portion of the daily food of the average human being, for they possess qualities which we are told are essential in the proper digestion of the heavy foods, such as meats.

All backyards cannot be prepared in one year to grow vegetables of an excellent quality. Some portion of the yard, however, may be devoted to this purpose, or, if it is convenient, there are usually many vacant lots which are not too far from one's place of abode which possibly could be devoted to the growing of vegetables.

Some Essentials.

First of all it is essential that the vegetable garden, no matter how small, be planted according to some plan or rule. No one attempts to build a house or to set out a perennial flower border without using some drawing or chart to go by. Why should the vegetable garden be treated differently? Haphazard planting will prove a failure, and in order to overcome this it should be remembered in laying out the garden that—

(1) Tall plants will be most effective if placed behind low ones, not intermingled with them.

(2) All plants closely allied should be grown together, not in the same row, but in rows adjoining one another.

(3) The fences may be decorated with vine crops which may be supported on the fences by means of strings or lattice work.

(4) All quickly maturing vegetables should be planted in a portion of the garden by themselves so that they may be harvested and the ground used for other crops later on.

Secure Seed Now—But Plant Only When Soil Is Ready.

The backyard gardener should decide very early which crops are to be grown and should purchase his seed as soon as possible. It must be remembered, however, that much of this seed may be wasted if it is planted too early in the season. The soil must be warm to receive the seeds, and amateur gardeners must have patience until it is certain that good growing weather has come. It is possible in ordinary seasons to plant some vegetables in April, and yet many backyard vegetable enthusiasts will be well advised to wait until the middle of May before doing very much in the garden.

Suitable Varieties.

A list of varieties suitable for gardens made by city, town and village dwellers follows:

Asparagus—Palmetto, Conover's Colossal.
Beans—Davis' White Wax, Golden Wad, Refugee.
Beets—Crosby's Egyptian, Detroit Dark Red.
Brussels sprouts—Dalkeith.
Carrots—Chantenay.
Cauliflower—Erfurt, Snowball.
Cabbage—Copenhagen Market, Danish Ball Head.
Celery—Paris Golden, Winter Queen.
Corn—Golden Bantam, Stowell's Evergreen.
Cucumber—White Spine, Chicago Pickling.
Citron—Colorado Preserving.
Lettuce—Grand Rapids, Nonpareil.
Melon, Musk—Paul Rose.
Melon, Water—Cole's Early.
Onions—Southport Yellow Globe.
Parsnip—Hollow Crown.
Parsley—Champion Moss Curled.
Peas—Gradus, Little Marvel.
Potatoes—Irish Cobbler, Green Mountain.
Pumpkin—Quaker Pie.
Radish—Scarlet White Tip Turnip.
Ne Plus Ultra, (winter) China Rose.
Spinach—Victoria, Viroflay.
Salsify—Sandwich Island.
Squash—Bush Marrow.
Tomatoes—Chalks Jewel.
Turnip—Earl Six Weeks.
Rhubarb—Victoria, Linnaeus.—S. C. Johnston, Ontario Vegetable Specialist, Toronto.

CANADA

Income Tax Forms

Are now available

Returns must be filed on or before 31st March

THE Dominion Income War Tax Act requires you to fill in one or more of the five special Forms provided before 31st March, 1918. In order to assist the public to understand just what is required of them, information on each Form is given below. Read carefully, then get three copies of the form that fits your case and fill them in. Answer all questions fully and accurately. For making false statements, **a penalty of $10,000 or six months' imprisonment, or both, is provided.**

Individuals.—All persons unmarried, and all widows or widowers without dependent children, whose income is $1500 a year or more, must fill in Form T1. All other persons whose income is $3000 or more, use the same Form. Where any income is derived from dividends, list amounts received from Canadian and Foreign securities separately. Fill in pages 1, 2 and 3 only. Do not mark on page 4. Partnerships, as such need not file returns, but the individuals forming the partnerships must.

Corporations and Joint Stock Companies, no matter how created or organized, shall pay the normal tax on income exceeding $3000. Use Form T2—giving particulars of income. Also attach a financial statement. Under Deductions, show in detail amounts paid to Patriotic Fund and Canadian Red Cross or other approved War Funds.

Trustees, Executors, Administrators of Estates and Assignees use Form T3. Full particulars of the distribution of income from all estates handled must be shown as well as details of amounts distributed. A separate Form must be filled in for each estate.

Employers must use Form T4 to give names and amounts of salaries, bonuses, commissions and other remuneration paid to all employees during 1917 where such remuneration amounted in the aggregate to $1000 or over.

Corporation Lists of Shareholders.—On Form T5 corporations shall give a statement of all bonuses, and dividends paid to Shareholders residing in Canada during 1917 stating to whom paid, and the amounts.

Figures in every case are to cover 1917 income—all Forms must be filed by 31st March. For neglect, a fine of $100 for each day of default may be imposed.

In the case of Forms T1 and T2, keep one copy of the filled in Form and file the other two with the Inspector of Taxation for your District. In the case of T3, T4 and T5, keep one copy and file the other two, with the Commissioner of Taxation, Dept. of Finance, Ottawa.

Forms may be obtained from the District Inspectors of Taxation and from the Postmasters at all leading centres.

Postage must be paid on all letters and documents forwarded by mail to Inspector of Taxation.

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DISTRIBUTION—Seed is sold only in 2—bushel bags. Carloads will be placed at certain points in the Province where less than carload orders can be filled.

WHERE TO BUY—Purchases may be made either in the warehouse at the distributing points, or orders may be placed with nearest District Representative of the Provincial Department of Agriculture, or they may be sent direct by mail to the Markets Branch, Department of Agriculture, Parliament Buildings, Toronto.

PAYMENT IN CASH—Price is $2.74 per bushel at all local stations. In all cases, without exception, cash must accompany order. Send remittance by marked check, postal note, post office or express money order made payable to Ontario Department of Agriculture, Markets Branch.

ORDER EARLY—In the event of the requirements of the Province being under-estimated, there may not be enough seed to go around. It is advisable in order to insure having their orders filled that purchasers should place orders as soon as possible. All orders are subject to confirmation and will be filled in the order received. As seed is delivered in 2—bushel bags, order should be for even numbers of bushels, and no order for less than 2 bushels can be accepted.

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HOW HE WON THE D. S. O.

Lieut.-Col. Fraser was Highly Commended for his Good Work at Vimy and Hill 70

Walkerton people were glad to learn recently that Lt.-Col. (Dr.) Fraser had been decorated by King George for his good work at the Front, while in command of No. 2 Can. Field Ambulance Corp. We are glad to be able to give to our readers the official report upon which the award of honors was based. It speaks for itself. The report follows:—"Lieut.-Col. Fraser has been an indefatigable worker and has brought his Unit to a very high state of efficiency. During the operations from April 9th to May 4th at Vimy Ridge this officer personally supervised the clearing of wounded from the left of 1st Canadian Division front. He showed sound judgment and initiative under trying conditions. He personally conducted bearer parties to the Regimental Aid Posts in spite of at times extremely heavy shell fire, his coolness under these circumstances always rendering an inspiring example to his men. In the Hill 70 operation of August 1917, this officer again took charge of the evacuation of wounded from the left front. In spite of tremendous difficulties caused by the tram lines temporarily put out of commission, and the use of gas shells by the enemy—he successfully kept all the posts clear, the wounded being evacuated in a remarkable period of time."

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Presentation to Prin. Willoughby

On Wednesday afternoon the teachers of the Public School Staff presented Mr. Willoughby who is leaving at Easter to take the Principalship of Chesley school with a handsome little book of Famous Paintings. Accompanying the address was a gift which will be even more highly prized in the form of a short address of appreciation beautifully illuminated by Miss Madge Sinclair.

Fell Into Flooded Creek

Mrs. Amos Miller, West Ward, had an exciting experience on Saturday evening. She was getting a pail of water out of Silver Creek when the soft ground she was standing on suddenly gave way and precipitated her into the water. In the present flooded condition of the creek it is quite deep at that point and Mrs. Miller was carried a couple of rods by the swift current before a neighbor who witnessed the incident rescued her in a half-drowned condition.

Stole From Employer

On returning to business after a couple of month's illness this week, Mr S. A. Rife discovered that his head cutter had been taking advantage of his absence to engage in wholesale grafting. Suits for parties at Hanover were made and paid for without going through the books. In one case a bunch of overalls from the factory were sold to a customer at Ayton at a reduced rate and the cheque pocketed by the cutter. On Wednesday morning Mr. Rife swore out a warrant for the arrest of the man for stealing. He was arrested by Chief Ferguson, taken before Magistrate Tolton and remanded for a week. Afterwards a search was made of his house and several bolts of tailoring cloths were found. The cutter had been in the employ of Mr. Rife since a year ago last August. He has a wife and family of three children but has been receiving high wages.

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BORN

MORGAN—At Bruce County Hospital, Monday, to Mr and Mrs. Wm. Morgan of Brant, a daughter.

WATTS—At 160 Howard Park Ave, Edgar Apts., Toronto, on March 13th., to Mr. and Mrs. Fred R. Watts, a daughter.

ALBRIGHT—In Walkerton, on Monday March 25th, to Mr. and Mrs. Martin Albright, a son.

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LOCAL C. P. R TIME TABLE.

Morning train, leaves Walkerton—6.20 a. m.

Noon train, arrives Walkerton—1.25 a. m.

LOCAL G. T. R. TIME TABLE

Morning train, north bound—11.28 "

Afternoon train, south bound—3.23 p. m.

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TWO SIDES

When you're busy, busy working,
In your tense industrious way,
Does it cheer you if a neighbor
Comes to interrupt your labor.
Just to pass the time away,
Just to pass the time of day?
Does it cheer you, Is he welcome?
Do you love him fondly?
Say!
Then when he is busy working,
In his tense industrious way.
Why should you stop short the labor.
Of your brisk industrious neighbor,
Just to pass the time away?
Just to pass the time of day?
Will he welcome your intrusion?
Will he love you fondly?
Say!

NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Miss Ruby Norrish is spending Easter at Ottawa.

The London daily papers advance to $4 a year on April 1st.

Order your daily newspaper at the Telescope.

If your business is not worth advertising, advertise it for sale.

New Spring styles in women's fine shoes at Ramsey's shoe store.

Get busy with the hoe and spade, it will give you a place in the sun.

Lieut. R. C. Geddes was reported wounded in Tuesday's casualty list.

Miss Rankin of Regina, is visiting her sister. Mrs. Charles Ormiston, of Brant.

Miss Elizabeth Wilson of Essex will spend Easter with her sister, Mrs L. A. Eedy.

Misses Minnie Kerney and Gertrude Poliskowsky returned to Kitchener on Monday.

Mr. Robert Inglis of Brant hold a wood-bee and dance at his home on Tuesday evening.

The advice of the government to make a garden and keep chickens is rather conflicting.

The "farmers" examinations are on at the High School this week. About 25 boys and 30 girls are writing.

Mrs. Nichol, Miss Nichol and Mrs. F. Harris arrived home Tuesday noon after spending the winter with relatives at London and Chicago.

As no foot of ground should be left uncultivated this year will those who have vacant lots to offer please communicate with Rev. R. Perdue Sec. Treas. Preparedness League.

Milt. McCarter, formerly of the 160th, writes from Bramshott that he has seen George Smith, Bert Hoover, the Schafter brothers, and others of the Walkerton boys, and all are well and fine.

Miss Agnes Zettler who was at St. Joseph's Hospital London, for treatment, was brought home recently not much improved in health and is at her sister's Mrs. Wm. Weber, at the west of the town.

Miss Donalda McKechnie, teacher of Essex, will spend the Easter holidays with her parents Mr. and Mrs. D. McKechnie. She will spend Sunday with a friend at Seaforth coming here on Monday.

Among the soldiers of the First Canadian Contingent to be granted three months furlough is Gunner W. G. Norrish of Guelph, nephew of Mrs. Wm. Norrish of Walkerton. Gunner Norrish arrived home this week and one of his home-coming pleasures was that of seeing his little three year-old daughter for the first time.

Rev. H. B. Coumans B. A. speaks in the Baptist and Christian Church on Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. He will also address the Womens Mission Circle on Saturday at 4 p. m. In the school room of the Church—all welcome. Mr. Coumans is the Home Mission Superintendent for Ontario and Quebec.

Ladies Tailoring

We have secured the services of Mr. S. Witherington of Hamilton a first class Ladies and Gents tailor.—S. A. Rife and Co.

Dental Notice

The dental offices of Drs. Halladay and Grant will be closed Saturday afternoons from the 1st of April to the 1st of October.

Voted $5000

The Ontario Govt. has voted $5,000 for deepening the outlet of the Teeswater River in Greenock for the purpose of reclaiming waste lands.

New School Trustee

Mr. Geo. S. Schwindt was elected by acclamation as West Ward Public School Trustee on Thursday, to succeed the late F. J. Fraser.

Judgment Was Reserved

Only one case, Robinson vs. Robinson, was up for trial at Spring Assizes on Monday before Mr Justice Latchford. At last Court Robt. S. Robinson, a Bruce Tp. farmer was assessed $125 damages by a jury for assaulting a young girl. To satisfy judgment the Sheriff seized some cattle, horses, implements and grain on Robinson's farm. Robinson's wife claimed these goods were hers, hence the action. Judgment was reserved. D. Robertson, acting for Lawyer Stewart of Kincardine, appeared for plaintiff, Otto E. Klein for defendant.

Arrested As Defaulters

Two young farmers of Con. 10 Brant, Conrad Krohn, aged 32, and his brother, Peter Paul Krohn, aged 28, were arrested by Dominion Police on Monday as defaulters under the Military Service Act. They were brought into Walkerton and the following day taken to Military headquarters at London. Both claimed that they knew nothing of being called for service. Had they applied for exemption at the proper time they would likely have received it as they are on 225 acres of land, along with their aged father.

Likes The Telescope.

J. B. McNally of Sarnia in sending us two subscriptions writes:—We would not be without the home paper.

Pianos Tuned

Pianos and Player pianos tuned and repaired by T. W. Smith, formerly of the Heintzman and Co. piano factory, Toronto. Leave orders at Central Hotel.

Farmers Be Patriotic!

We are now unloading a car load of 16% Phosphates Fertilizers at C. P. R. and there are a few tons unsold. Come along and order yours. Price $33.50 per ton. Kolpin & Ermel.

Returning To West.

Mr. Wm. Burrell who returned recently from Overseas after doing his bit at the Front has received his discharge from the Militia Dept. and expects to resume farming near Kamsack, Sask. very soon,

Arm Doing Nicely

Mr. Noah Stroeder, who injured his arm a second time by falling again last week, is reported to be doing fine. The arm is making good progress, although it will be stiff for a year or so as a result of the second fall.

Nurse Coming Home

Nursing Sister Emma Grainger, who has been Overseas the past two years, is returning to Canada shortly owing to the serious illness of her mother. Mrs. Grainger is at present living with her daughter, Mrs. Jack Richardson of Kitchener.

Eidt Boys Together.

Corp. Ed. Eidt D. C. M. writes that he is at present enjoying two weeks leave in England and Scotland. He expects that his brother Corp. Walt. Eidt, formerly of the 160th will be transferred to the 10th Trench Mortar Battery and the two Eidt brothers will be fighting side by side in France.

Notice To Car Owners

We are in a position to supply you with every requirement for your car. We also repair and overhaul all kinds and makes of cars, also don't forget that we mean the Ford car as well. All repair work guaranteed and at right prices. Walkerton Garage, Kolpin & Ermel.

Notice

We expect to give a demonstration of different kinds of Auto Head Light Lenses in front of our garage on Saturday evening next, March 31st, for the purpose of showing what kind of lens give you best satisfaction on your car and strictly, law-abiding auto owners should be on hand. Walkerton Garage, Kolpin & Ermel.

Traffic is Light

Railway passenger traffic up in this Northern peninsula has dwindled woefully since the reduction of train service With only one train a day and that usually hours late, nobody is travelling unless he has to. With no holiday rates and the extra 15 per cent tucked on, it is easy to see what the Easter traffic will be like.

Medals Presented.

The High School students who won prizes for the best essays on the Victory Loan, were presented with the awards by Mr. H. M. Lay, Chairman of the Board, on Friday afternoon. The large silver medal was presented to C. Thornburn of Paisley, the smaller silver medal to Miss Alice Tolton of Brant and the bronze medal to Charlie McNab.

More Trains for Easter

For the next four days only Thursday, Friday, Saturday, and Monday the Grand Trunk with a morning and night train for the accommodation of Easter travellers. The schedule will then revert to one train a day each way as at present. There appears to be nothing in the report that was going around among the trainmen last week that the old two-train schedule would be restored.

An Easter Entertainment

The children of the Baptist and Christian Mission Band gave a successful Easter entertainment on Monday night. Readings and recitations, were given from the life of Mrs. Judson, and there were some good choruses. The collection amounted to $6.21. The Band has been doing good work under the excellent leadership of Miss McKechnie.

Where Walkerton Loses

Rope-making machinery which has been lying idle for years in the old Binder Twine factory was recently shipped to Fergus and set up in the factory of Beatty Bros., where it is busy making lots of rope and a good profit for its owners. It is a pity that this machinery couldn't be kept in Walkerton and operated here. What seems to have stood in the way is the fact that the present owner of the old building, Mr. Henderson Black of Montreal, wants $15,000 for it, which in the opinion of the owners of the plant is a terrific price for a building that has closed down for years. The property is assessed for $12,500 and brings the town about $400 a year taxes. And as a factory building which would make a fine home for a live industry, continues to be a dead horse.

BREAKING UP OF 160TH

Bruce Battalion Though Now a Thing Of The Past Must Never Be Forgotten, Writes Capt. R. B. Whitehead

How the boys of the 160th feel [illegible] the old Bruce Battalion which suffered the common fate of all the units of the 5 th Division in being broken up, is told in a letter by Capt. R. B. Whitehead written to his mother, Mrs. Jas. Whitehead before he left for France. We have been priveleged to publish some extracts which we are sure our readers will appreciate:—

Witley Camp,
February 27, 191[illegible]

As you doubtless already know the glorious 5th. Division is an organization of the past. A group of highly trained Canadian Battalions that existed away back in the year 1916-1917, but was broken up and cast to the four winds of heaven on February 22nd 1918, to supply reinforcements to Battalions in France already depleted in numbers. The 160th. was one of the units to be broken first. On Saturday last practically half of the Battalion (that has stuck together as unit for the past two years) was sent unto the 4th. Reserve. Bramshott, to be absorbed by that unit as reinforcement. The remainder of the Battalion is sending drafts to France very shortly. Luckily all our men are going to Western Ontario Battalions now in France and one Western Canada Battalion as pioneers.

There are seven officers going to France, these being the captains (including myself). We get the privilege of going over holding our rank instead of reverting to rank of lieutenants. I myself am going to the 18th Battalion from Winnipeg. We don't know definitely just when we will go but expect it will be very soon. Tom Cameron went across on Monday last to the 2nd. Pioneers. Mack Mundell reverted to lieutenant and went across at the same time to the 1st. Battalion. If ever there is a conscientious officer Mack is the one, and if there is ever a call for a nasty job, Mack will be one of the first to volunteer. He is also the kind to sit up all night too, to see that his men are well cared for. I was mighty sorry to see him go. He turned out that he was the first of the officers to go to France. It sure has been a long time since I have had to contend with a lump in my throat as when the crowd moved off our parade grounds on Saturday with the officers to go to the 4th. Reserve at Bramshott I was bidding good-bye to the Sergeant Major, who has always been my right hand man and when the tears welled up in his eyes and he couldn't speak but simply turned and walked away, it certainly did affect me. However these are all the misfortunes of war to be borne sooner or later.

The Quarter-master is remaining behind here to get things cleared up and will then go to the reserve. He is quite worried as to what his ultimate fate will be, for not being a combatant officer it will be harder to place him than the others.

This surely has been a wonderful Battalion. Recruited all in Bruce County, made up principally of farm boys with very little idea of military discipline, they have surely acquitted themselves like real soldiers. Their splendid record of discipline has been truly marvellous. During the past year there was not one District Court Martial Case in the Battalion while in every one of the other Battalions in the Division there have been not less than five and in some cases as high as 23 cases in the year 1917. That truly is an enviable record. Every man in our Battalion was placed on his honour and punishments meted out were never very heavy. There really was never any necessity for severity except in isolated instances. The Battalion during the past year has made a name for itself in many different branches. The Brigade Officer told me personally that they had less trouble with our Orderly Room than any other in the Brigade. We won the Canadian Military Championship; we put on the best guard in the Brigade and taken from all sides I really don't think there was another Battalion in the 5th Division that was our equal in many different lines. Officers from other Battalions in the Division have told me on different occasions that our Battalion was at all odds the best marching Battalion in the Division. Forgive me, Mother, for tooting this horn so loudly but the 160th Battalion, although now a thing of the past, must never be forgotten. There must be a permanent place in the Canadian Archives for the history of the men from Bruce, who came to England in October 1916, to fight in the great war. This time next month there will be many men of the 160th who will be doing their bit in the front line, and I know that wherever the boys go they will acquit themselves just as creditably as the seasoned veterans.

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Mrs. John Pelfuss, who was operated upon for appendicitis at the Bruce County Hospital, was able to return home this week.

NEIGHBORING VILLAGES & COUNTRYSIDE

News of the Week Collected by a Staff of Live Correspondents

HANOVER

Hanover will have a three day Chautauqua Festival the middle of April.

Captain Jack S. Wilson has been recalled from the trenches in Flanders and attached to the instructional staff at Bexhill-on-Sea, England.

Mr. Geo. A. Francis is having his hotel, The Queens, redecorated and fixed up in a very attractive manner.

Every Hanover boy in khaki, whether recently enlisted or not, receives socks from the local chapter of the I. O. D. E. During the past month 78 pairs were sent out.

Mrs. Benjamin Glauser passed away at the home of her son, Mr. William Glauser in Hanover on Tuesday of last week at the advanced age of 90 years, 3 months and 20 days. Death was due to old age.

Fred Ruhl had his left thumb cut, part of it being severed, in an accident at the Spiesz Furniture factory. George Kunneman got a large oak splinter in his right hand at the Desk factory, it having to be cut out by Dr. Stalker.

Frank Scales who is visiting friends in the vicinity, has received the Military Medal recently for honorable service. He served in the army for two years and received his honorable discharge early in the winter. He is farming at Darlingford, Man.

The Canadian Poultry Journal pays the following complimentary reference to our townsman. Mr. C. E. Henning: Mr. C. H. Henning had the courage to enter his birds at the Boston show and was well repaid, not only in prize money but by the certainty that his Rose Comb Browns can hold their own anywhere. It was a great win for Canada, and Mr. Henning is to be congratulated for tackling such a stiff proposition and coming out so well.

CHEPSTOW

School closed on Wednesday for the Easter vacation. The assistant, Miss F. McNamara, is visiting at her home in Peterboro.

Miss Lizzie Hunsiger of Kitchener is on a visit to her home.

Mrs. Ed. Diemert returned last week from St. Joseph's Hospital, Guelph, where she has been undergoing treatment. Although her health has greatly improved, she will spend some time with her parents before returning to her home in Walkerton.

Miss Blanche Wingefelder of Walkerton is staying at the King Edward this week.

GLAMIS

Mr. Thomas McIntosh of Stratford was here last week on business. He returned home on Saturday.

Mr. Groves has been confined to the house and unable for his mail duties. All hope to see him out and around soon.

Mrs. A. McDermid's many friends are glad to know she is able to be up again and hope to see her out soon.

Wood Bees seem to be the order of the day.

Mr. McClung who was visiting his son, Rev. J. A. McClung left last week to visit his brother, at Hanover, before returning to his home at Lyndeack.

Mr. and Mrs. Madden of Detroit, Mich. arrived here on Saturday to spend some time at Mr. J. Grove's.

Deepest sympathy is extended to Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Slessor, con. 10, Kincardine Twp. in the loss of their infant son aged 2 days.

The many friends of Artie Alexander were sorry to learn of the serious accident which befell him while working in the bush on Saturday morning. He is at present under the Dr's. care at Cargill. All wish for his speedy recovery.

EDEN GROVE

The ladies of Eden Grove Red Cross at their regular meeting packed and shipped the following Overseas boxes—9 boxes, 4 parcels. The contents was as follows—37 suits pyjamas, 30 pair sox 12 stretcher caps, 64 Handkerchiefs, 6 white quilts, 5 top shirts.

Miss L. J. Watson-Treasurer E. G R.C. wishes to acknowledge the receipt of cheque for fifty-dollars from Brant Council.

In order that there might be some news to put in the Eden Grove column, John Seiler let a horseless sleigh run over him as he was taking it down the runway of his carriage shop. We regret that John really did more than was necessary for this purpose. So thoroughly did he do it that we are sincerely sorry to report that he cut his hand severely, hurt his back and stiffened one knee. We trust he will soon recover from his injuries.

The day was warm and the sun shone down from a gloriously blue sky onto my side verandah where I lay drinking in the sunshine. A blackbird seeking its mate lighted on a tree not far away! Soon another made its appearance and then a pretty love scene was enacted consisting of much twittering and hopping, up amid the swaying limbs. While I gazed lazily at them, I became drowsy and dreamed a dream.

I dreamed a mother wood-pecker, arriving from the sunny south to secure its annual mate and make its little nest had been attracted by the shelter of the same tree. Soon another male woodpecker returning for his third season in sunny Eden Grove had arrived and commenced pegging away at the bottom of the trunk making a great howdy-do to show the birdie above what a great worker he was. So industrious did he peg away that soon the tree fell with a crash. It didn't frighten the mother woodpecker but she hopped about frantically to please her proud gallant. The latter to complete his conquest snatched a feather from her tail and holding it in his mouth played the protestant boys with a sound for all the world like a fife. The subjugation of the mother woodpecker was complete and they both flew away together just as the sun was hidden behind a cloud and the chill wind of March woke me from my slumber.

It is expected there will be a euchre drive given by the Red Cross Ladies some time during the Easter festivities.

BRANT AVENUE

This last snow fall has made some of the people put their straw hats away again.

Miss Rosetta Zettler of Chepstow, who has been working at Mr Andrew Zettler's and sprained her ankle a couple of weeks ago, has returned to duty again.

A bunch of the men at the east end of the line turned out on Saturday afternoon and ploughed and shovelled out the worst parts of the roadway.

The sap is running very slow this year, although the weather has seemed very favourable.

Miss Mary Ruetz is working at Mr. Wm. Morgan's.

Our drover, Joe Zettler, shipped a carload of hogs and one of cattle on Tuesday. The price paid, 20 cents, was the record to date. Wonder where they will land if they keep on going up?

Jim McCarter butchered hogs on Tuesday.

AUCTION SALE

—OF—

Farm Stock, Implements, Etc.

The undersigned Auctioneer has received instructions from Mr. JAMES CAHOON to sell by Public Auction at

Lot 13, Con. 8, Brant,

on TUESDAY, APRIL 2nd,

the following valuable property, viz:

HORSES—1 Heavy Aged Team, horse and mare (mare in foal), 1 Heavy Bay Colt 3 yrs. old, 1 Heavy Brown Colt rising 3 yrs., 1 Heavy Sorrel Colt rising 2 yrs., 1 Matched Black Team rising 4 and 6 yrs., weighing 2800 lbs. (this is a splendid team and needs only to be seen to be appreciated), 1 Road Mare 4 yrs. old, 1 Road Horse 4 yrs., 1 Road Mare with foal, 1 Pair Percheron Colts.

PEDIGREED CATTLE—1 Bull 2 yrs. old, 1 Bull 1 year old, 2 cows 4 yrs. old with calves at foot, 1 Cow 4 yrs., 1 Cow 3 years, 1 Heifer 2 yrs. old with calf at foot, 1 Heifer 2 years, 1 Yearling Heifer. The above are all good Shorthorn Durham Cattle.

GRADE CATTLE—7 Grade Durham Cows supposed to be in calf, 2 Grade Holstein Cows supposed to be in calf, 3 Fresh Cows with calves at foot, 2 Heifers supposed to be in calf, 3 Yearlings and 5 Young Calves.

PIGS AND FOWL—1 Sow due to farrow April 1r, 8 Fat Hogs (if not previously sold), 1 Pair of Geese and about 20 Hens.

IMPLEMENTS—1 Peter Hamilton 14-hoe Seed Drill, 1 M. H. 7 foot cut Binder nearly new, 1 McCormick Mower, 1 M. H. Hay Rake, 1 new M. H. Hay Loader, 1 Steel Land Roller, 1 M. H. 4 Horse Cultivator, 1 M. H. Disc Harrow, 1 Scuffler, 1 Sharples' Cream Separator, 1 Churn, 2 Walking Plows, 1 Oliver 2-furrow Riding Plow, 1 Potato Plow, 1 Manure Spreader, 2 Waggons, with boxes and spring seats, 2 new Gravel Boxes, 2 Stock Racks, 2 2 Corn Racks, 1 set of Trucks with Hay Rack attached, 1 Hay Rack, 1 Turnip Pulper nearly new, 2 Stone Boats, 1 Grain Cradle, 1 200-lbs. scales, 1 Grindstone, 2 Buggies, 1 Cutter, 1 Road Cart, 1 new set Bobsleighs, 1 Buggy Pole, 2 sets of Heavy Double Harness, 1 set of new Double Driving Harness, 2 sets of Single Harness, Forks, Hoes, Rakes, and other articles too numerous to mention.

GRAIN, HAY, ETC.—About 200 bus. O. A. C. No. 72 Seed Oats, about 150 bus. Prizes Royal Seed Oats, 100 bus. Barley, 25 bus. of Peas and about 20 tons of Hay, if not previously sold.

The Above Will be Sold Without Reserve as the proprietor has sold his farm.

The Imported Percheron Black Stallion INSTITUT will be offered for sale at a reserved bid if not previously sold.

TERMS—All sums of $5.00 and under, cash; over that amount 9 months' credit, will be given on furnishing approved joint notes with 6 per cent added. Hay and Grain cash.

Sale to Commence at 12:30 a.m.

Lunch will be served to parties coming from a distance.

JAMES CAHOON, Proprietor.
JOHN PURVIS, Auctioneer.

CARGILL

Mr. Frank Smith of the Royal Bank spent Sunday at his home in Walkerton.

Jim Garland, the Maple Sugar King who has 1300 trees tapped, says that the run of sap is very poor this season.

Prin. E. A. Ruttle leaves next week to assume his new duties as Principal at Dundalk.

KING ROAD

Miss Elsie Webb of Glamis spent the week-end with Miss P. McAfee.

Mr. James Wilson visited Mr. A. Carr last Sunday.

A number in our vicinity have tapped and are reporting an average run of sap.

Mrs. E. Carr of Paisley is spending a couple of weeks at Mr. A. Carr's.

We are sorry to hear of the accident which happened to Mr. Arthur Alexander. Hope he will soon be able to be around again.

Miss L. Wilson Sundayed at Mr. and Mrs. W. Alexander's.

Mr. and Mrs. Carson of Kincardine spent Sunday at Mr. F. Reid's.

Mr. Alph Sawyer of Cargill spent the week-end at Mr. W. T. Stewart's and A. Carr's.

Miss Mary Saunders is under the doctor's care.

OTTER CREEK

A Happy Easter to all.

Maple Syrup boiling is the order of the day.

Mr. Daniel Wolfe was a visitor in Clifford.

Mr. Milburn Gross, who was visiting his relatives here left on Wednesday to join the Sammies at Grand Rapids, Mich.

Mrs Samuel Hossenauer of Kitchener and family are visiting at Mr. Henry Dippel's.

There is a rumor that the farmers in this vicinity are going to wear tin shoes for the summer.

Mr. Reyfeldt of Toronto was on a business trip here.

Mr. Ira Dahms of the 6th con. of Carrick was a business visitor here.

Mrs. John Fenner was given a most welcome surprise on her birthday when she was presented with a beautiful leatherette rocking chair by her family and sister, Miss Katherine Gross.

The water in Mr. John Fenner's creek has now settled to its normal size. The water raised so high during the February thaw that it flooded their hen house and the hens had to be removed to other buildings the like of which has never experienced before.

MILDMAY

Mrs. B. B. Patten has returned to her home after spending several weeks at Ayton.

At the evening service in the Methodist Church a service flag was unveiled in honor of the boys from the church who have enlisted.

Mr. Floyd Fink is spending a few days with Mr. Peter Hunstein at Cargill.

Miss Doretta Sauer who was ill with brain fever is improved quite a bit this week.

Mr. Isaac Gowdy received a message Saturday that his son Pte. Chester Gowdy, landed at Halifax on Friday. Chester reached town on the Tuesday noon train and looks just fine after his long sojourn away from Mildmay. We welcome him back to our midst.

Rev. A. W. Gold left on Tuesday morning to spend the week with Guelph friends.

Mr. J. A. Johnston attended a sale in Belmore on Tuesday.

WESTFORD

Mr. John Murray, jr left here last week for Warren, Alta. to work for his brother Joseph who has bought a large tract of land.

Mrs John McGlynn spent a few days last week with her sister Mrs. Nick O'Hagan of Riversdale.

Miss L. Donovan of Chicago who has been visiting friends returned to her home last week.

Mrs. Wm. Thomas (nee Miss Anna Wall) has returned to her home in the West after spending the winter with friends here.

Mr. Patrick Murray of Chepstow spent a few days last week with friends here.

Town and District

The fare to Toronto and return is now $6.65 an advance of eighty-five cents over the old rate.

A wood-bee was held at the farm of Mr. Michael Schmidt, con. 8, Greenock, last week. About twenty-five cords of wood cut, after which the evening was spent in social enjoyment.

Capt. F. A. Bassett, a brother-in-law of Mr. M. G. Dippell, who enlisted with the I. W. & D. of the Imperial services and has been in command of transport overseas, is expected to reach home in a few days.

The Kincardine Reporter is mean enough to say that the cut in the G. T. R. passenger train service has relieved some of the Kincardine girls of the necessity of staying up late to see who comes in. The one train a day is not hard to keep tab on.

An exchange says that one trouble with this world is that there are too many people who will not cast their bread upon the waters unless they are assured that it will come back to them in a few days a full-grown sandwich all trimmed with ham, butter, and mustard.

Because witnesses at the Spring Assizes, at Woodstock were not paid large enough fees to suit them, every one but one refused to take what was offered and returned unpaid and angry to their various homes in Toronto, London, Petrolea, Tillsonburg and Ingersoll.

"The line's busy" is the almost invariable answer from Central when we ask for a subscriber on one of the rural lines. When a man is busy it makes him say naughty things to have to wait half an hour for some one to explain to a neighbour the best time in the moon to make soft soap.

A deaf old lady of obvious Scotch lineage entered a store to do some shopping. "What's the price of this silk?" she asked of the young shopman. "Seven shillings" was the reply. "Seventeen shillings!" she exclaimed. "I'll give you thirteen." "Only seven shillings, ma'am is the price of the silk," replied the honest shopman. "Oh, seven shillings!" rejoined the old lady sharply, "Well, I'll give five."

The Telescope inadvertently quoted the commercial lighting rate for Walkerton incorrectly in last week's paper. The commercial rates are;—10cts. per k. w. for an amount equal to 30 hrs use of connected load. 5cts. per k. w. for the next 70 hrs. use of connected load and all additional consumption at 2cts per k. w. Minimum monthly bills, 50cts. for each 100 watts of connected load. Minimum 50cts. per month. Prompt payment discount 10%.

Poor Run of Sap.

Mr. James A. Garland, the Brant maple syrup king, tells us that in spite of the mild weather the sap run has been very poor so far this season. Mr. Garland has 1300 trees tapped but has not realized much of the sticky stuff yet.

Power Plant Nearing Completion

The large addition to the power plant at Eugenia Falls is rapidly nearing completion and the building will be ready for the new dynamos within a few weeks. The addition is larger than the original building and is of very substantial construction. When completed and the new machinery installed the capacity of the plant will have been at least doubled. At present the plant is developing about 2500 horsepower and with the additional water wheels and dynamos this will be increased to approximately 6000 horsepower, a total that would provide all the power used at the present time in the County of Grey, including railways, factories and the power necessary to provide electric light for every present user. The increased development will undoubtedly result in a very considerable lowering the cost to the consumer and will tend to increase the amount of electricity in general use as a motive power. At present the cost of power and light under the Hydro system does not show a saving as compared with the old steam plant, but when the increased production and distribution has reduced the present heavy overhead charges to a proportionately small amount, power ought to be sold here as cheaply as it is in Toronto and much cheaper than in Guelph. It is expected that the new addition will be in operation before the end of 1918 and will possibly be ready to take over the extra heavy work of the fall and winter months.—Owen Sound Sun.

WHERE ORCHARDS PAY

Most Profitable Near Cities When Market is Convenient.

LABOR IS THE BIG PROBLEM

No Province or State in North America Has So Large an Area Suitable for Apple Growing as Has Ontario.

(Contributed by Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.)

THIS QUESTION will be discussed under four heads: Climate, Soil, Labor and Transportation.

The Factor of Climate.

So far as climate is concerned apples can be grown commercially in any part of old Ontario, south of a line drawn from Parry Sound to Ottawa; in fact, there are commercial orchards producing fruit at a profit considerably further north than this. Many people think of commercial apple orchards as being necessarily confined to the milder parts of the province, and to the lake districts, but the fact is worth emphasizing that we have varieties of apples suitable for commercial culture in every county of old Ontario. The winter hardiness of the many varieties grown throughout Ontario is now very well established, and it is possible to select varieties which will be hardy for any district.

The most serious climatic difficulty in the Province of Ontario is the occurrence of late frost in spring, and early frost in fall. Other difficulties of a climatic nature can be largely overcome by the selection of suitable varieties, or by careful discrimination with regard to soil, exposure, aspect, etc. It may be pointed out, however, that frosts are more common and more severe over large areas of flat country, than where the topography is rolling and hilly. Large areas of some of the southern counties of Ontario are, therefore, more or less unsuited to commercial apple orcharding because of their flat character. A more rolling country is much to be preferred, so that orchards can be made safer from frost by the better air drainage afforded.

The choice of varieties for various districts will be made the subject of later notes.

Suitable Soil In Every County.

So far as soils are concerned, it may be stated that there is an abundance of land in every county suitable for apple growing. Well drained land is essential for successful orcharding, and there is plenty of soil of this type to be had in almost every district.

Summing up Soil and Climate, it may be said that no province or state in North America has so large an area so favorable in soil and climate for apple growing as has the Province of Ontario. If this statement is true it becomes obvious that the present distribution of apple orchards in Ontario is dependent on other factors.

Most Profitable Near Cities.

Transportation is the most important factor having to do with the distribution of commercial apple orchards in Ontario. In other words, the commercial apple orchards are located within reach of transportation facilities, and the better facilities have been with relation to large cities and to the developing markets of the prairies, the more rapid has been the development of commercial orcharding. A location near a large city may be desirable, but if better soil and climate are to be found at a distance, a more distant location is likely to be preferred, provided transportation facilities are good.

Some districts in Ontario possess excellent conditions of soil and climate, but lack the facilities in transportation facilities, and until facilities are available little development can take place in commercial orcharding.

Labor Situation Very Acute.

At the present time the labor situation is acute, and is rendered more so from the standpoint of the apple grower by virtue of the emphasis which, very correctly, is being placed upon the production of exportable food stuffs. The labor shortage will result in the majority of small orchards being more or less neglected. But the large commercial grower of apples has been in difficulty for years over the matter of labor supply. For commercial orchard operations on a sizable basis, it is necessary to be within reach of a temporary supply of labor for apple picking. Otherwise it becomes necessary to build dwellings for men and their families so that a supply of labor may be always available.

The difficulties of the labor situation at picking time can be lessened considerably by the planting of varieties which ripen in succession, and by taking care to get the right proportion of each. A large area of one variety ripening at one time is extremely difficult to handle.—Prof. J. W. Crow, Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph.

The Fundamental Beekeeper.

In March the careful beekeeper will find a great deal to do in the way of preparing next season's supplies. All used appliances should be put in the best of shape and necessary new ones secured and prepared before the busy spring season arrives. New supplies necessary should be ordered at once. The beekeeper's papers are his barns, his bees are his harvesters, and given barns from they will harvest his crop with less risk of weather injury than farmers expect in almost any other crop. Without sufficient bees-room a percentage of the crop will be lost. Containers sufficient for the large crop that may be expected next season should also be ordered at this time. This applies particularly to present war-time conditions when supplies of material are uncertain.

Walkerton Markets

(Revised, Wednesday, March 27th)

Hay	$10.00 to $12.00
Oats, per bsh.	90 to 90
Wheat " "	2.10 to..... 2.10
Butter, per lb.	43 to 45
Eggs, per doz.	40 to... .. 42
Potatoes, new, bag,	1.60. .... 1.75
Barley per bus	$1.40. ... 1.40
Hogs, per cwt.	21.00 to 20.00

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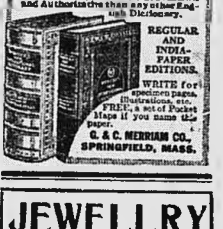
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Farm Produce Wanted

Lack of Food—threatens the Battle Line

ONTARIO.

"The food wanted by mankind does not exist.
The word 'shortage' is not strong enough.
The whole world is up against a nasty thing, familiar to the people of India, called 'famine.'"

—Lord Rhondda,
Britain's Food Controller.

One year ago, only the enemy was on rations.

To-day, Great Britain, France and Italy are on rations.

To-day, Germany controls the wheat lands of Roumania, Russia, Poland and Ukrania.

To-day, the shadows of hunger, famine, disease and death hang over the Allies.

Upon the 1918 crop from Canada and the United States depends the fate of the democratic peoples of the world.

If that crop is sufficient the Allies can be fed.

If that crop is not sufficient the Allies may have to accept a German peace.

That Battle-Line in France and Flanders Must Not Want

Do you realize what a German peace would mean to Canada?

Germany covets our natural resources—our agricultural and mineral wealth, our forests, our fisheries, everything that is Canada's.

Germany won't be satisfied with European territory, with teeming masses, wrangling factions and depleted natural resources. She wants colonies—big, thinly-populated countries in temperate zones for her sons and daughters to go to propagate their kind.

The Kaiser would sacrifice millions of Germans to-morrow if he thought that by so doing he could set foot on Canada's shores as Conqueror.

And what's more, the Germans would offer themselves for the sacrifice, so great is their subjection to the military ideal.

The only thing that balks German ambition is that battle line from the North Sea to Switzerland—and the British Navy.

The Only Thing That Sustains Our Men on Land and Sea—is Food

What are we, each one of us, prepared to do to insure that Food supply?

Germany, by her submarine campaign, has seen that great Armada, the British Mercantile Marine, shrink in volume.

Germany has seen South America, Australia, New Zealand, India and far away outposts of the Empire practically cut off from supplying food to the Motherland because of the lack of ships.

Forty million Allied men and women having been put on warwork, food production has dangerously decreased in Europe.

These forty million consume more food than when they were in ordinary occupations, and there are fewer men for farming. Hence an increased demand and decreased supplies.

The harvest of France was one-third less in 1917 than 1916, and this year must be smaller still, owing to lack of fertilizers, which cannot be supplied through shortage of shipping.

The world's decrease in live stock, as compared to 1913, is approximately 115,000,000 head.

Herbert Hoover Says:

"Our European Allies are dependent upon us for greater quantities of food than we have ever before exported. They are the first line of our defence. Our money, our ships, our life blood, and not least of all, OUR FOOD supply, must be of a common stock.

"In pre-war times, Britain, France, Italy and Belgium yearly imported more than 750,000,000 bushels of grain, plus vast quantities of meats and fats.

"The submarine destruction of shipping has made it necessary to abandon the hope of bringing food from South America, Australasia and India.

"Food must, therefore, be shipped from Canada and the United States—the nearest and safest route.

"Canadian and United States supplies are normally 350,000,000 bushels short of the Allied needs. By greater production and conservation Canada and the United States must combine to increase the export of grain by 150,000,000 bushels.

"The remaining shortage of 200,000,000 bushels must be overcome by greater reduction in consumption in the allied countries. And this is being done by Britain, France and Italy rationing her people.

"From two and a half years of contact with the German Army I have come out of the horror with the complete conviction that autocracy is a political faith and a system that directly endangers and jeopardizes the future of our race—that threatens our very independence. It has, however, been able to command complete inspiration of devotion and self-sacrifice in its people to the interest of their nation. The German farmer, in the name of the Fatherland, supports a nation two-thirds as large as the United States and threatens to subject the world from an area one-half the size of Ontario.

"My vision of War is not of an academic problem to be solved by discussion. To me it is a vision of brave, dying men and suffering women and children, for service on whose behalf the greater exertion of the Allies' farmers comes in a direct necessity and a direct plea. The Canadian and the United States citizen who sees war as I see it needs no inducement and no inspiration but the thought that every spade full of earth turned and every animal reared is lessening human suffering and guaranteeing the liberty of the world."

Lloyd George's Warning

"I fear the disciplined people behind the German Army, the rationed family and the determination of wife and sister and daughter and mother to stand and starve—so that their fighting men may be fed—I fear it more than the Imperial German Army itself."

Britain is now on Food Rations.

France is now on Food Rations.

Italy is on the verge of starvation. Only continuous support from us can enable us to hold out.

Only with a disciplined people behind can we hope to win. The rationed British Nation, blood of our blood, bone of our bone, are proudly paying the price and sharing with France and Italy their limited stock of food. For in this there is mighty pride, a conscious measuring of their glory with the best traditions of ancient Sparta, and of Imperial Rome, for Britons know that upon them rests the burden of saving humanity. The story of their service shall ring and echo forever along the hilltops of history.

The heart of this problem is labour.

Without more farm labour more food cannot be produced.

If you really want to serve your Country in a big, practical way, register now for farm labour, or urge and assist your male employees to do so.

To Send More Food to Our Allies is Not Charity

It is war. The Allies have a right to demand it. They have a right to resent the offer of only what is "left over." Those who are fighting the common battle for civilization and for our protection have a higher claim than had Lazarus, to only the "crumbs that fall from the rich man's table."

The Canadian people must recognize that our Allies have the first claim on our food supplies.

As the shipping situation makes the Allies dependent upon the North American continent for food, it is vitally necessary that Canada should increase her production of food in order to take a larger part in providing for the Allies' requirements. This is especially urgent as the maintenance of a large United States Army in the European field will cause a very heavy drain on that country's resources.

There must be no peace without victory.

For nearly four years Germany has been struggling against the powers of law and order. She has failed so far to make good her escape with her booty by superior strength and skill. And now she is attempting by intrigue, suggestion, device and propaganda to divert the attention of her antagonists from the struggle itself, and thus to gain her ends by relating the strength and skill of her antagonists.

What she can gain from these tactics is plain to all the world in the sorrowful experience of Russia.

Germany's most dangerous weapon is not her Zeppelin—that is obsolete. Not her submarine—that can be overcome. Not her machine-like army—that has been repeatedly hurled back by the living armies of freemen. Her most dangerous weapon is her propaganda of peace.

While with her hands she murders and despoils, with her voice she invites to parleys.

When Liberty is in Peril There is Threat of Lasting Disaster in the Very Word "Peace"

Lord Leverhulme, long known in Canada as Sir William Lever, who knows well the German mind, in a recent interview stated:

"You will never be able to dictate terms to Germany till she is beaten. The argument you mention is founded on the dangerous fallacy that because Germany is sick of this war she is sick of war in general. She isn't. I doubt if her Government is even sick of this war. You've read the speech of that old brigand, Hertling. Is there any sign of repentance in that speech? Is it a chastened speech? Is it the speech of a statesman who wants disarmament and a league of nations? No! Germany is back in her mood of 1914. She believes she is winning the war. She believes she has won now. And if we talk of peace to her she HAS won it. Why, it would be better a thousand times that every man in England should be dead than that Germany should issue from this war with the feeling of a conqueror. You hear people use the phrase, 'to the last man, and the last shilling,' and you think it is only a bit of rhetoric, but to my mind it's the most solemn and absolute truth. I mean when I say it that it would in very truth be a million times better for the people of these islands to be dead, every one of them, rather than live on as the serfs of a triumphant Prussia."

How can any lover of liberty remain insensible to this peril?

Food means Victory and the world made safe for democracy—

Lack of food means disaster and subjugation to Germany.

The Citizens of Ontario Must Lead This Mighty Crusade for Greater Food Production

They did it last year and will do it again.

As the greatest food-producing Province, Ontario must maintain her leadership in America. Great are our opportunities—our responsibility is tremendous.

Upon every man and woman, boy and girl, rests a personal obligation to serve. Every pound of food produced, in whatever form, is a contribution to the Cause of Freedom.

Ontario farmers should sow 500,000 acres of spring wheat.

Every Ontario farmer whose land is at all suitable should put an extra five acres into wheat, even at the expense of another crop.

What YOU Can Do To Help

At all costs production must be maintained.

That's why farmers and farmers' sons are being exempted from military service. Working on a farm is equivalent to service in the Second Line Trenches.

To enable the farm to do the work two factors are essential. The first is Time. Whatever we are to do must be done at once. Nature waits for no man. The second is Labor. Many farmers cannot plant the acres they would because they cannot get the necessary help. Many are afraid to increase their acreage because they fear they would not be able to cultivate and harvest an unusual crop after they had raised it.

The burden is not one to be placed solely upon the farmer. Neither can it be placed upon the townsman. It is a personal obligation upon every man, woman, boy and girl, in every farm, town and city home in the Province of Ontario.

AWAY WITH CRITICISM—CO-OPERATE! Mr. City Man, don't say that the farmer should do so-and-so, and thus allow criticism in this hour of our Nation's peril to cripple your effort.

Mr. Farmer, don't hastily underestimate the value the city man can be to you.

GET TOGETHER IN THE FIGHT FOR LIBERTY

Let us not lament what MIGHT be, but earnestly face what MUST be.

Fifteen thousand boys between the ages of fifteen and nineteen must be organized as "Soldiers of the Soil" to work on Ontario farms this season.

Farmers can get one or more of these boys by applying to the District Representatives or to the Public Employment Bureaux at Toronto, Ottawa, Hamilton or London.

Unmarried men, exempted from military service, are urged to take up farm work. Married men who have had previous experience on a farm are urged to resume farm work for a season. Employers of labor are asked to assist men to take up farm work.

We urge the farmer and the townsmen to get together for greater production in the interests of a free people and democracy.

Let the Organization of Resources Committee, your District Representatives of the Public Employment Bureaux act as your intermediaries.

When we have done our best, the cry for food cannot be wholly met.

For the rest—our Allies are tightening their belts.

Organization of Resources Committee

Parliament Buildings, Toronto, Ont.

CHAIRMAN: His Honor Sir John S. Hendrie, K.C.M.G., C.V.O., Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario. VICE-CHAIRMEN: Honorable Sir William H. Hearst, K.C.M.G., Prime Minister of Ontario; William Proudfoot, Esq., K.C., Leader of the Opposition. SECRETARY: Albert H. Abbott, Esq., Ph.D.

The only thing that balks German ambition is the Battle Line in France and—the British Navy
The only thing that sustains our men on land and sea is Food

Seventeen

A Tale of Youth and Summer Time and the Baxter Family Especially William

By BOOTH TARKINGTON

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(Continued from Last Week)

CHAPTER II.

Gandis and Clematis.

"SEND that dog back!" William said resolutely. "I'm not going through the streets with a dog like that, anyhow!"

Genesis chuckled. "He ain' goin' back," he said. "Ain' nobody kin make 'at dog go back. I ain' had him mo'n two weeks, but I don' b'lievo pres'dent United States kin make 'at dog go back. I show you." And, wheeling suddenly, he made ferocious gestures, shouting, "G'on back, dog!"

The dog turned, ran back a few paces, halted and then began to follow again, whereupon Genesis pretended to hurl stones at him. But the animal only repeated his maneuver.

"I'll show him!" said William hotly. "I'll show him he can't follow me!" He charged upon the dog, shouting fiercely. The hunted animal, abandoning his partial flights, turned a tucked under tail, ran all the way back to the alley and disappeared from sight. "There," said William, "I guess that'll show him!"

"I ain' bettin' on it," said Genesis as they went on. "He ner' did stop-follin' me yet. I reckon he the fol'lindest dog in the worl'. Name Clem."

"Well, he can't follow *me!*" said the surging William, in whose mind's eye lingered the vision of an exquisite dog-let with pink ribboned throat and a cottony head bobbing gently over a shiny sleeve.

"Name Clem fer short," said Genesis amiably. "I trade in a mandoline fer him what had her neck kind o' busted off on one side. I couldn' play her nobow, an' I found her, anyways. Yes, suh, I trade in 'at mandoline fer him 'cause always did like to have me a good dog. But I d'in' have me no name fer him, an' this here Bloole Bowers what I trade in the mandoline to, he say he d'in' have no name fer him. Say ner' did know if woz a name fer him 'tall. So I's spen' the evenin' at 'at lady's house. Funny, what used to be cook fer Mis Johnson, nex' do' you maw's, an' I set Fanny what am I gon' a do 'bout it, an' Fanny say, 'Call him Clematis,' she say. So 'at's name I name him, Clematis. Call him Clem fer short, but Clematis his real name. He'll come, whichever one you call him, Clem or Clematis, he ain' carin'!"

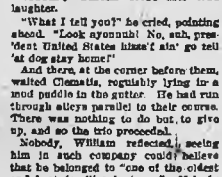
William's suffering eyes were fixed upon remoteness, and his lips moved now and then like a martyr's, pronouncing inaudibly a sacred word—"Milady! Oh, milady!"

Suddenly Genesis broke into loud laughter.

"What I tell you?" he cried, pointing ahead. "Look ayonnuh! No, suh, pres'dent United States hinn't ain' go tell 'at dog stay home!"

And there, at the corner before them, waited Clematis, regularly lying in a mud puddle in the gutter. He had run through alleys parallel to their course. There was nothing to do but, to give up, and so the trio proceeded.

Nobody, William reflected, seeing him in such company could believe that he belonged to "one of the oldest and best families in town." Nobody would understand that he was not walking with Genesis for the pleasure of his companionship until they got



Clematis.

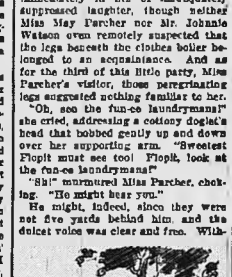
the tub—and the wash boiler, when his special condition must be thought—even more degraded. How frightful that this should befall him on anchus day, the very day that his soul had been split asunder by the turquoise shafts of milady's eyes and he had learned to know the real thing at last!

"Milady! Oh, milady!"

He let Genesis set out on the return trip from the second-hand shop, bearing the two washtubs, a clothes wringer (which Mrs. Baxter had forgotten to mention), the tin boiler, and followed by Clematis.

There was something really pageant-like about the little excursion now, and the glittering clothes boiler, borne on high, cast dashing lights far down the streets. The washtubs were old fashioned, of wood. They refused to fit one within the other, so William, with his right hand, and Genesis, with his left, carried one of the tubs between them.

Genesis carried the heavy wringer with his right hand, and he had fastened the other tub upon his back by means of a bit of rope which passed over his shoulder. Thus the tin boiler, being a lighter burden, fell to William's



"Walk faster! You got to walk faster!"

lot. The cover would not stay in place, but continually fell off when he essayed to carry the boiler by one of its handles, and he made shift to manage the accursed thing in various ways, the only one proving physically endurable being, unfortunately, the most grotesque. He was forced to carry the cover in his left hand and to place his head partially within the boiler itself and to support it—dilted obliquely to rest upon his shoulders—as a kind of monstrous tin cowl or helmet.

This had the advantage of somewhat concealing his face, though when he leaned his head back, in order to obtain clearer vision of what was before him, the boiler slid off and fell to the pavement with a noise that nearly caused a runaway and brought the hot checked William much derisory attention from a passing street car.

Seen from the rear, William was unrecognizable, but interesting. He appeared to be a walking clothes boiler, armed with a shield and connected, by means of a washtub, with a flegro of informal ideas concerning dress. In fact, the group was whimsical, and three young people who turned in behind it out of a cross street indulged immediately in fits of inadequately suppressed laughter, though neither Miss May Parcher nor Mr. Johnnie Watson even remotely suspected that the legs beneath the clothes boiler belonged to an acquaintance. And as for the third of this little party, Miss Parcher's visitor, those peregrinating legs suggested nothing familiar to her.

"Oh, see the fun-ee laundrymans!" she cried, addressing a cottony doglet's head that bobbed gently up and down over her supporting arm. "Sweetest Flopit must see too! Flopit, look at the fun-ee laundrymans!"

"Shh!" murmured Miss Parcher, choking. "He might hear you."

He might, indeed, since they were not five yards behind him, and the dulcet voice was clear and free. Willi-



in the shadowy interior of the clothes boiler were features stricken with sudden, utter horror. "Flopit!"

The attention of Genesis was attracted by a convulsive tugging of the tub which he supported in common with William. It seemed passionately to urge greater speed.

"Walk faster! You got to walk faster!"

"I got plenty time cat 'at grass befo' you' pa gits home," Genesis said reassuringly. "This here rope what I got my extry tub along to is 'nose' wo' gits thew my side."

Having stilled this protest, he continued to ambulate at the same pace, though somewhat assisted by the forward pull of the connecting tub.

The amusement of the second group having abated through safiety, the minds of its components turned to other topics. "Now Flopit must have his darlin' lickle ren," said Flopit's mistress, setting the doglet upon the ground. "That's why sweetest Flopit and I and all of us came for a walk instead of sitting on the nice, cool porchkins. See the sweetie toddle! Isn't he adorable, May! Isn't he adorable, Mr. Watson?"

Mr. Watson put a useless sin upon his soul, since all he needed to say was a mere "Yes."

Flopit, placed upon the ground, looked like something that had dropped from a Christmas tree, and he automatically made useful funny legs, somewhat longer than a caterpillar's, to pester after his mistress. He wagged these undergoing no particular



"You stop them, or I'll have you arrested!"

joy prostrate on the other side of it, but this, likewise, was something with in neither his duty nor his inclination to reveal.

"This here laundryman," said Genesis, resuming—"this here laundryman what own the dog, I reckon he mus' hopped on 'at street car what went by."

"Well, he ought to be arrested!" she said, and, pressing her cheek to Flopit's, she changed her tone. "Is mum's lickle heart a-beatin' so floppity? Then's own mummy make ums all right, um's precious Flopit!"

Then, with the consoling Miss Parcher's arm about her, and Mr. Watson even more dazzled with love than when he had first met her, some three hours past, she made her way between the fobs and passed on down the street. Not till the three and Flopit were out of sight did William come forth from the hedge. In silence then they resumed their journey. Clematis was waiting for them at the corner ahead.

That evening, at about half past 7 o'clock, dinner being over and Mr. and Mrs. Baxter (parents of William) seated in the library, Mrs. Baxter said:

"I think it's about time for you to go and dress for your Emerson club meeting, papa, if you intend to go."

"Do I have to dress?" Mr. Baxter asked plaintively. "I'm getting old enough not to have to, don't you think, mamma?" he urged appealingly. "When a man's my age"—

"Nonsense!" she said. "Your figure is exactly like Williamses. It's the figure that really shows age first, and yours hasn't begun to." And she added briskly, "Go along like a good boy and get it over."

Mr. Baxter rose submissively and went upstairs to do as he was bid. Ear after fifteen or twenty minutes, during which his footsteps had been audible in various parts of the house, he called down over the banisters:

"I can't find my evening clothes! They aren't anywhere in the house!"

"Where did you put them the last time you were there?" she called.

"I don't know!"

"All right; I'll come," she said, putting her clothing upon the table and rising. "Men never can find anything," she observed.

Search high, search low, no trace of Mr. Baxter's evening clothes were to be found. "Perhaps William could find them," said Mrs. Baxter, a final confession of helplessness.

But William was no more to be found than the missing apparel. William, in fact, after spending some time in the lower back hall, listening to the quest above, had just gone out through the kitchen door. And after some ensuing futile efforts Mr. Baxter was forced to proceed to his club in the accustomed suit of business.

As he passed the house of Mr. Parcher he noted the fine white shape of a masculine evening bosom gleaming in the moonlight on the porch. A dainty figure in white sat beside it, and there was another white figure present, though this was so small that Mr. Baxter did not see it at all. It was the figure of a tiny doglet, and it reposed upon the black masculine knees that belonged to the evening bosom.

Mr. Baxter heard a dulcet voice.

"He is indifferint, isn't he, sweetest Flopit? Seriously, though, Mr. Watson was telling me about you today. He says you're the most indifferent man he knows. He says you don't care two minutes whether a girl lives or dies. Isn't he a mean ole wicked sing, p'shaw Flopit?"

The reply was inaudible, and Mr. Baxter passed on, having recognized nothing of his own.

"These young fellows don't have any trouble finding their dress suits, I guess," he murmured, "not on a night like this."

Thus William, after a hard day, came to the gates of his romance, entering those portals of the moon in triumph. At one stroke his dashing raiment gave him high superiority over Johnnie Watson and other rivals who might loom.

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William's period of peculiar sensitiveness dated from that evening, and Jane in particular caused him a great deal of anxiety. In fact, he began to feel that Jane was a mortification which his parents might have spared him, with no loss to themselves or to the world.

For one thing, her passion for bread and butter, covered with apple sauce and powdered sugar, was getting to be a serious matter. Secretly William was not yet so changed by love as to be wholly indifferent to this refection himself, but his consumption of it was private, whereas Jane had formed the habit of eating it in exposed places, such as the front yard or the sidewalk.

Mrs. Baxter was pleasantly engaged with a sprinkling can and some small flowerbeds, and Jane, having returned from various sidewalk excursions, stood close by, her hands replenished with the favorite food and her chin rising and falling in gentle motions. Upon this calm scene came William, plunging round a corner of the house, furious yet plaintive.

"You've got to do something about that child!" he began. "I cannot stand it!"

Jane looked at him dumbly, not ceasing, however, to eat, while Mrs. Baxter thoughtfully continued her sprinkling.

"You've been gone all morning, Willie," she said. "I thought your father mentioned at breakfast that he expected you to put in at least two hours a day on your mathematics and"—

"That's neither here nor there," William returned vehemently. "I just want to say this: if you don't do something about Jane I will! Just look at her! Look at her, I ask you! That's just the way she looked half an hour ago out on the public sidewalk in front of the house when I came by here with Miss *Pratt!* That was pleasant, wasn't it—to be walking with a lady on the public street and meet a member of my family looking like that? Oh, lovely!"

In the anguish of this recollection his voice cracked, and, though his eyes were dry, his gestures wept for him. Plainly he was about to reach the most lamentable portion of his narrative. "And then she *hollered* at me! She hollered, 'Oh, *Will-ee!*' to me!" he stormed. "Any body would think I was about six years old! She hollered, 'Oh, Will-ee,' and she rubbed her stomach and stuck apple sauce all over her face, and she kept hollering, 'Will-ee!' with her



"Jane! look at her! Look at her, I ask you!"

mouth full. 'Will-ee, look! Good! Bread and butter and apple sauce and dinner. I bet you what any bad sense

"You did eat some the other day," said Jane. "You ate a whole lot. You eat it every chance you get."

"You hush up!" he shouted and returned to his description of the outrage. "She kept following me! She followed us, hollering, 'Will-ee!' till it's a wonder we didn't go deaf! And just look at her! I don't see how you can stand it to have her going around like that and people knowing it's your child! Why, she hasn't got enough on!"

Mrs. Baxter laughed. "Oh, for this very hot weather I really don't think people notice or care much about"—

"Notice!" he wailed. "I guess Miss Pratt noticed! Hot weather's no excuse for—for outright obesity!" (As Jane was thin, it is probable that William had mistaken the meaning of this word.) "Why, half of what she has got on has come unfastened, especially that frightful thing hanging around her leg! And look at her back, I just beg you! I ask you to look at her back! You can see her spinal cord!"

"Column," Mrs. Baxter corrected; "spinal column, Willie."

"What do I care which it is?" he fumed. "People aren't supposed to go around with it exposed, whichever it is, and with apple sauce on their ears!"

"Them is not!" Jane protested, and at the moment when she spoke she was right. Naturally, however, she lifted her hands to the accused ears, and the unfortunate result was to justify William's statement.

"Look!" he cried. "I just ask you to look! Think of it—that's the sight I have to meet when I'm out walking with Miss Pratt! She asked me who it was, and I wish you'd seen her face. She wanted to know who 'that curious child' was, and I'm glad you didn't hear the way she said it. 'Who is that curious child?' she said, and I had to tell her it was my sister. I had to tell Miss Pratt it was my only sister!"

"Willie, who is Miss Pratt?" asked Mrs. Baxter mildly. "I don't think I've ever heard of her."

Jane chose this moment to interrupt.

CHAPTER IV

Jane.

"WILLIE'S mashed on Miss Pratt," Jane said casually. "And she wears rats side curls. One almost came off. She's visitin' Miss May Parcher," added the deadly Jane. "But the Parchers are awful tired of her. They wish she'd go home, but they don't like to tell her so."

William became icily calm.

"Now, if you don't punish her," he said deliberately, "it's because you have lost your sense of duty!"

He turned upon his heel and marched toward the house. His mother called after him:

"Wait, Willie. Jane doesn't mean to hurt your feelings"—

"My feelings!" he cried, the iciness of his demeanor giving way under the strain of emotion. "If you stand there and allow her to speak as she did of one of the—one of the"— For a moment William appeared to be at a loss and the fact is that it always has been a difficult matter to describe the bright, ineffable divinity of the world to one's mother, especially in the presence of an inimical third party of tender years. "One of the"— he said, "one of the— the noblest—one of the noblest"—

Again he paused.

"Oh, Jane didn't mean anything," said Mrs. Baxter. "And if you think Miss Pratt is so nice I'll ask May Parcher to bring her to tea with us some day. If it's too hot we'll have iced tea, and, you can ask Johnnie Watson, if you like. Don't get so upset about things, Willie."

"Upset!" he echoed, appealing to heaven against this word. "Upset!" And he entered the house in a manner most dramatic.

"What made you say that?" Mrs. Baxter asked, turning curiously to Jane when William had disappeared. "Where did you hear any such things?"

"I was there," Jane replied, "at the Parchers'."

"Oh, I see."

"Yesterday afternoon," said Jane, "when Miss Parcher had the Sunday school class for lemonade and cookies."

"Did you hear Miss Parcher say"—

"No'm," said Jane. "I ate too many cookies, I guess, maybe. Anyways, Miss Parcher said I better lay down"—

"Lie down, Jane."

"Yes'm—on the sofa in the library, an' Mrs. Parcher an' Mr. Parcher came in there an' sat down after awhile, an' it was kind of dark, an' they didn't hardly notice me, or I guess they thought I was asleep, maybe. Anyways, they didn't talk loud, but Mr. Parcher would sort of grunt an' ack cross. He said he just wished he knew where he was goin' to have a home again. Then Mrs. Parcher said May had to ask her Sunday school class, but he said he never meant the Sunday school class. He said since Miss Pratt came to visit there wasn't anywhere he could go, because Willie Baxter an' Johnnie Watson an' Joe Bullitt an' all the other ones like that were there all the time, an' it made him just sick at the stomuck, an' he did wish there was some way to find out when ones was goin' home, because he couldn't stand much more talk about love.

"Then Willie an' Johnnie Watson an' Joe Bullitt an' Miss Pratt were always argufy' somep'n about love, an' he said Willie was the worst. Mamma, he said he didn't like the rest of it, but he said he guessed he could stand it if it wasn't for Willie. An' he said the reason they were all so—so terrible Miss Pratt was because she talks baby talk, an' he said he couldn't stand much more baby talk. He said he had the loveliest little sweetie-pie, but Mr. Parcher doesn't like it. He said he couldn't go anywhere around the place without stoppin' on the dog for Willie Baxter. An' he said he couldn't go in his own porch anymore. He said he couldn't stand the baby talk

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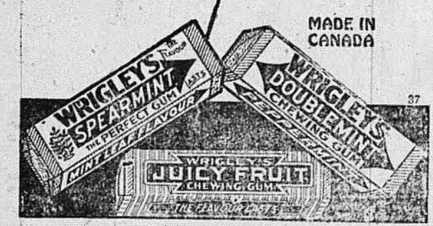
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THERE ARE MANY colts approaching the termination of their third or fourth year, that are practically untaught, or as it is usually expressed "unbroken."

The too common practice of allowing such to go "unbroken" until such time as they are required to perform the functions of a horse in the spring, is irrational, and unfair to the animal. Colts should not be "broken," they should be taught or educated. In the unhandled or unbroken colt, the muscular, respiratory and nervous system (the organs whose functions are taxed in the performance of the ordinary functions of a horse) are weak and undeveloped from lack of function. Hence a regular course of preparation during the late winter and early spring months, when the time of both man and horse is not very valuable, should be given in order to have the colts in such condition when time becomes valuable that they will be able to perform a reasonable amount of work with satisfaction to the driver and safety to themselves.

The colt or colts should first be taught to wear harness and bridle by being allowed to run free for a few hours daily in a box stall or paddock, with the harness on. It is then good practice to match each with a steady, smart and good-natured horse, or if necessary a pair of colts together, and teach them to drive, obey the words of command, stand when asked to, etc.

When they have become reasonably handy without being hitched, they should be hitched to a waggon. Care should be taken to see that the harness fits properly. This applies especially to collars. The collars in which they are expected to work later on, should be worn. Each should have his own, and it should fit properly, not being too wide, so as to allow a rolling motion, nor yet sufficiently narrow to pinch at any point. The bearing surface should conform thereto in the vicinity of the neck and shoulder with which it comes in contact, except at the bottom, where sufficient vacant space to allow the introduction of a man's fingers should exist.

The colt or pair should be given daily exercise or light work, commencing with an hour or two the first day and gradually increasing the amount until they will be able to perform a full day's reasonable exertion without showing signs of weariness. The amount of grain given should also be gradually increased in proportion to the work or exercise given. By such usage the muscular, respiratory and nervous systems gradually gain tone, the muscles with which the harness, especially the collar, comes in contact, gradually become hardened and increased in power of resistance, hence become much less liable to soreness. In many cases, on account of this hardening of the muscles, they lose bulk, hence a collar that may have fitted perfectly at first may now be too large.—J. H. R., Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph.

Preparing for Gardening.

This month begins the active gardening work. Hotbeds should be made and the seed of the early plants like cabbage, cauliflower, early celery, early beets, and the long season plants like tomatoes, egg plants and peppers should be started. Many of these seeds for small gardening work may be started inside which will relieve the necessity of making hotbeds until the first part of next month. Manure for top dressing the ground may be hauled out the latter part of this month.

Hints For the Poultryman.

The flock should be given the opportunity to get out of doors and exercise on fine days. Begin to make preparation for hatching. Clean up the incubators and brooders, get boxes ready for setting hens. Do not set hens in the laying pens where other birds are running. If you want to raise more than 150 chickens consider the use of a good incubator and brooder. Usually chickens of the general purpose breeds hatched during the last week of March make the best winter layers. Where using hens for hatching dust them well with some good insect powder before setting, and again about two weeks later.

Feeding the Ewe.

On many farms lambs will begin to arrive about this time. If ewes have been liberally fed for a month before lambing they will likely have more milk. From ½ to 1 lb. of grain fed per ewe per day for a month before lambing is generally good practice, especially if ewes are somewhat thin. —Ontario Agricultural College Notes.

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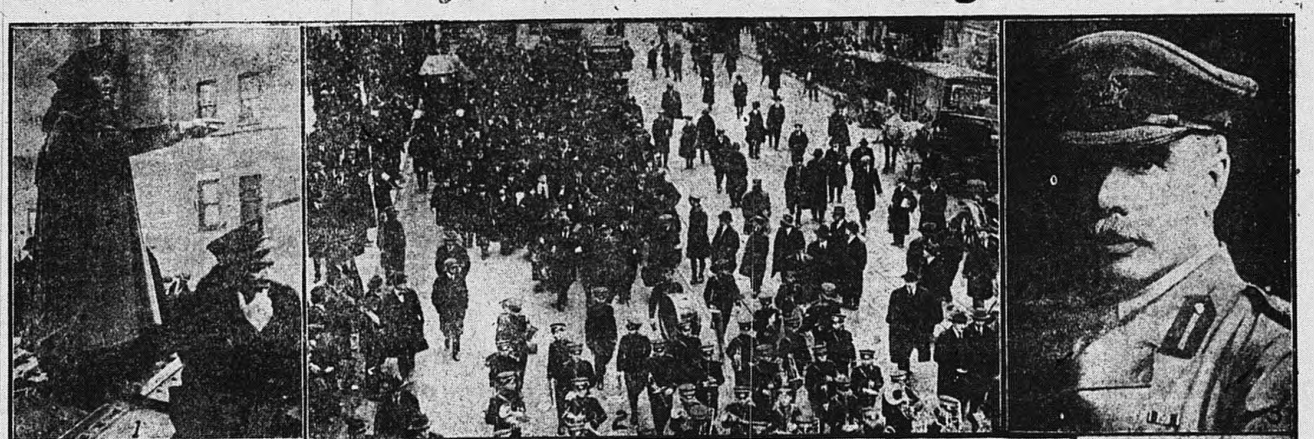
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British Tank Plays Part In Recruiting In U. S. A.



(1) Mrs. Wheelock, "champion recruiter," asking for British and Canadian volunteers, from the deck of the tank "Britannia." Joe Taylor at the right. (2) Sgt.-Major Bramhall, in charge of recruits of the Jewish Battalion, leaving British and Canadian Recruiting Depot, 220 W. Forty-second St., New York, Feb. 28th, to board the Fall River Line steamer for Yarmouth, N.S. This event bears evidence of the desire of the Jews to join England's forces to maintain control of Palestine. (3) Col. J. S. Dennis, C.E.F., in charge of the Canadian Continent, British Canadian Recruiting Mission. (4) The kind of picture that fascinates recruits. (5) Lieut.-Col. F. C. Jamieson, in charge of the Eastern Division. (6) Brig.-Gen. W. A. White, C.M.G., Officer Commanding the British and Canadian Recruiting Mission in the United States. (7) Standing: C. Brosman White, Officer Commanding New York Depot of the British and Canadian Recruiting Mission. Seated (left to right): Mrs. Gordon Auchinclose, Mrs. James Auchinclose, daughters of Mrs. E. M. House, and Captain Richard Haight, of the "Britannia." (8) Capt. P. F. Sise, in charge of the Intelligence Section.





BRITISH CANADIAN HUSTLE IN U.S.A.

During one recent week in March the British and Canadian Recruiting Mission dispatched to Canada 1,089 volunteers for the British and Canadian armies. During the absence of Brigadier-General W. A. White, C.M.G., Col. J. S. Dennis, of the Canadian Expeditionary Force, is in command of the recruiting programme in the United States. Brigadier-General White is making a tour through the south in an effort to stimulate interest in recruiting.

The pictures accompanying this article illustrate the campaign that is being carried on in New York by the Mission. Brigadier-General White and Colonel Dennis have started a whirlwind campaign for recruiting Britishers and Canadians in the United States covering the next two months



Their ambition is to secure 20,000 men from the United States, if possible, before the terms of the draft convention between the United States and Great Britain become effective. During the eight months the Mission has been at work in the United States it has secured 22,000 volunteers for the British and Canadian armies, and has examined about 16,000 more.

Brigadier-General White has made the point that if a Britisher or Canadian desires to aid the Allies he can do so by promptly volunteering, because the machinery of the British and Canadian armies for training men has been so well developed by three and a half years of experience that it can train a man and put him in the firing line in five months. This has actually been done in quite a number of cases. On the other hand, the United States Government, starting much later, has had its hands full in training the first contingent of the draft, numbering about 700,000 men, and the second draft will follow close upon the heels of the first.



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Canada has a parcel post system but it is not used as largely as it ought to be, probably because the government has not brought it advantages before the people as prominently as it might have done.

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The postmistress of La Valee, Ont., announces that she does not need a telephone but she adds: "If the landed aristocracy of surrounding country would like to install a telephone in the Post Office for their own benefit, the Postmistress will answer all their queries re mail, and will read their love letters to them over the phone if requested.

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We have been enjoying some delightful spring weather of late; and still Old Groucher won't let people bask contentedly in it. He shakes his head dismally and croaks: "Oh, well pay for this yet, all right; March comes in like a lam'. I never seen it fail; them thunder and lightnin' storms means a late spring, and there was three circles 'round the moon last month." And so he exasperating old sill-joy wheezes along until listeners commence to shiver and cuddle up to the stove."

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Five Weeks In A Snowbank

Andrew Ostrander of Huttonville, has the champion goose story. On January 12 two of his geese disappeared. On February 23, when the snow began to melt, they were discovered alive in the snowbank, where they had been completely covered and without food for upwards of five weeks.

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Does it Pay to Sell?

Their seems to be quite a movement of farmers west this year. In this district a number have held sales and got rid of their stock and implements at high prices. This seems to be a good year to sell. But what about these men when they come to equip themselves for farming again? Three or four thousand dollars may look good and feel good in hand, but it must be remembered the farmer is out of business and to get back into business it may be quite a costly affair.—Port Elgin Times.

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Train Knocked Them Off Bridge

On Monday morning, 14 of Mr. G. G. Rennie's cattle got out and upon the C. P. R. track as the morning train came along. They kept ahead of the train until the trestle bridge over the Grand River near Belwood was reached. Here the locomotive struck the bunch, knocking them into the river some 30 or 40 feet below. Six were killed outright and the other eight so badly injured that they had to be killed. They were a choice bunch, several being ready to market, and the loss will be close to $1,500.—Fergus News-Record.

It may be all right to give credit where credit is due, but spot cash is always preferable.

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A girl who received a hundred thousand in a breach of promise suit has married a farmer. That girl is some money annexer.

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Hon. Duncan Marshall, Minister for Agriculture in Alberta, says the reason the use of bacon is not prohibited is because quantities of supplies are piling up in the Dominion, due to the inability of France to provide funds to buy. Mow wouldn't it be too bad if we should pile up all this bacon and it should have to be destroyed as the Winnipeg chickens were.

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Removing To Toronto

Mr. Carl McKay who has been with the Walkerton Egg & Dairy Co. for the past six years, is leaving for Toronto to take a position with his brother, Mr. Donald McKay, who has a large fruit and produce business. Mr. McKay has been a life-long resident of Walkerton and the removal of him and his family will be deeply regretted by their many friends here.

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To Get Man's Pay

That at least one farmer has faith in the ability of women to fill a man's place on the farm is indicated by the fact that a well-known Bronte farmer has engaged a young woman and has promised her the same pay as a man if she makes good. His new farm hand comes from the old country. She has had considerable farm experience and is said to be able to drive teams of three or even four horses handle any farm machine.

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A Sad Death.

A very sad death took place in Carrick on Thursday morning March 14th when Mrs. Jacob Kreitz of the Elora road passed away at the age of 28 years. Mrs Kreitz passed away after a short illness with septic peritonitis, having given birth to a baby six days previously. The funeral took place to the Formosa R. C. Cemetery. The sorrowing husband and parents have the sincerest sympathy of all their friends.

The railways, it is reported, will give no special excursion rates this year.

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In the estimates brought down in the Ontario Legislature the sum of $30,000 is provided for increased salaries to District Agriculture representatives in counties. Their present salaries are $1,500 which will probably be increased to $2,000.

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Under the heading "Canada Wins" a United States paper prints the following; "Horses" said the American. "Don't you talk to me about horses! I had an old mare that once licked the fastest express on our railroad by pretty near a couple of miles on a thirty-mile run. to Chicago." "That's nothing!" said the Canadian "I was out on my farm one day, about fifty miles away from the house, when a frightful storm came up. I turned the pony's head toward home and he raced the storm so close for the last ten miles that I didn't feel a drop. On the other hand my dog, only ten yards behind, had to swim the whole distance!"

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Saloonless World Soon

Before closing the seventy-ninth session of the conference of the East Pennsylvania Evangelical Association resolutions were adopted pledging "our continued support to make this a saloonless nation in 1920". Rev. Homer W. Tope, of Philadelphia, Superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League, said that within four years there would not be a saloon in the world.

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Succession Duties Act Amended

The Succession Duties Act has been amended by the Ontario Legislature as to make clear that succession duty would not be collected on gifts made absolutely to father, mother, child, son-in-law or daughter-in-law, up to $20,000, provided that the gift was made as a gift three years before the decease of the testator, that the rates of succession duty payable by a beneficiary who is not a blood relative is to be 15 per cent, where it is over $50,000 and not more than $200,000, and to be 20 per cent, where it exceeds $200,000.

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Mike Was Wise

A priest announced that a collection would be taken up to defray the cost of coal for heating the church. Everybody contributed except Mike Foley, who gave a sly wink as the plate was presented to him. After the service the priest took the parishioner to task. "Now Michael," he said, "why didn't you give something if it were but little? "Faith I'm on to yez" said Michael. "What do you mean!" Oh, nothing, just that I'm on to yez. That's all." "Michael, your words are disrespectful what do you mean?" "Faith, Father, a-thrying to pull the wool over me eyes, a-thrying to make us believe yez wants the money to buy coal to heat the church, and, yer reverence knows it's heated by sthame."

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THOSE who have never had the privilege of seeing a wild fox in the full glory of his winter clothing cannot begin to form a conception of the beauty of the dress. In the foothills and mountains of western Canada these animals reach practically the same perfection they do in the bitter cold of the Arctic. Some people claim they possess a more showy coat because they generally fare better.

The ordinary dweller of the cities pictures a fox as an indefinite red creature something like a wolf or a dog, but possessing a big tail. They know a fox is called red generally, but they do not know the shade. Those people who have seen foxes in cages also cannot appreciate the vast difference between the captive and the free.

The true wild fox in winter is a wonderful creature of soft blendings of bright reid, cream, the purest of white, the sharpest of black. Every hair shines with life and vigor, and the brush is a magnificent appendage which would make a true cross country fox-hunter kill an Irish hunter to obtain.

A splendid type of red fox trotted up the snow-covered ice of the headwaters of the Red Deer River in Alberta. He heard the sound of splintering shell-ice and he paused to listen. Far ahead some Stoney Indians, returning from their big annual game drive to the Clearwater and the Saskatchewan were crossing southward, their ponies laden with the meat of bear and deer and moose. They were bound for their homes in Morley, thirty miles distant, where they would sit in comfort in the warm log cabins for the remainder of the winter, ruing out perhaps only to feed their saddle horses or to pose in their blankets on the Canadian Pacific Railway platforms for the benefit of any tourists who might be travelling.

The fox took to the brush. It was high noon; clouds had rolled down from the peaks and soft new snow was falling. Crossing another bend of the river he came to a river flat where the body of a dead horse lay. He was as cautious as any fox but he was confident that no harm lay in the meat of this carcass because on the preceding night he had slunk by while coyotes made the darkness ring with their unpleasant bickerings over the feast. So, picking out a choice part of the neck he ate, and then went on.

But sometime during that morning a hunter in the district had "salted" portions of the dead animal. He had heard the coyotes at it and he had been waiting for just that development, knowing that after their caution had been blunted by one feed they would be back again and he would be able to barter some fur. He and by he came to inspect his "bait." He saw the fox tracks in the fresh snow and he followed, but not far. In a wooded dell where the spruces and birches gloomed and sparkled, at the foot of an open, snow-filled coulee he spied his catch. It was dead. Its toes turned up as is usual with the victims of strychnine. His shining red and white and black coat, its huge, soft brush, were as striking points of beauty as anything else in that ermine covered, green and silver studded spot of northern beauty. But the hunter was materialist. He was pleased because he had promised a girl in New York that when he returned home from his holiday in the foothill hunting country he would bring her some real Canadian fur.

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White Voile Blouses

They're fresh, smart, and in a variety of pretty models, all beautifully embroidered and lace trimmed. The size range includes 36 to 44. Prices $2.00 to $3.50.

Ladies' New Easter Collars

Just a dainty little collar will brighten up a waist or dress.

There are square collars, collars in the new long roll effects and stocks with Jabots, the materials Georgette Crepe, satin, silk and net. All are fresh and new, 50cts., 75cts., $1.00, to $2.50.

Silk Stockings of the Better Kind

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Novelties in ladies' fancy collars and new designs just received at 50c to $1.50 each.

Our new dainty waists and Camisoles must really be seen to be appreciated.

Rich silk sweater coats for the ladies, Maize, Corn, Coral, Rose, Beet, Root, Black and white and other pretty color combinations.

We have also just received a lovely line of Ladies' Silk and Lisle Spring Hosiery, Black, White and other colors, 50c. to $2.25 per pair.

Dainty Mulls, Voilles, Chambrays, Muslin, Ginghams and Prints are here now. They are very pretty designs, and considering conditions are very reasonably priced. Your inspection is cordially invited.

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NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Lamont are spending the Easter holidays at the former's home at Brussels.

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John D. Rockefeller's income tax is $34,000,000. This is small consolation to those who have to pay the gasoline bills.

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The entire staff of public and high school teachers in St. Thomas threaten to resign unless given an increase in salary of at least $200 per annum.

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George Martin of Paisley, who formerly farmed in Brant, was operated upon at the County Hospital on Tuesday by Dr. Hall of Walkerton and Dr. Gage of Paisley.

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Mr. Montague Buffam Accountant of the Merchants Bank, who has been seriously ill with pneumonia at the County Hospital is getting along fine and expects to be out of the hospital in a short time.

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Rev. G. C. Rock expects a visit this week from his nephew, Simon G. Sedgwick of Toronto, who has just arrived home from Flanders. Mr Sedgwick was at Somme, was twice wounded and now has been invalided home. He is coming here for a short rest.

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Phil Denny, formerly of the 100th, writes from Bramshott that both he and his brother, Corp. Adam Denny are both well and are now in the reserve battalion at Bramshott. He mentions Hilyard Sparling and Vic Runstadler as two of the boys who have gone to France.

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Johnny was at the grocer store. "I hear you have a little sister at your house," said the grocer. "Yes, sir," said Johnny. "Do you like that?" was queried. "I wish it was a boy," said Johnny, "so I could play marbles with him, and baseball." "Well," said the grocer, "why don't you exchange your little sister for a boy?" Johnny reflected a minute, then he said rather sorrowfully "We can't now. It's too late. We've used her four weeks."

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Something For Merchants

Speaking at St. Thomas last week, Mr. Frank Stockdale, the New York advertising expert said:—There is no ware that cannot be advertised, and no merchant could make a success of merely advertising his wares. He must advertise the service attached to the ware.

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Old Case Revived.

An old adage that the law never forgets was illustrated at the Spring Assizes on Monday when indictments issued twelve years ago were up for review before Judge Latchford. At that time two brothers of Kincardine Tp. charged with committing an atrocious assault on a young girl fled to the States. A recent report that they contemplated revisiting their old home, resulted in stirring the charge up again.

Buy your Easter footwear at Ramsey's shoe store.

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Robert Allan, an old resident of Kincardine, died on Friday.

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The casket makers have increased the price of their product 50%. We are so engaged in combatting the high cost of living that this will occasion little worry.

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The Red Cross ladies on the 8th concession, Culross, held a social last week and realized $118. A feature of the evening was the auction of the season's first gallon of maple syrup, which ran up to $9.75. This was donated by J. Walker.

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A British leather seller sent his bill to a shoemaker who owed him some money. One day the shoemaker was passing the shop. The man ran out and asked him if he had a the bill. Said the shoemaker: "I do all my business in parliamentary style. When I received your bill I gave it the first reading. In another fortnight I will give it the second reading, and very probably throw it out altogether."

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Brother and Sister Called Suddenly

Miss Agnes Smith has had word of the sudden death of two former Walkertonians, Mrs. David Smith, and her brother, Paul Ross jr., both of Manitoba. Mrs. Smith died suddenly in Winnipeg while shopping in a store. Her brother was killed by the explosion of a tank. Their father, the late Paul Ross, was an ex-Mayor of Walkerton, and a prominent citizen of this town for many years. He at one time lived on the property at present owned by Mr. Joe Zettler, west of the town.

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A One Tree Town

An old citizen pointed out to the Telescope the other day, that Walkerton has only one tree each of several well known varieties of trees. For instance, the only red oak in town is in Mr. William Van Horne's yard where it was planted as an acorn many years ago by the late Rev. Robt. Moffat, at one time pastor of Knox Church. The only white oak tree in town has quite an historic interest. It grew from an acorn planted by the late Miss Teasdale on her property where Mr. Claude Cooper now resides. She brought the acorn from Toronto where it had grown on a tree planted at the University grounds by the late King Edward VII on the occasion of his visit to Canada as Prince of Wales. Chestnut trees do not thrive in this neighborhood, but there is one, and only one, according to our informant. It is on Judge Greig's front lawn where it was planted a number of years ago by the late H. P. O'Connor M. P. P. The only butternwood tree in town grows on the Bend, north of the C. P. R. coal sheds. There was another tree of this variety on the Court House grounds, planted by the late Caretaker Richardson, but it was cut down to make room for the addition to the Registry Office.

Ice Goes Down

The ice above Truax's dam broke about two o'clock Friday afternoon and got away nicely. The Town Council had cleared the way for it on Thursday by clearing away the ice around the C. P. R. bridge. The worst jam in this district was at the 6th con. Brant where a couple of farms were largely under water and some of the livestock had to be hoisted from the stables to the floor above in the bank barns. The roadway was under water for a long distance until the ice jam broke on Sunday afternoon.

Died In California

Mr. Peter Ferguson, a former Walkerton lawyer, died at his home at Hollywood, Los Angeles, on Friday, in his 73rd year. Mr. Ferguson practised here as a young man, having an office in the quarters at present occupied by Dr. C. L. Grant. He left here about forty years ago to practise law at Winnipeg. He became quite well-to-do and a few years ago retired and removed to California. Up to the time of his death he kept up a steady correspondence with Crown Attorney Thos. Dixon.

Caustic Soda

Just arrived another lot of Caustic Soda in Bulk.

Apples

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Ladies' Waists

White Silk Waists, all sizes, made in newest style, special $1.25.

New stock of White Voille Waists, just in, ranging from $1.50 to $3.25 each.

Mercerized Voille

New stock of Mercerized Voille, in Black, Navy, Sky and Pink at 50cts. per yard.

Ladies Dark Brown Cashmere Hose special at 59cts. per pair.

Spring Dress Goods

Foulard in newest patterns and shades at 50cts. a yard.

Tussah Silk, a very beautiful and dressy fabric, special at 95cts. a yard.

Get our price on raw silk, (extra good quality)

Curtainettes & Scrims

Some new curtainettes and scrims just in ranging from 19c to 60c.

Children's Hose

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Ladies' Hose

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NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that Mary King of Chesley, Ontario, wife of Thomas Andrew King, will apply to the Parliament of Canada at the next Session thereof for a Bill of Divorce from her husband, Thomas Andrew King, on the ground of adultery and desertion.

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Muskrats

C. H. Rogers is paying from $1.40 to 80c for Spring Muskrats according to size and quality.

Sewing Contest Concluded

The Sewing Contest held by the I. O. D. E. in March was a good success, an immense amount of work being accomplished. Mrs. Sloveright's side were the winners. A full report of the contest will appear next week.

New Minister Here

Rev. Mr. Lamach, the new pastor of the Lutheran Church, arrived here on Friday and conducted the Good Friday and Easter services. Sacrament was administered on Sunday. There were large congregations present and the new minister made an excellent first impression. Mr. Lamach will live in the residence on Victoria St., recently bought by the congregation for a parsonage.

Women's Societies Take Notice

We are informed by the County Treasurer that the applications for the County Grant to Red Cross and other Women's Societies making up material for soldiers' comforts have been so numerous that the amount set aside, for this purpose, ($12,000.00) is exhausted. As there are no more funds at present for this purpose, societies, must withhold making applications until the County Council makes further grant.

Old Trees Cut Down.

Many old trees in the town which have been landmarks for a generation or more have fallen victims to the axe this Spring. A fine old elm on Mr. Ed. Pengelly's property was cut down on Good Friday and measured 3 feet 1 inch across. The tree was planted by the late Mrs Pengelly 38 years ago and was a magnificent specimen. Of late years it grew very rapidly and was throwing too much shade. When cut up it yielded about five cords of stove wood. A hard maple in front of Mr. Wm. Taylor's house was cut down the same day. It was planted by Mr. Taylor himself 41 years ago and the trunk was about a foot and a half across.

Given Public Welcome

A public reception to two of Walkerton's returned heroes, Corp. Wilfrid Yack and Gunner Wm. Russell, who arrived home the early part of last week, was held at the Town Hall last Thursday night. Mr. John Rowland acted as Chairman and called upon a number of speakers including Revs. C. W. Cosens, Thos. Wilson, and J. W. Sanderson, Prin. Morgan, Mayor Johnston, and others. The usual gold pieces were presented to the boys, both of which made nice speeches in reply. Mr. Simon G. Sedgwick of Toronto, who has just returned from fighting at the Somme and is visiting his uncle, Rev. G. C. Rock, gave an interesting talk on experiences at the Front.

Bowling Club Annual Meeting

On Friday Night Apl.5th in Council Chamber. For annual report and election of officers.—C. S. Stephan —Sec'y

Victim of Stroke

The many friends of Mr. Michael McNab of Chepstow will regret to learn that he was the victim of a paralytic stroke this week.

Auction Sale.

Of Farm Stock and Implements at lot 3, con. 14, Carrick, on Monday, April 16 th. Theo. Loos and Frank Rieck, prop. John Purvis Auct.

Mildmay Spring Show

The Mildmay Spring Show and Seed Fair will be held on Thursday, April 11 th. Bigger and better than ever. Get prize list from Secretary P. D. Hemmer, Mildmay.

Took Part of Dam

The flood is reported to be tremendously high at Southampton. On Tuesday night Mr. John Rowland got word that part of the big power dam had been swept away by the flood. Until the water recedes it will be impossible to ascertain the extent of the damage. The Power Co. has a very heavy investment in the big dam and it is feared their loss may be heavy.

Will Doff the Khaki

Lieut. E. A. James, who returned home recently from Overseas, expects to return to civilian life shortly. Mr. James has not yet stated his plans for the future but it is likely that he will take up farming in Western Canada. The prospect of the early removal of Mr. James and his family from Walkerton will be anything but pleasing to the large circle of friends they have made in this town.

Given Thirty Days

The tailor who was charged with stealing goods from his employer, S. A. Rife, appeared before Magistrate James Tolton on Wednesday morning, pleaded guilty, was sent up for trial before Judge Greig. He was taken from the Town Hall to the Court House and tried summarily by Judge Greig, who sentenced him to serve 30 days in gaol, with the condition that the loss to his employer be made good. Crown Attorney Dixon appeared for the Crown and Lawyer A. E. McNab for the defendant.

Brocklebank—Fraser

A quiet wedding took place on Thursday, March 28th, at the Methodist Parsonage, Walkerton, when an estimably young couple, Miss Sadie Fraser, daughter of the late F. J. Fraser, and Mr. Richard Harvie Brocklebank, youngest son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Wm Brocklebank of Brant, were united in marriage by Rev. C. W. Cosens. On account of recent bereavement in the bride's family the affair was very quietly celebrated. Mr. and Mrs. Brocklebank, who have the heartiest wishes of a large circle of friends for a long life and happiness, will live on Mr. Brocklebank's fine farm on con. 4, Brant.

NEWS ABOUT TOWN

April.

Read the ads.

Town Council meets Monday night.

Garden tools of all kinds at Sandy McCarter's.

Miss E. McGill is spending the week with friends in Toronto.

Clover, Timothy, Mangle and Turnip Seed at S. W. Vogan's.

Dominion and Maltese Cross Tires and Tubes at S. W. Vogan's.

Mr. E. T. Gibson spent the holiday with friends at Cliffford and Harriston.

Mr. Leeson, of Aylmer, is here this week visiting his son, Mr. E. H. Leeson.

Garden hoes, rakes, ladies' hoes, and garden tools of all kinds at Sandy McCarter's.

The Brant Farmers Club will meet at Mr. J. T. Lamb's on Tuesday evening Apr. 9.

Keep this date open—April 19th—for the Hospital play. Further particulars next week.

Mrs. Barber and daughter of Guelph are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arch. Tolton.

Miss Eleanor McGarity, who is teaching near Toronto, spent Easter at her home in Brant.

Mrs. R. E. Truax went to Toronto on Monday on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Adams.

Mrs Frank Latchford returned home Monday night from a visit to her sister, Mrs. John Lynch at Guelph.

The Public School will reopen on Monday with Mr. Thomas Rankin in charge as Acting-Principal until July.

Mr. James Raeburn has been confined to the house since the first of last week with grippe and a touch of pleurisy.

Mr. A. Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Roy and other friends paid a visit to Mr. James Garland's sugar bush at Cargill on Good Friday.

Mrs. Campbell of Barrie, accompanied by her two children is visiting at the home of her brother, Mr. Angus Campbell in Brant.

Pte. Will Birrell, who received his discharge recently after doing his bit at the Front, leaves next Tuesday for his farm at Alsask, Sask.

After April 30th every grocer must have his license number displayed on his stationery. The Telescope office can help out in this change.

Mr. William Silver who has been working in the sand-room at the Knechtel factory the past year, is leaving to take up outdoor employment.

Mrs. John Nielly was operated upon for appendicitis at the County Hospital on Saturday morning. She is reported to be making a good recovery.

Col. J. McCrae, author of "In Flanders Fields" left his entire estate to his mother. His mother was before her marriage, Miss Eckford of Brant Tp.

It's a great little wrinkle for the garden—the hand cultivator. Costs $1.25 but you wouldn't be without it afterwards for $5. Sandy McCarter sells it.

Miss Fairservice of Toronto was an Easter visitor in town.

Miss Lizzie Monk, who has been visiting her mother for the past month, returned to Stratford on Monday.

Mr. Wm. Hawkins, son of the late Wm. Hawkins P. L. S., a former well-known resident of Bruce, was an Easter visitor in town.

A C. P. R. locomotive backed off the turntable here last week, the tender going down. It was some job to get the engine righted under its own steam.

Mrs. Beechie left this week on a visit to her daughter, Mrs King at Toronto. She expects to visit relatives at Kitchener before returning and will be away a month.

Mr James Cameron had word yesterday from his son, Mr. James Cameron Jr. of the Renfrew Collegiate Institute staff that he had been called for military service.

An enjoyable Easter entertainment was given by the Methodist Epworth League on Monday evening. Rev. C. W. Cosens presided and a good program of recitations and music was given.

Mr. John Kappler, who has been working in a stove foundry at Hespeler, has sold his house and lot on Victoria St. to Mr. Alex. Haas for $1,000 and intends removing to Hespeler.

Miss Jessie Rolston, who has been secretary of the Y. W. C. A. at Kitchener the past three years, has resigned her position and is expected here on Friday to spend a couple of months with her aunt, Miss S. Rolston.

Mrs. H. F. Goodfellow and little son, Lorne, of Sault Ste. Marie, are visiting Mrs. Goodfellow sr., West Ward. Dr. Goodfellow is at Toronto attending the Ontario Education Association and is expected here Thursday or Friday. Dr. Goodfellow has taken an active interest in educational matters at the Sault and is at present Chairman of the Board of Education.

Mr. Thomas J. Halladay of Kelfield, Sask., who has been spending the winter with his mother, Mrs. Halladay, has made arrangements with a neighbour to crop his 160 acre farm and will remain East probably until August. Mr. Halladay's health has not been the best and he will take a rest. It is about 19 years since he has seen an Ontario summer although he has spent most of his winters back East.

Mr. H. W. Elliott, who has been appointed Children's Aid Agent for Bruce County is expected here this week to take up his duties. Mr. Elliott is a comparatively young man with wide experience in this class of service and may be counted upon to make himself felt in Bruce County. With this worthy work being carried on upon a larger scale than heretofore, citizens may expect to be given a chance to help individually towards financing it from this time forward.

The Methodist Choir which has been making excellent progress under the leadership of Miss Flossie Cosens, gave a beautiful program of Easter music on Sunday. The numbers included several anthems by Misses Dippell and Irwin and violin solo by Mr. Pratt. The choir organized recently with Mrs. Skelton as president, Miss Ruth Garner as secretary and Miss V. Dippell as treasurer. A new set of music books was purchased, the funds being provided by a series of teas given by the members.

A Big Sale

Mr. Jim Cahoon's Auction Sale on Tuesday afternoon drew the largest crowd in years and high prices ruled. Cattle brought upwards of two hundred and horses up to $225. The entire proceeds will run close to seven thousand dollars. Mr. Cahoon advertised the sale extensively in the local newspapers and printers ink paid well in bringing out the bidders.

Colts Broke Loose

A team of colts belonging to Mr. J. T. Bell of Carrick broke loose from the Knox Church shed one morning last week, and badly smashed up the carriage and harness before their owner who was down town on business, happened along. One of the animals had got away and ran quite a distance but the other was stopped by a tree and when the owner arrived was tangled up in the remains of the harness. The carriage was also badly smashed.

Putting On The Lid.

License Inspector White went the rounds of the town the past week explaining to the grocers and druggists the latest amendment to the Ontario Temperance Act which certainly puts the lid on tight. Lemon Essence, Vanilla Extract, and all flavouring extracts which contain alcohol will be as hard to get after this as a drink of whiskey at a drug store. Extracts must be sold in bottles not larger than 2½ oz. and the grocer must write down in a book kept specially for the purpose the name and address of every purchaser and the date. The extract of ginger which has proved a great "joy producer" since the O. T. A. was passed, has been hedged around with regulations which make it as hard as possible to get it as a beverage. In the first place no one can sell it but druggists. In the second place, the customer must satisfy the druggist that he wants the ginger root for a legitimate purpose and in the third place the customer must take his oath before a magistrate that he requires the root for a legitimate purpose and that it will not be used as a beverage. If he can fulfil all these conditions, he can pay his money and get two ounces of the precious substance.

Death of Mrs. Grainger.

Mrs. John Grainger passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. J. Richardson at Kitchener on Monday, after a long siege of illness. She had been in poor health about two years and last Fall closed up her residence here and went to her daughter's home. At the time of her death, her daughter Nursing Sister Emma Grainger was on her way home from France in response to a cable sent a few weeks ago. Mrs. Grainger was almost a life-long resident of Walkerton, her late husband being a prominent citizen of the town. For many years he took contracts for plastering and had a part in the construction of most of the older buildings of the town. Later he was a partner in the brewery business for many years with the late Wm. Farquharson. Mrs. Grainger was a woman of fine character, and a life-long member of St. Thomas Church. A family of four sons and and three daughters are left to mourn a loving mother. They are:—Horace Grainger B. A. of Toronto; Dr. John, formerly dentist at the Sault, now Overseas; George of London; Walter, of the Royal Flying Corps now in training in Texas, Mrs. J. J. Richardson of Kitchener; Emma, Nursing Sister, at the front, Mabel at home. The remains were brought to Walkerton on the G. T. R. morning train yesterday. The funeral will take place from her late residence, West Ward on Friday afternoon.

Presentation Didn't Come Off

A serio-comic incident occurred a few miles out of town last week at which the neighborhood is still laughing. A farmer who had sold his farm was preparing to move to another section and the neighbors got busy and planned to give him a royal send off. A subscription was taken up through the countryside and a handsome present purchased to be given to the departing neighbor along with a nice address telling how much they all thought of him. As if this were not enough a feast was got ready to be given in his honor at the next farm. The night came, but in the meantime the river had risen to such a flood height that the roads were practically impassible. Not to be stopped in their scheme to honour their departing friend, the neighbors almost risked their lives by driving through the flood to get to the affair. When everybody had arrived and the extra chairs from all over the countryside, brought in to accommodate the crowd the festivities were ready to begin. A messenger was then despatched to the guest of honor to come on over. Here is where the messenger got a shock that nearly knocked him off his feet. The honored guest declined to be honored. He simply said "no" and that was all there was to it. He gave no excuse but just intimated that so far as propelling his presence one inch from his doorstep, there was nothing doing. When word got back to the assembled company some of them, when they had got over their astonishment, were inclined to be furious. Then their funny bones got working and helped a bit to relieve their outraged feelings.

Resigns Owing To Illness

Rev. D. A. Walker B. A. formerly pastor of the Methodist Church, has again resigned his pastorate at Preston owing to ill-health. Mr. Walker wished to withdraw from the work last summer but was prevailed upon to continue. It now appears that his condition is such that he will have to leave the work definitely if he is to regain his health. His many friends here hope to have better news soon of his condition.

160th Soldier Killed

The first death in action among the boys of the 160th since they went to France last month in various drafts, occurred on March 23rd, when Norman Farquharson, elder son of Mr. John Farquharson, town clerk of Teeswater, died of wounds in a military Hospital. Norman was a fine strapping young man, resembling very much his father in build. He was well over six feet in height, his big physique enabling him to gain admission to the Battalion although he was considerably under age. Norman went to France to join the 2nd Pioneers early in March and had just been a few days on the firing line when he received his fatal wound on March 21st. Two days later he passed away and he now fills a hero's grave in Flanders fields. Memorial service for this heroic young soldier was held at the Presbyterian church at Teeswater on Sunday.

Religious Side of Trench Life.

A large congregation was in attendance at the Baptist and Christian church on Sunday evening to hear Cpl. S. G. Sedgewick of Toronto who was visiting his uncle Rev. G. C. Rock speak on "The Religious Side of Life in the Trenches." Corp'l Sedgewick who has been invalided home after having been at the Front for some months with a Scottish regiment gave a very interesting talk on this phase of soldier life of which though much thought of by parents and others at home, very little is known. "The greatest evil" he said "with which Christian organizations have to contend, is the French 'staminet' or restaurant which have been established as near the lines as possible and which serve cigarettes, wine, rum, etc." To offset this evil there are organizations at work including the Y.M.C.A. which has huts and tents directly behind the lines and serve hot coffee and other soldiers' comforts to the men as they come out of the trenches. Besides the 'Y' there are the huts and tents of the Church of England Ministerial Association, the Catholic Ladies' Society and others, but the greatest of all these so far as the spiritual welfare of the average soldier is concerned, is the Y. M. C. A., which had even a greater influence for good through its meetings and song services than anything else. The speaker belittled the activities of the Chaplain of his regiment, which he said consisted of taking the men in charge after church parade on a Sunday morning when they were off duty and telling them to write home. Although there was little to uplift a man the standards of right-living instilled at home can easily be lived up to in the trenches. Cpl. Sedgewick urged his hearers to write regularly to the boys at the Front and to send parcels when possible, for he could not, even though he had been there, express the great joy which mail from back home brings to the hearts of the men and these letters, bringing thoughts of loved ones at home, are a greater asset making for their spiritual welfare than all other influences in one. In concluding the speaker answered several questions, among them being "Is it compulsory for the men in the trenches to drink the rum which is issued?" He did not think that it had come out in orders for he had not and he knew others who had declined to take the rum.

BORN

TASKER—In Los Angeles, California, on March 17th 1918, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tasker, a daughter (Mary Patricia).

MAPES—At Bremerton, Wash., on March 11th, 1918, to Mrs. W. Fay Mapes (nee Florence Smith), a daughter (Alice Jean.)

MICHELL—At Solway, on Sunday March 31st, 1918, to Mr. and Mrs. Ben Michell, a daughter.

BIRRELL—At Pinkerton, on March 21st to Mr. and Mrs. Wes. Birrell, a daughter.

RICHARDSON—In Brant, on Friday, March 22nd to Mr. and Mrs W. J. Richardson, a son, William Ernest.

GRINDER—At Mr. Fred Frook's in Brant, on Sunday, March 31st, to Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Gunder of Hanover, a daughter.

HUNTER—At Greenock, on Monday, April 1st, to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hunter, a son.

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FARMERS CLUB WILL HELP

"Farmers' clubs will be a great boon to the sections of Bruce county that are organizing," said Mr. Norman McKay, District Representative, in an interview last week.

"The clubs will bring back to the farming life something which has been lost—the social part. True, the formation of Farmer's clubs means that the farmers will buy certain commodities as a club, and will sell their hogs and cattle as a club direct to the best market. But this should be taken as a sign that the farmer has got down to real business, and as he prospers so will the small towns prosper.

"Will the club idea mean the purchase by farmers in great quantities their household goods?"

"No," replied Mr. MacKay. "The club will quite likely take the cash of the farmers and ask local dealers for a cash price for seed for all its members, and probably also the same in the case of twine."

"The fact that the farmer is selling his own hogs and cattle is probably because he has not been satisfied with the prices he has been paid."

"The Farmers' club idea is spreading everywhere. The clubs are expected to meet monthly in the winter season: and programs of debates, etc., will be indulged in. If you want to have your rural community prosperous, and up-to-date to its methods, then there must be co-operation among the farmers. Bruce county has begun to gain in land values and values of farm animals, etc."

DRIVER IS LIABLE

The following appeared recently among the legal queries and answers in the Mail and Empire:

J. McK, Pinkerton—I was driving along the road in the night, and on account of the darkness I drove into the ditch and ran into a mail box post and broke it down and my vehicle was damaged and I was injured. Am I liable for breaking down the post box or can I claim damages for the injury to myself and my vehicle.

Answer—Of course, it may be said that you should have kept to the middle of the road, but this is one of those accidental occurrences which frequently happen without much blame being attributable to any person. It must be assumed that the rural post box was placed at the side of the road, under the authority and direction of the Post Office Department. The Post Office Department is one of the branches of the Dominion Government, and no one can sue a Government without its permission. No doubt you are liable for the cost, whatever it may be, of repairing the post and the box.

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TUESDAY.

Herbert R. Yates, C.E., of Brantford, died the day following the death of his wife's mother.

Toronto City Council gave a third reading to the by-law increasing water rates twenty-five per cent.

Cairo, Egypt's capital, is to be the next target for Hun bombs. A hostile airship has been seen over the coast.

Asa Shaver was killed at Brantford by falling from an elevator and down the shaft, probably in a fainting fit.

Telephones in use in Canada have been increased from one to every 19.5 persons in 1912 to one to every 33.4 in 1917.

Maj.-Gen. Leonard Wood, back in Washington from the battlefront, declares that allied military opinion is that the German offensive will fail.

The use of the women's wing of the jail as a detention barracks for soldiers was refused by the Toronto City Council after a spirited debate.

The number of recruits to date, Major-Gen. Mewburn stated in the House of Commons, totals 472,738, and of these 448,062 enlisted voluntarily.

The death of Vasil George, the young Macedonian found murdered east of Thorncliffe, is ascribed by the police to enmity of three fellow-countrymen.

The finding of an infant's body in a ravine on Scarlett Plains, near Toronto, may develop into a murder case, as a result of Coroner Clendenan's inquiry.

Wm. Voight, the shoemaker, whose escapade at Coepenick in 1906, in the disguise of a "captain," raised a laugh the world over at the expense of German militarism, is dead, it is announced from Berlin.

Hon. F. C. Carwell announced that only absolutely necessary public works would be gone on with during the war, and that a reduction of about 100 was to be made in the staff of his own department.

WEDNESDAY.

Lieut. G. V. Laughton was decorated with the Military Cross by Sir John Hendrie at the Legislature.

Archdeacon Cody and Prof. A. H. Abbott urged the claims of greater production in addresses to Toronto teachers.

Sir John Hendrie, Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario, prorogued the Legislature yesterday, with all usual pomp dispensed with.

Food problems were discussed at the opening session of the Canadian Society of Civil Engineers, at which Sir William Hearst spoke.

Kaiser William and his staff are at St. Quentin from which the Emperor is sending messages of congratulation over German advances.

J. A. Robb, M.P. for Chateauguay-Huntingdon, has been named Chief Opposition Whip, and L. P. Papineau, M.P. for Beauharnois, his assistant.

Hon. Albert Sevigny's resignation as Minister of Inland Revenue was announced by Premier Borden, who said it would be formally accepted this week.

The Berlin Vorwaerts says that when the war is over if Germany is victorious her role must be one of peacefulness towards her neighboring nations.

Air Mechanic G. V. Webster, of Ingersoll, and Second Flight Lieut. P. Messenger, of England, were seriously injured in an airplane accident at Leaside airdrome.

The Duke and Duchess of Devonshire, with several members of their family and household, attended an impressive intercessory service at Christ Church Cathedral in Ottawa Monday night.

Sir Robert Borden has given notice of a resolution asking Parliament to authorize the expenditure on war purposes during the year ending March 31, 1919, of a sum not exceeding $500,000,000.

British wounded are being taken to Paris on special ambulance trains and distributed among the hospitals of the French capital. This is the first time during the war British casualties have been cared for in Paris.

THURSDAY.

C. Arthur Dansereau, a noted Montreal journalist, is dead.

Windsor manufacturers have formed a Co-operative Agricultural Association, aiming to cultivate 500 acres.

Electrification of railways was recommended in an address at the Canadian Society of Civil Engineers' meeting.

Gordon Donaldson, aged 12, was rescued by life-saving crew as he was being blown out into the lake near Toronto.

Express companies cannot get sufficient cars to handle the liquor consignments from Montreal into Ontario.

County judges are to be brought in to aid the Military Service Act Tribunals in Montreal to clean up the many appeals.

Important new regulations governing public eating-houses have been ordered by the Canada Food Board, effective at once.

The recently formed Imperial Order of Sons of the Empire is starting an agitation for a Dominion-wide system of national public schools.

Beatrice and Maurice Desaol, of Toronto, were arrested on charges of murder in connection with finding of an infant's body in Scarlett Plains ravine.

An increase of $1,719,424 in the expenditure for postage stamps during the year ending with March 31, 1917, as compared with the previous year brought the total of $23,174,601.

Capt. McLean, administrative head of the Exhibition Camp hospital, declared at the coroner's inquest that he had received no complaints about ill-treatment from Pte. Robert Gillies, whose death made an investigation necessary.

FRIDAY.

The cost of living showed further slight increase for February.

The Prince of Wales, who has been in England for several weeks, has against left for the front.

Boys of 17 are called to the German army, according to the Zurich correspondent of the Paris Journal.

A Dominion Bureau of Statistics is to be created in connection with the Department of Trade and Commerce.

Chief Inspector Robert Burrows' resignation has been accepted by the Provincial Board of License Commissioners.

News has come to Kingston that the Royal Canadian Horse Artillery is in action in the big battle on the Western front.

Dr. Alfred Thompson is resigning his position as Medical Superintendent of the Hospitals for Returned Soldiers and Invalids.

Another diplomatic crisis between Argentina and Germany is imminent over the sinking of an Argentine steamer by a U-boat.

Prof. J. C. Fields advocated the establishment of an industrial research laboratory in an address before the Toronto Board of Trade.

Train loads of refugees from the battle area are reaching Paris. They are in good spirits and confident of returning speedily to their homes.

Corp. Hammond and Pte. Herring were committed for trial on a charge of manslaughter in connection with the death of Gunner Albert Neals of Toronto.

Field Marshal Hindenburg and Chancellor von Hertling have decided to call up for military service the German criminals of military age, according to advices received in Amsterdam.

A mission of nine members of the Federation of Labor has been appointed to visit Europe and state to the leaders of labor there the position taken on the war by labor in the United States.

The formation of a Canadian Tank Battalion is authorized, to consist of 50 officers and 700 men, and it is hoped to recruit it by volunteering and send it overseas not later than the 1st of May.

SATURDAY.

Vienna denies the reported recapture of Odessa by Bolshevist forces.

Flight Lieut. Allan Denovan, of Toronto, has been reported missing.

Germany demands that the Roumanian oil fields be handed over to a German-controlled corporation.

Dominic Zangarrie, an Italian munition worker, was found murdered at his home in Toronto.

Lady missionaries were appointed by the Presbyterian Home Mission Board for the first time in its history.

Sir George Bury stated that the new Union Station will probably be ready for use during the Exhibition this year.

The men of Category B, in Class 1, under the Military Service Act, are to be called up—for non-combatant service overseas.

Toronto restaurant keepers are seeking interpretation of the recent restrictions imposed by the Food Board at Ottawa.

Toronto building permits for March will exceed $500,000, which is an increase of twenty per cent. over the same month of last year.

Ontario's Labor unions and working class organizations met in Toronto and laid the foundations for the Ontario Section of the Canadian Labor party.

The embargo on high-class automobiles, shutting out the United States trade, goes into effect to-day. Eleven hundred cars were passed through customs at Winnipeg in the past few days.

The Canadian daylight saving bill is to be made the first Government business on reassembling of the Parliament on Tuesday, and the measure will likely be put into operation in Canada by the 15th.

MONDAY.

King George has returned to London from the West front.

Alexander Oliver, aged 10, was drowned in Toronto harbor Saturday.

Two more bodies of victims of the Halifax disaster were found by workmen.

Six hundred Toronto men in Category B will be called to the colors this week.

The presence of Bulgarian and Austrian troops has been established on the British front.

The cutting of the Hedjaz Railway by the British severs communication of the Turks with forces in Arabia.

Stephen Pinder, twenty years of age, in a fit of melancholy, shot himself fatally at his home at Leamington.

Gen. Begorevsky, assistant chief of the Don Cossacks, is reported to have surrendered voluntarily to the Bolsheviki.

Second Lieut. J. C. Newcombe, of the Royal Engineers, was killed in action in the first day of the German offensive.

Two detachments of troops, totalling twelve hundred men, were sent from Toronto to Quebec Saturday and Sunday.

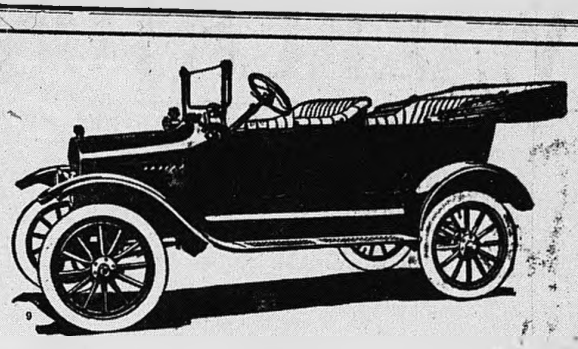
Capt. (Rev.) John MacNeill has arrived in Canada after spending eighteen months in France engaged in Y.M.C.A. work.

Robert Freeman, of Cobourg, an elevator man in the C.P.R. Building, was crushed to death in the shaft when the car started accidentally.

Canada's exports of munitions, grains, meats, produce, fish, minerals and lumber to the United Kingdom all show enormous increases in the past three years.

Rev. Nathaniel Burwash, former chancellor and professor emeritus of Victoria College, and an outstanding figure in Canadian Methodism, died Saturday night at the age of 79.

Jeremiah Nelson and Samuel Green of Toronto, were killed in an accident at Patterson's Corners, Don Mills road, when their motor car turned turtle Saturday afternoon.

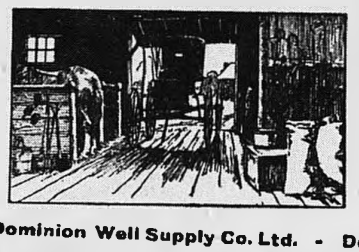


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IN dealing with the very large number of claims for exemption brought forward for consideration in connection with Class 1 under the Military Service Act, it has occurred, as was inevitable, that as a result of false statements and difficulties put in the way of investigation, some individuals have secured exemption whose proper place is in the Army.

It is not the intention of the Government to allow these men to evade permanently their obligation to bear their part in the military defence of the Country and of the ideals for which we are fighting. To do so would defeat the purpose of the Act, and cause grave injustice to men in the second class necessarily called out to fill their places.

Exemptions Granted on False Grounds

It is, therefore, proposed to scrutinize carefully all exemptions granted to date in order to separate those which have been granted on false or insufficient grounds from those that are well founded.

With this object in view the various Registrars under the Military Service Act have been instructed to issue a series of questionnaires to exempted men. These questionnaires must be filled up correctly and returned promptly under penalty of forfeiture of exemption for failure to do so.

Exempted Men Who Have Changed Address

It is therefore important in their own interest that all exempted men who have changed their address since their exemption was granted and who have not already notified the Registrar of such change should notify him at once. Under the Regulations it is the duty of exempted men to keep the Registrar advised of any change of address, and failure to receive the questionnaire by reason of neglect of this duty must be treated as equivalent to failure to return the questionnaire after receipt.

Citizens Urged to Assist

In many instances information has been furnished by members of the public which has led to the cancellation of exemptions obtained by false or misleading statements. Further co-operation of this character is invited. The Government regard it as the Duty of all loyal citizens, not only to the Country, but to the men at the front, to assist in this way in securing reinforcements on a just and legal basis. Correspondence of this character will be treated as strictly confidential and will receive the fullest investigation.

CHARLES J. DOHERTY,
Minister of Justice.

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Noon train, arrives Walkerton—1.25 a. m.

LOCAL G. T. R. TIME TABLE

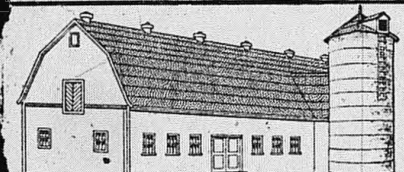
Morning train, north bound—11.28 "

Afternoon train, south bound—3.23 p. m.

HOG PRODUCTION

It is a matter of the greatest importance that Canada should increase her production of BACON HOGS and other live stock as there is at present a world-wide shortage of meat. Good markets for some time to come are assured.

E CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE will gladly make loans to assist farmers in ood standing to acquire live stock. 261



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Flying sparks and embers from a burning building often cause roofs near by to catch fire, especially in a dry, hot season. Under like conditions, roofs covered with

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Brantford Roofing Co. Limited

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For Sale by S. W. VOGAN

NEWSY HAPPENINGS IN BRUCE

Corp. Jim McKinnon and Gunner Robert Mc.Gregor, of the 64th, were home over the holiday.

Mr. Fred Klempp of Riversdale has sold his 100 acr- farm to Mr. Henry Brindley for $6,000.

Miss Adeline Firstbrook is home from Bishop Bethune College, Oshawa, for the Easter holidays.

Stratford barbers are modest. They have decided to raise the price of a hair cut to only 35 cents.

Mr. Ross Woodman of Montreal spent the holiday at his parents, Mr. and Mrs M. G. Woodman.

Among the many good things which help to make up the happiness of a home, are the weekly visits of this paper; try it.

Mr. John Kappler, who has been working in a stove foundry at Hespeler for several months, spent Easter at his home here.

It is stated that the railway schedules will not be affected by the daylight-saving plan. Trains will run an hour-behind time as usual.

Beaver steak is the newest Canadian delicacy which the war has brought into use. It seems too bad to eat the national trade-mark.

Mr. Harry Lippert is taking over this week the Scharbach farm near Chepstow, which was recently bought by his father, Mr. Jos. Lippert.

Miss Mary Gillen of St. Anne's Preparatory School, Kitchener, is spending the Easter holidays with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Wm Gillen.

Mr Mike La France was home from Guelph over Easter. He is taking a position with a publishing firm at Waterloo, starting this week.

Andrew Zettler of Chepstow left yesterday for Alsask, Sask., where he has been engaged for the summer on the farm of Mr. Harry Bersaht.

Bruce County Highways' Committee has purchased a tractor and road grader for improving the highways of this county. The price paid was $2,000.

In the Dominion Government estimates published last week appears an item of $4,000 for repairs to the piers at the mouth of the Saugeen river.

Mr. Thos. Fullerton of Greenock has bought Mr. Walter Wynne's farm of 100 acres on the 16th con. for grazing. About 60 acres of this farm is in bush.

Mrs. Atkey, mother of Mrs. W. G. Searle, who was taken to the County Hospital last week suffering from pneumonia is reported to be very much improved.

An exchange contains the following: Mr. and Mrs. James Jones are the proud parents of a fourth son since last Thursday. Some families certainly grow rapidly.

Rev. J. A. Hills, pastor of Geneva Presbyterian Church, Chesley, closes his ministry there on April 7th and goes to a large city church, Davenport Road Church, Toronto.

Walkerton merchants carry stocks that include practically everything that anybody needs to buy. When you buy from them you see what you are getting and you have no express charges to pay.

Mrs S. Hessenauer, who has been in poor health for some time, has been recuperating at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dippel of Cafrick. Mr. Hessenauer came up from Kitchener for Easter.

The little Irishman was being examined for admission to the army. He seemed all right in every way except one. The doctor said: "You're a little stiff." Quick the Irish blood mounted as the applicant replied; "You're a big stiff!"

To Stock The Saugeen

Durham has formed a Fishery Protective Association and accepted the Ontario Govt's offer through Dr. Jameson for a number of trout and bass fry to stock the Saugeen River and nearby lakes.

Joins the R. F. C.

Ralph Glave, who went Overseas as a Signaller in 1916, and has been over a year in France, has been accepted by the Royal Flying Corps, and is probably by this time a full-fledged aviator. Ralph, who is the only son of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Glave, left High School to enlist with the 160th Bruce Batt'n and was later transferred to the Divisional Signalling Corps.

Three tins of canned corn used to be sold for a quarter. The price is now up to 27 or 30 a single tin. Why all this increase? Is it due to the can, the corn or the combine, or a little bit of all three?

The Owen Sound—Toronto Road is reported to have been accepted by the Provincial Highways Dept. as part of the Provincial road system. This means that the Province will pay 60 per cent of the construction and upkeep.

David Selling, who returned recently from the Front, leaves for the West this week accompanied by his sister, Violet, to work on the farm of his brother-in-law, Mr. Geo. Bersaht at Alsask, Sask.

Mrs. Wilfrid Ritchie returned home last week from Newmarket where she had been the past two months attending her mother, Mrs. Verity, who has been very ill. She reports her mother's condition shows improvement but the doctor holds out no hope of recovery.

The exodus to the West has commenced on a grand scale, and Ontario will likely be sadly depleted of her man power, a loss at this time which will be sorely felt and against which there is no means of providing a substitute policy.

The constant drop of water, wears away the hardest stone. The constant gnaw of Towzer manifestes the hardest bone. The constant cooing lover carries off the blushing maid, and the Telescope advertiser is the man who gets the trade.

Potatoes are dropping in price and what is worse are going to waste. Last Fall the price was boosted, there was an immense crop which did not justify the price they were selling for, now the result is that thousands of bags may go to waste for the want of a market.

Mr. Jos. Weiler, who closed his waggon shop here last year to remove to Waterloo, spent a few days with relatives and friends in town the past week. Mr Weiler's health has been poor the past winter but he is now on the mend. He and his family like Waterloo very much. His son, Herb, has recently taken a position in a boot and shoe establishment at Welland.

Preacher—"Do you go to school, Elsie, dear?"

Elsie—"Yes, and I like my teacher."

"What do you learn there, dear?"

"Reading, writing, and gozinta."

"Gozinta—What are they?"

"Don't you know? Why, three gozinta twelve four times, five gozinta fifteen three times, like that."—"The Christian Herald."

The Wiarton paper had the following: "Just where prices are going to at auction sales it is difficult to say. At the sale of Mr. W.B. Reeve, Oxenden, sheep sold at $200 per pair, lambs, a year old, for $35, cows $135, and implements used ten years went at a higher price than when bought at that time. A seed drill bought $5 about five years ago at an auction sale sold for $17.50.

Many a young woman who deserves a good man for a life companion, has jumped in at a tender age and married a Johnny, and goes through life embarrassed the rest of her days. Johnny is all right as an ice cream boy and as a slot machine with which to get chewing gum and bon bons, but when it comes to measuring up in after years with the men who do things, and whose wives make up the budget of satisfied ones, he is down and out before the race starts.

It does us all good to get a peep into our neighbor's homes and lives occasionally, not for idle curiosity, but for the good it may do us. Most wives think they are the busiest women in the world, and have more worries than any other housekeeper. When you feel this way, my friend, put on your bonnet and go and sit with your neighbor for an hour or so; or what is still better, spend the day, eat a meal away from home. You will come back refreshened in mind and body and feel that you would not exchange your burdens for theirs, no, not even to be rich like them.

The best rule for success in life is to do a little more than is expected of you in any position that you may secure. The boy or man who does more than is expected of him, and is anxious for his employer's progress, will never get mislaid in the largest establishment. The people who do not succeed are those who begin at noon to watch the clock so that they will be certain to be all ready to rush out of the building at 5 o'clock or whatever the hour of closing may be. The people who are afraid they will do more work than they are paid for will never [illegible]

Mr. and Mrs. J. Elgin Boss of Hanover spent the holiday with their parents here.

Mr. E. J. Glave of Brantford spent Easter with his family here. Mr. Glave has been planning to remove to Brantford this Spring but has not succeeded in getting a house. In fact it is impossible to get any kind of a residence there at present.

Witnesses summoned to attend court are only allowed $1.50 per day and railway fare; and the lowest hotel rates are now $2.50 and $3.00 per day. Unless the witness can sponge on some of his poor relations, it's the police station for him.

In order to prove that it has the number of subscribers it claims to have, and to act as an incentive to subscribers in arrears to pay up, the Ayton Advance adopts the rather original method of announcing that it intends publishing shortly in instalments its full list of subscribers.

The old Burden Government either was afraid, or thought it would not be good politics, to suppress Bourrassa, and the Government of today appears to have as little nerve as its predecessor. If an Ontario man wrote as Bourrassa does he would be squelched in mighty short order.—Goderich Signal.

If you want to make yourself miserable, be selfish. Think all the time of yourself and your things. Don't care about anything else. Have no feelings for anyone but yourself. Never think of enjoying the satisfaction of seeing others happy, but rather if you see a smiling face, be jealous lest another should enjoy what you have not. Envy everyone who is better off financially than, and speak lightly of them. Be constantly afraid lest someone should encroach upon your rights. Be watchful, and if anyone comes near your things snap at him like a mad dog. Contend earnestly for everything that is your own though it may not be worth a pin, for your rights are just as much concerned as though it were a pound of gold. Never yield a point. Be sensitive, and take everything that is said to you in playfulness in the most serious manner. Be jealous of your friends lest they should not think enough of you. If at any time they should seem to neglect you, put the worst construction upon their conduct as you can.

Coming to Walkerton.

Mrs. John Hall and has sold her 100 acre farm a mile and a quarter west of Cargill to Mr. George Bester for $4300. Mrs. Hall will come to Walkerton to reside with her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Burrows. Her son, who has been working the farm has been hired by Mr Mack Brown of Kincardine Tp.

A Narrow Escape.

Mr. James Ormiston, who returned last week from Parry Sound where he had been acting as time-keeper in a lumber camp, had a narrow escape at Markdale on his way home, the hotel where he was staying over night being burned to the ground. He and a number of the guests, escaped from the building in their night clothes.

Leaving Walkerton

Mr. R. J. Stafford, who has been manager of the Saugeen Power Co's plants at Walkerton, Southampton and Port Elgin, is leaving shortly to locate elsewhere. Mr. Stafford came here from Listowel two years ago where he was the successful manager of the municipal power and lighting plant in that town. A man of Mr. Stafford's ability and experience should rise high in his profession and his many friends here wish him success wherever he may decide to locate.

Staunch Old Pioneer

Mr. George Ross, who enjoys the distinction of being Walkerton's oldest citizen, lost his only brother, Mr. Hugh Ross of Embro, who succumbed to pneumonia on March 20th. The deceased, who was eighty-six years old was born and lived all his life on the farm on which he died. At the time of the Fenian Raid he was the lieutenant in command of the Embro company at Sandwich. He was a man of sterling character and a pillar of the Presbyterian church at Embro.

Direct Tax on Farmers.

Plans for the taking an agricultural census, which the Government contemplates in co-operation with the Provincial Departments of Agriculture, apparently have ultimately in view some measure of direct taxation on the farming community. So far all farmers are practically exempt from war taxation on incomes or other forms of direct Federal taxation. But with the imperative need of increased revenues to relieve the burden of the war and its aftermath, the Government realizes that increased direct taxation [illegible]

ONTARIO BUYS APPLES

Money in Orchards When Properly Planted and Cared For.

BACKYARD GARDENING PAYS

Hints By an Expert in the Feeding and Care of the Mare and Foal.

(Contributed by Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.)

THE PLANTING of commercial apple orchards in the Province of Ontario is highly desirable for several reasons:—

1. Ontario is not producing enough good apples for home supply, but imports annually from Nova Scotia, British Columbia, Washington, Oregon and California.

2. Production in Ontario is likely to fall off still more because no commercial planting is being done. Very few commercial apple orchards have been set out in this province since 1911.

3. Of the thousands of young trees set in the bloom years of 1906 to 1911 a large proportion have already passed out of existence. Probably not more than 20 p.c. of the trees planted during those years will figure in the commercial production of the future, and certainly not more than 45 p.c. of them are alive and receiving attention to-day.

4. The home orchard will never again be an important factor in commercial apple production in this province, because it is not large enough to be worth while. In seasons when scab control is difficult or when prices are down because of a heavy crop, the return from the small orchards is not large enough to justify the expense and risk involved. When conditions are unfavorable the small orchard passes quickly into a state of neglect: this is why apple growing in Ontario is at such low ebb at present.

5. Fruit is an essential part of diet. While it is true that in case of necessity people can live without it, it is also true that health suffers and nutritional complaints become much more general in the absence from the dietary of fresh fruits and vegetables. The apple is the most important and most useful fruit of the temperate zone and, from the standpoint of public health its culture should not be neglected.—Prof. J. W. Crow, Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph.

Care of Pregnant Mares.

The pregnant mare should be well fed, and given regular exercise or light work. All food and water given should be of first-class quality. She should be given more grain than the non-pregnant mare, as she has her foetus to support. All possible care should be observed to avoid digestive derangements; hence everything consumed should be of good quality, easily digested, fed in proportion to the amount of work performed and at regular intervals. In addition to hay and oats, she should be given a few raw roots daily, and a feed of bran with a cupful of linseed meal, at least twice weekly.

Work that requires excessive muscular or respiratory effort should be avoided, so also should plunging through deep snow, slipping, etc. All nervous excitement should be avoided, so also should sights which frighten her, also offensive odors and operations.

The use of drugs should not be tolerated, except upon the advice of a veterinarian. If necessary to give a purgative it is much safer to give raw linseed oil than aloes. Towards the end of pregnancy still greater care should be observed, and, while daily exercise up to the very last is advisable, it should be given more carefully and less of it when she becomes somewhat clumsy on account of size and weight.

While it is better to allow her a box stall when in the stable at all times, it is practically necessary after about the tenth month of gestation, as the period of gestation is irregular and the foal may be born without any well-marked premonitory symptoms, any time after ten months.

After the foal is born the mare should be given at least two weeks idleness, and if she can be allowed to run idle until weaning time, it will be all the better for both herself and foal.—J.H.R., Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph.

Vacant Lot Gardening.

The majority of the horticultural societies in this province have accomplished great things with their vacant lot propaganda. In the cities of Toronto and Ottawa alone many acres have been cultivated. Ottawa reports over 100 acres from which 50,000 bushels of valuable garden products have been garnered in first-class condition. Those interested in horticulture in Toronto through the Vacant Lot Gardening Association have also done a splendid work and in a large way.

The report issued by the superintendent, Mr. Geo. Baldwin, states: Number of lots under cultivation during 1917, 796, all well cultivated. Number of soldiers and soldiers' families working lots, 50. Average size of lots 3,000 square feet, all marked with sign board. Passage of seeds provided 725, of which 407 were paid for. Several churches, hospitals, homes, girl guides, boy scouts included in lot holders. One lot looked after by a returned soldier who lost both his legs, another by a man with only one hand. The condition of both these lots would shame those who are not thus seriously handicapped. All gardens are inspected once a week and reminders sent to those who neglect their plots. The crops produced have a value of $[illegible] at wholesale rates. J. Leslie Wilson, Ontario [illegible] Toronto.

PUBLIC SCHOOL REPORT

Honor Roll for the Month of March in the Various Classes

Highest Average Attendance—Miss Ross' Class, 97%. Fewest Lates Grades Mr. Willoughby's, Miss Stead's, Miss Ross'.

GRADE VII

Senior IV—Honours—H. Wilson, M. Lumley. Pass—B. Hunter, E. Searle, J. Ermel, M. Bell, M. Pettepiace, L. Stevens. (C. Johnston, M. MacGregor)(G. Swantson, M. Godwin) A. Reichenbach, J. McRennie, F. Crawford.

Jr. IV—Honours—E. Kolpin, I. Harrison. Pass—M. Perdue, E. Faust, (A. Searle, J. Knepfler), A. Lee. (M. Schwindt, G. Ramsey). C. Yates, R. Van Horne, G. Sutton, E. Fennel, R. Ramsey, D. Truax.

H. Willoughby, Principal.

GRADE VI

Honours—Ila Moore, Grace George, (Pearl Riehl, Jack Van Horne), Franklin Bush, Jack MacConnell. Pass—Charlie Wallace, Kathleen Pye, Eldon Yates, Willie Goode, Kathleen Perdue, (Arthur Royce, Ethel Riley), Delbert Anderson.

J. Stead.

GRADE V

Honours—Donalda Gowanlock, Doris Polley, Walter Hartman, Wesley Hehn, Pass—Rhoda Hampson, Robert Gowanlock, Nelson Fortune, Roy Jonnston, Eddie Singer, Della McNeill, Emma Webber, Laurina Procknow, Norman McCartney.

M. Ross.

GRADE IV

Seniors—C. Fields, K. Fortune, O. Seiling, B. Ormer, R. Fruin, M. Dietz, E. Truax, D. George J. Hiscox, L. Mortimer.

Juniors—R. Hunter, E. Dietsche, M. Shaw, M. Appel, L. Player.

Agnes Warren.

GRADE III

Jr. II Honours—M. Jones. B. Chesbrough, George. Pass—E. Taylor, S. Anderson, G. Wallace, M. Beemer, A. Kerney, G. Schwindt, M. Faust, A. Reichenbach, S. Fennel, P. Webb, P. McConnell.

Sr. II Honours—H. Boyd, A. Craig, W. Monk. Pass—J. George, C. Buchlow, G. Hilker, M. Hunt, F. McCarter, H. Royce, R. Pye, J. Hiscox.

A. Halladay.

GRADE II

First book Honours—D. Hynes, M. Bell, D. Ernest, F. Hartman, G. MacGregor. Pass—A. Leake, F. Leeson, G. King, D. Trimble, M. Harrison. Pass—A. Fennel, H. Taylor, L. Winters, D. Webb, F. Speiran, C. Riehl.

W. Thompson.

Teacher.

GRADE I

Sr. Primer—Edwin Richardson Edith Reed, Clair Walker, Robert Yates, Stanley Lewis, Wallace Riley, Luella Procknow, Billy Bolden, Eldon Knepfler, Donalda McConnell, Lily Polley.

Jr. Primer—Millard Fisk, Violet Gibson, Homer Globe, Mary McGregor, Eleanor Brown, Borden Riehl, Dorothy Leake, Reuben Truax, Irene Sargent, Kenneth Johnston.

A. D. Thompson

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Able, but Not Willing.

"Come, now," persisted the lawyer, "are you not able to say of your own knowledge that the defendant was in the room at the time and objected to the whole proceeding?"

"Yes, sir," savagely replied the witness, "I am able to say it, I reckon, but I'd be telling the biggest lie you ever heard of if I did."

Feathered Night-Fishers.

One of the most remarkable instances of phosphorescent light appearing on living creatures is found among the herons. Among the quays and at the extreme end of Florida these birds are found in countless numbers. Mullet fishermen and sportsmen often noticed peculiar dim lights standing motionless over the water among the mangrove-thickets. They were discovered, however, to depend on the presence of the birds. When they were approached in the dark the flapping of wings as a heron flew away would mean the last of the lights. The Ardea Herodias, or great heron, has on its breast a spot about as large as the open palm, where the feathers are covered with a yellow powder that is easily rubbed off. It is evenly exuded from the body at [illegible] as a secretion, drying into a powder when [illegible] to the air. The bird stands [illegible] and the spot on its breast, and for an accomplishes the end of attracting the smaller fishes within reach of the bird, and if it is a decoy it is a most remarkable provision of nature.

A Natural History Note.

Insects recognize each other by smell. Among the bees each distinctive class of workers—the guard, the fanner, the pollen carrier, the wax-maker, the architect, etc.—has its own distinctive odor. And besides this, each bee has its own separate hive odor, which is its passport into its own particular home.

The average output of potatoes from Jersey is no fewer than 60,000 tons a year.

MORE APPEAL CASES

List of Decisions made by Bruce Appeal Judge in Military Service Cases

Judge Gregg has given the following decisions on Military Appeal Cases which came before him recently:—

Eric McGillvray, clerk at Port Elgin, appeal dismissed.

Austin W. Guild, Methodist Minister at Mildmay, exemption refused.

Richard A Young, exemption allowed until he ceases to engage in farming.

Aaron W. Jacklin, public school teacher, appeal of public representative dismissed, decision of local tribunal confirmed.

John H. Nesbitt, stationary engineer, exemption allowed until first of May.

Mr D. Gordon, farm laborer, exemption allowed until he ceases to engage in farming.

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PRESENTATION TO PRIN WILLOUGHBY

Prior to leaving for Chesley last week where he has been appointed public school principal, Prin. Willoughby was presented by his pupils here with the following complimentary address and a handsome umbrella.

Mr. H. L. Willoughby

Dear Teacher:—

We are very sorry to know that you are going to leave us and this is our last day together as teacher and scholars. Since coming into the fourth form you have been more to us than a Public School teacher, you have been a true friend. Not only have you been most thorough in your teaching but by your example you have lived a life before your class and in the town that we would wish to imitate.

You will not only carry to your new school the best wishes of your class, but you will also leave behind an influence for good upon your pupils that will be helpful during this life and also in the life to come.

Our school work has been made less difficult by your cheerful and encouraging words. It is not in our power to repay you for all those kind words and deeds, but we would like you to accept from us a small token of our love and esteem. You can use it when the sky is cloudless and the sun is shining bright or you may use it even when it is raining.

Please accept from your class with our very best wishes, this gold-headed umbrella.

Signed on behalf of the Class

Helen Wilson.

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S. S. No. 7, Brant.

Those marked with an asterisk were absent for one or more examinations.

Sr. IV—Lillie Scott.

Jr. IV—Verna Blue, *Tom Young, *Arthur Young, *Florence Smith, Maurice Young.

Sr. III—Harry Scott, Marjory Brown, Edith Blue.

Jr. III—Melvin Pearson, Gertie Greenaway, Mansel Napper, Marjorie Young, Jennie Alexander, Hazel Edmunds.

Sr. II—Percy Gregg, Joe O'Reilly.

Jr. II—Vera Gallinger, *Verna Young, Dorothy O'Reilly, Annie Kauffman, Polly Kauffman.

Sr. I—Henry Young, Wallace Napper, George Young.

Sr. Pr.—James Cassidy, Russel Brown.

Jr. Pr.—Earl Whitehead.

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BORN

CLENDENNING—At Delburne, Alta to Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Clendenning, formerly of Walkerton, a son.

MARTIN—In Carrick, on March 22, to Mr. and Mrs. Peter Martin, a daughter.

SCHEFTER—In Carrick, on March 23, to Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Schefter, a son.

FISCHER—In Carrick, on March 15th, to Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Fischer, a daughter.

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WANTED

(1) Capable man to take charge and operate gas or oil tractor on Road grading work.

(2) Capable man to operate Road grading machine, must have experience in Road grading. In each case state age, experience, and wages expected per day of 10 hrs. Apply on or before April 15th, to D. J. Izzard, Road Superintend. Co. of Bruce, Port Elgin, Ont. Dated 30th March, 1918.

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Walkerton Markets

(Revised Wednesday, April 3rd)

Hay	$16.00 to $12.00
Oats, per bah.	80 to..... 90
Wheat " "	2.10 to..... 2.10
Butter, per lb	43 to 45
Eggs, per doz.	37 to..... 39
Potatoes, new, bag,	1.60 ..... 1.75
Barley per bus	$1.40..... 1.40
Hogs, per cwt.	20.25 to 20.25

HIGH SCHOOL REPORT

Monthly Standing of the Pupils for the Month of March

The results of the examinations held during March are given below. For Class 1, 75% is necessary, Class 2, 60 to 75, Class 3, 50 to 60. Class 4 consists of those under 50%. The names are given in order of merit.

FORM I.

Subjects—Science, History, Algebra, Literature.

Class 1—J. Kenny, M. Yack, 2 Class 2—G. Miller, H. Dietrich, V. Skelton, I. Bruder, B. Scanlan, W. George, C. Cunio, S. Cargill, A. Cryderman, G. Kirstine, V. Bush. Class 3—F. Meagher, N. McCarter, F. O'Hagan, G. Thompson, K. James, A. Lambertus, L. Kelly, C. Wilhelm, H. Walker, G. Pinkney, S. Wilton. Class 4—O. Thompson, K. Oberle, D. McKeeman, C. Coumans, Z. Miller, V. Scanlan, R Wilhelm, G. Lettner, C. Garland.

FORM II.

Subjects—Grammar, Algebra, Art, French, German.

Class 2—E. Lindsay, S. Reichenbach, G. Lee, C. McNab, S. Grenzebach, J. Norrish. Class 3—S. Brocklebank, C. Wilton, H. Irwin, D. Kenny, F. Young, H. Johnston, S. Bremner, E. Ramsey. Class 4—G. Van Horne, A. Cundy, I. Moore, B. Farewell, B. Thompson, W. Inglis, F. Brocklebank, L. Elder. M. Wilson, L. Hergott, L. Wallace, A. Chisholm.

FORM III.

Subjects—History, Literature, Physics, French, German.

Class 1—G. Lewis. Class 2—M. Chalmers, E. Glave, A Tolton, A. Tolton, A. Johnston, M. Baechler, A. Reinhart, W. Polfuss. Class 3—J. Chalmers, L. Yack, W. Ramsey, C. Cargill, E. Stevens, V. Tovell, C. Tovell, N. Lay. Class 4—M. Kenny, M. Chisholm, T. Queen, G. Young 71% in two subjects.

FORM IV.

Subjects—Geometry, Physics, Algebra, Literature.

Class 1—J. Wells, C. Thornburn, S. Bush. Class 2—C. Fortune, A. McCool. Class 3—G. Pfohl. Class 4—H. McCool.

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Aunt Sally's Letter

To the Readers of
The Walkerton Telescope

Dear Friends:—

Some 40 young ladies of Walkerton are using all the available broom handles and mop handles around their houses these nice evenings, practising for the final test for First Aid. Many of them gather together in little groups at their homes and practise putting on bandages. This one has a fractured arm; that one has a broken leg; another must be revived after drowning. But believe me, not many of the girls are willing to do the drowning stunt for their friends to practise on them, as the methods used to restore respiration are somewhat strenuous.

In one town when the final test was given, the Dr. had a big fat man for the girls to demonstrate on. He was supposed to be drowned and insensible and the girls had to restore respiration. What big fat man of Walkerton will volunteer?

Some of the girls have been applying themselves so much to the study of First Aid that they dream about it at night. Some one is sick or injured and they are the first to the rescue. Of course it is a man in their dreams who is hurt. And do you know sometimes they are really truly men here in Walkerton that they dream about. Sometimes men whom they have never spoken to in their lives, and what beats the girls is how those particular men happened to get into their dreams.

The people in Walkerton can feel reasonably secure in case of accident for the girls are drilling so thoroughly on First Aid that it will never be forgotten.

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THE MARKETS

TORONTO MARKETS.

TORONTO, April 1.—The following are the Board of Trade quotations:

Manitoba Wheat (In Store, Fort William, Including 2½c Tax).

No. 1 northern, $2.23½.
No. 2 northern, $2.20½.
No. 3 northern, $2.17½.
No. 4 wheat, $2.10½.

Manitoba Oats (In Store, Fort William).

No. 2 C.W., 91½c.
No. 3 C.W., 90½c.
Extra No. 1 feed, 88½c.
No. 1 feed, 87½c.

American Corn (Track, Toronto).

No. 3 yellow—U.S.A. War Board prohibit importation.

Ontario Oats (According to Freights Outside).

No. 2 white—83c to 84c.
No. 3 white—82c to 83c.

Ontario Wheat (Basis in Store, Montreal).

No. 2 winter, per car lot, $2.22.

Peas (According to Freights Outside).

No. 2—$3.40 to $3.50.

Barley (According to Freights Outside), Malting—$1.74 to $1.76.

Buckwheat (According to Freights Outside).

Buckwheat—$1.85 to $1.85.

Rye (According to Freights Outside).

No. 2—$2.50.

Manitoba Flour (Toronto, New Bags), War quality—$11.10.

Ontario Flour (Montreal, Prompt Shipment, New Bags).

War quality, $10.70. Montreal; $10.70, Toronto.

Millfeed (Car Lots, Montreal Freights, Bags included).

Bran, per ton, $36.40; shorts, per ton, $40.40.

Hay (Track, Toronto).

No. 1, per ton, $17 to $18; mixed, per ton, $14 to $16.

Straw (Track, Toronto).

Car lots, per ton, $8.50 to $9.

Farmers' Market.

Fall wheat—Milling, $2.14 per bushel.
Goose wheat—$2.10 to $2.12 per bushel.
Barley—Malting, $1.78 to $1.80 per bushel.
Oats—$1.01 to $1.02 per bushel.
Buckwheat—$1.05 per bushel.
Rye—Nominal.
Hay—Timothy $20 to $23 per ton; mixed and clover, $18 to $20 per ton.

WINNIPEG LIVE STOCK.

Winnipeg, March 30.—The cash market was again very quiet this morning owing to the small amount being offered in all grains. The light offerings were somewhat surprising in the face of large receipts during the past two days.

During the early part of the session oats and barley were unchanged to 1c lower, with the demand somewhat indifferent. Cash barley was also dull and prices were 1c lower.

Oats closed 1c lower for May and ¼c lower for July. Barley closed 1½c lower for May and July. Flax closed 1c lower.

Winnipeg market: Oats—May, 94¼c to 93¾c; July, 91¾c to 91c.

Barley—May, $1.70 to $1.65¾.

Flax—May, $3.03 to $3.07; July, $3.08 to $2.84.

Cash prices: Oats—No. 2 C.W., 91¾c; No. 3 C.W., 90¼c; extra No. 1 feed, 88¼c; No. 1 feed, 87¼c; No. 2 do., 83½c. Barley—No. 3, $1.65; No. 4, $1.60; rejected, $1.15; feed, $1.40.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.

J. P. Bickell & Co. report the following prices on the Chicago Board of Trade:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
Corn—					
May	126½	126¾	125¾	125¾	126¼
Oats—					
Mar.	....	....	....	....	89¾
April	89¾	90¼	89¼	89¼	89¾
May	86¾	86¾	84¾	85¼	84¾
Pork—					
May	48.15	48.15	47.85	47.85	48.40
Lard—					
May	25.90	26.00	25.75	25.85	26.07
July	26.00	26.00	25.72	25.80	26.12
Ribs—					
May	24.60	24.80	24.45	24.50	24.77
July	25.05	25.05	24.80	24.82	25.15

CATTLE MARKETS

UNION STOCK YARDS.

TORONTO, April 1.—Receipts of live stock at the Union Yards for today's market total 2000 cattle, 390 calves, 3000 hogs, and 50 sheep and lambs.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, March 30.—Cattle—Receipts, 2000; market, steady; beeves, $5.60 to $14.65; stockers and feeders, $4.40 to $11.50; cows and heifers, $6.30 to $12; calves, $10.50 to $16.

Hogs—Receipts, 12,000; market, strong; light, $16.50 to $17.30; mixed, $16.40 to $17.45; heavy, $16.30 to $17; rough, $15.60 to $15.90; pigs, $12.50 to $16.50; bulk of sales, $16.65 to $17.25.

Sheep—Receipts, 2000; market, steady; native, $11.75 to $17; lambs, native, $15.35 to $19.50.

EAST BUFFALO LIVE STOCK.

East Buffalo, March 30.—Cattle—Receipts, 400. Steady.

Calves—Receipts, 300. Steady; $7 to $21.

Hogs—Receipts, 3500. Slow and easier; heavy, $17.75 to $18; mixed, $18.25 to $18.40; yorkers, $18.30 to $18.60; light yorkers, $17.75 to $18; pigs, $12.50 to $13; roughs, $15.75 to $16; stags, $13 to $14.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 1500. Strong; lambs, $13 to $20; others unchanged.

LAST MAN MAY COUNT.

Canada Urged to Reinforce Troops With Least Delay.

OTTAWA, April 1.—The Duke of Devonshire, Governor-General of Canada, has received the following cablegram from Premier Lloyd George:

"I have been inspired during the past week with the constant news of the dauntless courage with which the Dominion troops have withstood the desperate assaults of vastly more numerous German troops. This battle shows that the Empire has reason to be proud of all its sons. Our armies cannot have too many of these splendid men. As already announced, we propose to ask Parliament to authorize immediate measures for raising fresh forces. I would also urge the Government of Canada to reinforce its heroic troops in the fullest possible manner and with the smallest possible delay. The struggle is only in its opening stages, and it is our business to see that our armies get the maximum measure of support that we can give them. Let no one think that what even the remotest of our Dominions can now do can be too late. Before this campaign is finished the last man may count."

Fire Destroys Glass Factory.

TORONTO, April 1.—In a spectacular fire that threw a reflection that could be seen for a distance of two miles, the Jefferson Glass Factory at 788 Carlaw avenue was totally destroyed by fire shortly before midnight. The loss was estimated at $300,000.

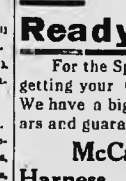
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SEPARATE SCHOOL REPORT

Sen. IV—H. Benninger, I. Hihn, L. ...inger. M. Fedy, L. Tiede, C. ...arr.

...IV—M. Schnurr, H. Strauss, C. ..., R. Weisbar, O. Kraemer, W. ...ter, L. Schefter, C. Zimmer. R. ... J. Fedy.

...III—M. Dentinger, C. Oberle ...rle, L. Massel, G. Kuntz, M. ...A. Brick, M. Durrer, C. Weiss, ...ller, N. Albrecht.

...III—M. Bildstein, G. Zimmer, ...ntag, C. Benninger, M. Brick ...tle, C. Lehmann, M. Kraemer, ...linger, W. Massel, M. Gutscher, ...ss, L. Beingessner.

...—L. Oberle, H. Opperman, J ...P. Altman, E. Weiss, A. Schill, ..., D. Weiss, J. Schnitzler, E. ..., F Tiede, C. Obermeyer, L. ...

...L. Opperman, M. McCue, I ...l. Dentinger. B. Noll, M. ...l. Tiede.

... Montag, H. Kuntz, R. ...Gerber, L. Weber, W. ...Strauss, L. Benninger, S. ...E. Rettinger, R. Shoe- ...Weller, R. Durrer, E. ...

...P. McCue, E. Oberle, C. ...M. Rettinger, O. Heiss, M. ...B. Schill, E. Dentinger, M. ...Montag, E. Tiede, A. Hein- ...Zimmer, E. Weishar, A. ..., Benninger, H. Kuntz, A. ...

GLAMIS

...Ian Montgomery arrived home ...Detroit on Monday.

...ister Arthur Cronin left last week ...Toronto and enlisted. He is now in ...g at Niagara Falls Success ...

... Edith Hawson is spending a few ...ith relatives in Clifford.

...—To Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Mc- ...on Friday March 29th a ...

...James Gilchrist Sundayed at ...here. He has been re-engaged ...Mr. Kenneth McKenzie, Dur ...Kincardine.

...an McKinnon of Wallaceburg ...g Easter holidays with his ...

...of the I. O. O. F. brethren ...Lodge attended the Lodge of ...at Underwood on Friday.

...Cross workers here packed ...ed 60 pairs of socks on ...

...azy Webb is home from Chip- ...for the holidays.

...A. McIntosh R. M. C. on R. ...Tiverton and R. R. No. A. ...ade his first car trip on Mon- ...

...Wittig of Underwood was a ...isitor at McKeeman's.

...ya Women's Institute packed ...ed 35 flannel shirts to Red ...antly.

...Mcintosh is having an ...le of Farm Stock Imple- ...on Monday Apr. 8th.

...er of the 16 Con. Greenock ...a week with Mrs. McClung.

...ge Johnston who purhased ...cKinnon's farm moved here ... He also brought his bride ...Birdie Bell). We extend a ...come and congratulations to ...ouple.

...Kirktown Sr. arrived home ...om a month's visit with re- ...ley Co.

...Kennedy underwent an op- ... week having his tonsils ...removed. He is recover- ...

...Dougall of the R. F. C. of ...Bo... called on friends here on ..., Neil formerly lived on 2nd ...ange and enlisted out West.

...mber of the 160th boys from ...ave been drafted to France ...have been received from there. ...e Glamis Boys are in 4th Res- ...Bramshott. Here's wishing all ...n every success and safe return.

...Chas. McKinnon who has had the ...tist Parsonage rented for past ...few years has bought a house in Ripley ...and is moving there.

Artie Alexandra's many friends here are glad to see home again and hopes he may soon be o. k. again.

PINKERTON

...Greenock Agricultural Society ...the following letter of Con- ...to Mrs. Albert Pinkerton.

...Mrs. Pinkerton.—

...behalf of the members of the ...ck Agricultural Society, we ...dersigned desire to express our ...deep sympathy for you in the loss ...have sustained, though the untime- ...ly death of your husband, the late Mr. ...Albert Pinkerton.

This expression comes from us not out of any desire to follow form, or custom, but out of a deep heartfelt feeling of the great loss which has befallen the Community, and the various organizations in our midst as well as the place in your home.

It affords us a great sense of satisfaction however, that even in the event of so great a loss, we have left to us a memory of one which can never be effaced from our past associations, one who was ever ready to render not only honest, and capable service, in every position and work, which he took in hand, but rendered it in a spirit of loving self-sacrifice, qualities which we shall ever treasure and with which we are loathe to part.

His presence will be greatly missed in our Society, in the Home and elsewhere, but we can only accept the disposal of an All Wise Providence, and humbly say, "Thy Will be Done".

Yours very sincerely,
John Clancy.
Stanley Garland,
R. M. Gale.

Pinkerton, Mar., 30th. 1918.

Mr. Clare Donnelly of St. Michall's College, Toronto, is spending the holidays at his home here.

Mr. Hugh Currie of Collingwood is visiting his nieces, Mrs. A. C. McKee and Mrs. A. Pinkerton.

Mr. Jas. Gale who has been attending Toronto University, returned home on Saturday.

Mrs. S. Garland and son Tom leave this week for Western Canada.

Mrs (Rev.) W. Richardson and son who have been visiting at the Manse returned to Arthur last week.

Mr. William Knox of Guelph is visiting his brother, Mr. Adam Knox.

S. S. No. 5 Greenock.

Sr. IV—Honors—Albert Pinkerton 79, Gladys Galo 75, Arthur Donnelly 71, Cleophas Kenney 73.

Jr. IV—Failure—*Hilda Kenney 56, *Jack Elphick 44, Stanley Clark 41, *Isabella Chick, 38, Geraldine Knox, 37, Humphrey Desmond 29½

Jr. III—Pass—Edmund Campbell 74, *Eileen Lambertus 65, Merton Taylor 66, Ray Clark 66, Eva Chick 65, Everett Pinkerton 61.

Failure—Dennis Donnelly 61, (failed in one subject,) *Joe Kenney 47.

Sr. II—Pass—Roy Campbell 72, Patricia Desmond 71, Charlie Andrews 68, Florence Richardson 67, Roy Taylor 61.

Failure—Jim Elphick 47, *Eddie Lambertus 42, *Joe Kraemer 30.

Jr. II—Failure—George McKee 58.

Jr. I—Honors—(Hilda Lambertus, Carl Elphick), equal, Marie Donnelly, Florence Kenney.

Pass—Gerald Donnelly, Charlie Desmond, Stella Donnelly, Hugh Campbell.

Jr. Pr.—Eileen Donnelly, Elwood Pinkerton, Hazel Trumbly, Gretta Richardson.

F. M. Dachl,
teacher.

P. S. The ones with marks before the name, missed part of the examinations.

HANOVER

Mrs. William Helwig of Hanover received a telegram that her mother, Mrs. John Herzog of Huntingdon, Indiana, had died on Sunday evening of last week. Deceased was (2) years of age. She visited here several years ago. Mr. and Mrs. Helwig left Monday afternoon for Huntingdon to attend the funeral.

The trinket tea held last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor takin wards 1 and 4 proved a decided success. The proceeds amounted to $25.38, besides a few trinkets. The money is deposited in the Bank until the trinket teas are completed. Other teas will be given in the different wards later.

Mrs. Patchell received word this week from her husband, Pte. Walter Patchell, giving particulars of the manner of his accident. He and an officer were in a shell hole and he only sustained a gunshot wound on the back of his hand, while the officer was killed. He expected to be back in the line on March 6th. It was a narrow escape for the Hanover.

Fred Howe, Hanover, was sentenced to six months at Burwash prison farm for non-support of his wife at Stratford on Tuesday. Miss E. Johns of Lindsay, who has been living with Howe, was sent for trial on two charges, one of obtaining a trunk at Toronto addressed to Mrs. Fred Howe, and the other of forging Mrs. Howe's name to bill of lading at Toronto.

RIVERSDALE

Miss Bella Abbott has returned home after spending a couple of weeks in Wingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Halliday visited at Jno Sillick's one day last week.

Miss Helen Dietrich of the Walkerton High school is spending the Easter holidays at her home here.

Mr. J. Hoogkinson is moving to his new home near Eden Grove. Mr. Ellinghausen is also moving from Wiakerton this week.

Mrs. Wm. McDonald entertained a few ladies to a Red Cross quilting on Good Friday.

Misses Mary and Annie Loftus are visiting friends in Owen Sound this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Chatreau spent Sunday with friends in Walkerton.

Messers Latry Benniger and Eugene Dietrich of Wingham visited friends here over Sunday.

Mr. Albert Symon of Hearst, Ont. is visiting his home here for a week.

CHEPSTOW

Sr. IV—Total 650—John Doyle 472, James O'Hagan 456, John McKinnon 450, Maurice O'Hagan 390, Evelyn O'Hagan 382.

Jr. IV—Total 750—Venetia O'Hagan 603, Margaret O'Hagan 591, Andrew Doyle 586, Laura Kroeplin 577, John Quinlan 515, Harold O'Hagan 413, Viola Cassidy 375.

Sr. III—Total 650—Mary Doyle 589.

Jr. II—Total 600—Beatrice Kroeplin 504, Jessie McKinnon 467, Marjory O'Hagan 455, Joseph O'Hagan 447, Agnes O'Hagan 406, Harry Kroeplin 364.

Loretta Fitzpatrick,
Teacher.

BRANT AVENUE

Mr. Jack Lundy and son are a pretty busy firm. In spite of "bad roads" and backward weather, these two gentlemen are on the go every day, the senior member of the firm is busy trading, buying, and selling horses, while the junior member is right after the junk business.

Last week Mr. Noah Bruder and his son discovered a big elm tree over 2½ ft. thick in their bush had been struck by lightning this winter (as it looked quite fresh). A big portion of the butt of the green tree had been burned to ashes. Seems strange but it's true.

And so here we are after spending Easter at home. Haven't heard of many getting sick from eating too many colored eggs. The rabbit didn't get all the way around on his journey. It seemed his supply ran short in some cases so some youngsters are saying it seems such accidents will happen some times.

A large number from here attended Mr. James Cahoon's sale of farm stock and implements near Solway on Tues. Apr. 2nd. which was a monster sale and everything as usual went high.

Those who have tapped trees say the sap runs very slow so far this spring unless it soon changes into sugar in its slow place.

MILDMAY

A patriotic dance was held in the Town Hall on Monday evening by the young men of the vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Buschart of Kitchener visited over Easter at the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Diebel.

Miss Irene Uhrich of Toronto is spending a few days at her home here.

Mr. Wm. Miller of Waterloo and Miss Minnie Miller of Fergus are Easter visitors at their home here.

Mr. Joseph Filsinger has sold his farm on con. 4 to Mr. Solomon Bilger and intends to locate near Sebringville.

Mr. Wm. Diebel and Mr. George Brahler of Kincardine were among our Easter visitors.

Another wounded Mildmay boy has returned from overseas in the person of Pte. Leo. Herringer (Pope) who arrived in town last Saturday evening. Pope has grown to be a big man during his absence and looks pretty well. We are glad to see Pope back again in our midst after doing his bit.

Dr. Lucy of Guelph was called up on Monday afternoon to hold a consultation with Dr. Wilson about Miss Doretta Sauer whose illness is very serious now. An operation was performed Monday evening.

About a dozen boys in and near Mildmay have enlisted for farm work as soldiers of the soil. Among them are the following.—Allan Pfohl, Charlie Jasper, Wilfred Gress, Walter Schnurr, Bert Harper, Ralph Schefter, Bruce Thompson, Clarence Stumpf, August Kleist.

Mach Hinsperger has returned from Toronto and will spend several months at his home here to recover his health.

Mr. Wm. Pershacher of con. 12 has purchased a new 1918 Ford touring car from Liesemer and Kalbfleisch.

The song service in the Methodist Church was well attended and enjoyed by all.

Mr. Frank Schmidt of Kitchener visited over Easter Sunday at his home here.

Miss Elda Gowdy of the Gazette Staff has left for Wingham where she will take up a business course in the Wingham Business College.

Corp. Stewart Brohman of Toronto spent Sunday with his parents, Mr and Mrs Alex Brohman.

Messrs. Joseph Ernewein, Herb Pross and Herb McEwan of Waterloo were among our Easter visitors.

Mr. Jack Schnurr of Moorefield was another Easter visitor in town where he spent Easter Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Schnurr

Mr. J. Kalbfleisch of Milverton visited his son Mr. Ed Kalbfleisch over Easter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Doerr visited at the latter's brother, Mr. Ed. Kalbfleisch over Easter.

OTTER CREEK

Farmers have started to plough.

Runaways are the order of the day.

Mr. Fischer of Listowel was a visitor at Mr. Henry Wolfe's.

Miss Marie Bell is on the sick list.

Mr. Samuel Hespanauer of Kitchener is a visitor at Mr. John Dippel's.

The mumps have visited this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Schumacher and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Wm Klein of Mildmay were visitors at their old homes over Easter.

A pleasure-seeking party for Easter was trying the roads when they landed in the snow bank and a company coming from home from Church noticed the occupants had flown and left their faithful little Ford sitting by his lonesome in the snow bank. I think slow and steady wins the race.

EDEN GROVE

There was a very select gathering at the Bailey Bros. Exclusive Club House here last week. Edward Bailey, representing the Canadian Shell Manufacturers Association, was personally present, Mac. Scott, representing the T. Eaton Co's. Mail Order House, John Killen, President of the Axe Handler's Union and John Seller, Head Agent for John Labatt 2% Co. were seated about the marble table in the centre of the room. On one side one caught sights of P. O'Reilly and Tom Desmond, joint editors of the London Advertiser, while still further back the stout form of W. Fair, Master Builder, was seated beside the still stouter form of A. S. Belback, delegate from the Retailers' of the West. The chair was occupied by a youth unknown to me. He was clad in overalls with wisps of hay in his hair and on his clothes, which, when he rose, formed a small bale about his feet. After he called the meeting to attention he commenced to quote poetry by the yard. So smooth was the meter of his lines and so beautiful its rythm that it brought tears to my eyes and I was forced to leave my seat, borrow a little hay from the Chairman's head and leave the room, so my sobbing would not disturb the others. I understand, however, that A. L. in a two hour speech thanked the Chairman for his wonderful effort.

CARGILL

Mr. Frank Smith of the Royal Bank spent Easter Monday at his home in Walkerton.

Mr. W. D. Cargill spent Monday at Walkerton.

Mr. E. A. Ruttle shipped his household goods to Dundalk on Monday via C. P. R. at Walkerton.

Sap has been a fair run so far this year. Up to Friday Mr. Jim Garland has boiled over 155 gallons.

School report for March:

Jr. II.—Alvin Hetsler, Oscar Schnurr, Sam Martin, Wilfred Schuett, Ross Mawhinney, Willie Young.

Sr. I.—John Meyer, Harriet Grice, Marguerite Thompson, Howard Taylor, Edna Bester.

Jr. I.—Donald Cargill, Leslie Hettrick, Gladys Grice, Wilkins Hetsler, Mike Power.

Sr. Pr.—Florence Scharbach, Edna Pegelo, Lily Crawford, Merlin White.

J. L. Allan,
teacher.

Class V.—N. Scharbach, L. Crawford.

Sr. IV—F. Hettrick, T. Powers, J. Clancy, D. Martin, L. Grainger, J. Lambertus.

Jr. IV—Pass, L. Schuett, E. Reaburn, C. Powers. Failed, R. Mahoney.

Sr. III Pass—G. Meyer, F. Clancy, M. Hood, A. Hood, J. Martin, Clara Pegelo, H. Thompson, J. Powers.

Jr. III—Pass, E. Reaburn, M. Mawhinney, W. Bester, N. Schuett, B. Streeter, M. Kyle, J. Powers, M. Scharback, Failed, W. Wurm, L. Young, L. Hopf.

Sr. II—M. Clancy, J Scharbach, W. Pegelo, P. Elder, A. Meyer, M. Grainger, J. Crawford, L. Streeter, T. Baillie, F. Mahoney.

Jr. II.—M. Schuett, W. Mawhinney, G. Kyle, B. Hood, W. Reaburn, F. Hanson, G. Klipper,

E. A. Ruttle,
Principal.

BRANT

S. S. No. 2 Brant from Christmas to Easter. The report shows the subject in which the pupils are low.

Sr. IV—Pass—Jessie McNally.

Jr. IV Honors—(Harvey Inglis, Frank James,) Charlie James.

Pass—Emerson Rapp, Elroy Etsell. (Arith. Hon.)

Jr. III—Honors—Jack James, Alice Burnes.

Pass—Agnes Walter, (Hon.) Irene Etsell, (Hon.) Howard Ernest, (spelling and hist.), Annie Wilhelm, (arith. and gram.), Robert Rucher, (absent for examinations).

Sr. II—Honors—Rustin Burnes.

Pass—(Irvin Ernest, Gertrude Ashley.)

Jr. II—Honors—Gordon Inglis, (Alfie Walters, Morrison Ellis).

Pass—Antoinetta Strooder, (arith).

Sr. I—Honors—Laverne Etsell.

Pass—Byron Burnes, (arith.)

Sr. Pr.—Honors—Florence Tanner, Lillie Rapp, Ernest Strooder.

Pass—(Maude Ashley, Gladys Burnes).

Highest marks for punctuality: Jessie McNally, Byron Burnes, Howard Ernest, Irvin Ernest.

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sez he, and to near many gals goin' on somewheres an' then either Willie Baxter or Joe Bullitt or somebody or another arguin' about love. Mamma, he said"—Jane became impressive—"he said, mamma, he said he didn't mind the Sunday school class, but he couldn't stand those dasm boys!"

"Jane," Mrs. Baxter cried, "you mustn't say such things!"

"I didn't, mamma; Mr. Parcher said it. He said he couldn't stand those dasm"—

"Jane! No matter what he said, you mustn't repeat it."

"But I'm not. I only said"—

Mrs. Baxter imprisoned Jane's mouth with a firm hand. Jane continued to swallow quietly until released.

"Hush!" Mrs. Baxter commanded. "You must never, never again use such a terrible and wicked word."

"I won't, mamma," Jane said meekly. Then she brightened. "Oh, I know! I'll say 'word' instead. Won't that be all right?"

"I—I suppose so."

"Well, Mr. Parcher said he couldn't stand those word boys. That sounds all right, doesn't it, mamma?"

Mrs. Baxter hesitated, but she well knew that Jane had her own way of telling things, or else they remained untold.

"I—I suppose so."

"Well, they kind of talked along," Jane continued, much pleased, "an' Mr. Parcher said when he was young he wasn't any such a—such a word fool as these young word fools were. He said in all his born days Willie Baxter was the wordest fool he ever saw."

Willie Baxter's mother flushed a little. "That was very unjust and very wrong of Mr. Parcher," she said primly.

"Oh, no, mamma!" Jane protested. "Mrs. Parcher thought so too."

"Did she, indeed!"

"Only she didn't say word or wordest or anything like that," Jane explained. "She said it was because Miss Pratt had conzed him so he was in love of her. An' Mr. Parcher said he didn't care, those fault it was, Willie was a—a word calf, an' so were all the rest of 'em, Mr. Parcher said. An' he said he couldn't stand it any more. Mr. Parcher said that a whole lot of times, mamma. He said he guess' pretty soon he'd haf to be in the lunatic asylum if Miss Pratt stayed a few more days with her word little dog an' her word Willie Baxter an' all the other word calfs. Mrs. Parcher said he oughtn't to say 'word,' mamma. She said, 'Hush, hush!' to him, mamma. He talked like this, mamma: He said, 'I'll be word if I stand it!' An' he kept gettin' crosser, an' he said: 'Word! Word! *Word!* WOR'"—

"There!" Mrs. Baxter interrupted sharply. "That will do, Jane! We'll talk about something else now, I think."

At nightfall Jane was saying her prayers beside her bed, while her mother stood close by.

"An' bless mamma an' papa an'"—Jane murmured, coming to a pause—"an'—an' bless Willie," she added, with a little reluctance.

"Go on, dear," said her mother. "You haven't finished."

"I know it, mamma," Jane looked up to say. "I was jest thinkin' a minute. I want to tell you about somep'n."

"Finish your prayers first, Jane."

Jane obeyed with a swiftness in which there was no intentional irreverence; then she jumped into bed and began a fresh revelation.

"It's about papa's clo'es, mamma."

"What clothes of papa's? What do you mean, Jane?" asked Mrs. Baxter, puzzled.

"The ones you couldn't find—the ones you been lookin' for 'most every day."

"You mean papa's evening clothes?"

"Yes'm," said Jane. "Willie's got 'em on," Jane assured her, with emphasis. "I bet he's had 'em on every single evening since Miss Pratt came to visit the Parchers. Anyway, he's got 'em on now, 'cause I saw 'em."

Mrs. Baxter frowned. "Are you sure?"

"Yes'm. I saw him in 'em. I was in my bare feet after I got undressed, an' I was kind of walkin' around in the hall"—

"You shouldn't do that, Jane."

"No'm. An' I heard Willie say somep'n kind of to himself, or like declamation. He was inside his room, but the door wasn't quite shut. He started out once, but he went back for somep'n an' forgot to, I guess. Anyway, I thought I better look an' see what was goin' on, mamma, so I just kind of peeked in"—

"But you shouldn't do that, dear," Mrs. Baxter said musingly. "It isn't really quite honorable."

"No'm. Well, what you think he was doin'?" Jane's voice betrayed [illegible] and so did her eyes) "He [illegible] in papa's clo'es [illegible] perfume that looked glass, an' first sorta bow his head over on one side, an' then he'd lean it over on the other side, an' then he'd bark, mamma."

"He'd what?"

"Yes'm!" said Jane. "He'd give a little, teeny bark, mamma—kind of like a puppy, mamma."

"What?" cried Mrs. Baxter.

"Yes'm, he did!" Jane asserted. "He did it four or five times. First he'd lean his head way over on his shoulder like this—look, mamma!—an' then he'd lean it away over the other shoulder, an' every time he'd do it he'd bark. 'Barp-werp!' he'd say, mamma, just like that, only not loud at all. He said 'Barp-werp! *Barp-werp-werp!* You could tell he meant it for barkin', but it wasn't very good, mamma. What you think he meant, mamma?"

"Heaven knows!" murmured the astonished mother.

"An' then," Jane continued, "he quit barkin' all of a sudden, an' didn't lean his head over any more, an' commenced actin' kind of solemn, an' kind of whispered to himself. I think he was kind of pretendin' he was talkin' to Miss Pratt or at a party, maybe. Anyways, he spoke out loud after while—not just exactly loud, I mean, but anyway so's I could hear what he said. Mamma, he said, 'Oh, my baby talk lady!' just like that, mamma. Listen, mamma, here's the way he said it; 'Oh, my baby talk lady!'"

Jane's voice in this impersonation became sufficiently soft and tremulous to give Mrs. Baxter a fair idea of the tender yearning of the original. "'*Oh, my baby talk lady!*'" cooed the terrible Jane.

"Mercy!" Mrs. Baxter exclaimed. "Perhaps it's no wonder Mr. Parcher"— She broke off abruptly, then inquired, "What did he do next, Jane?"

"Next," said Jane, "he put the light out, an' I kind of squeezed up against the wall, an' he never saw me. He went on out to the back stairs an' went down the stairs tiptoe, mamma. I think he goes out that way an' through the kitchen on account of papa's clo'es."

"I suppose so," Mrs. Baxter said. "I think perhaps"— For a moment or two she wrapped herself in thought. "Perhaps," she repeated musingly—"perhaps we'll keep this just a secret between you and me for a little while, Jane, and not say anything to papa about the clothes. I don't think it will hurt them, and I suppose Willie feels they give him a great advantage over the other boys."

Mrs. Baxter turned out the light, then came and kissed Jane in the dark. "Good night, dear."

"G' night, mamma." But as Mrs. Baxter reached the door Jane's voice was heard again.

"Mamma?"

"Yes?" Mrs. Baxter paused.

"Mamma, what do you s'pose Willie barked at the lookin'-glass for?"

"That," said Mrs. Baxter, "is beyond me. Young people and children do the strangest things, Jane! And then, when they get to be middle aged, they forget all those strange things they did, and they can't understand what the new young people, like you and Willie, mean by the strange things they do."

"Yes'm. I bet I know what he was barkin' for, mamma. I think he was kind of practicin'. I think he was practicin' how to bark at Mr. Parcher."

"No, no!" Mrs. Baxter laughed. "Who ever could think of such a thing but you, Jane? You go to sleep and forget your nonsense!"

Nevertheless Jane might always have been gifted with clairvoyance, her preposterous idea came so close to the actual fact, for at that very moment William was barking. He was not barking directly at Mr. Parcher, it is true, but within a short distance of him and all too well within his hearing.

CHAPTER V.

Mr. Parcher and Love.

MR. PARCHER, that unhappy gentleman, having been driven indoors from his own porch, had attempted to read "Plutarch's Lives" in the library; but, owing to the adjacency of the porch and the summer necessity for open windows, his escape spared only his eyes and not his suffering ears. The house was small, being but half of a double one, with small rooms, and the "parlor," library and dining room all about equally exposed to the porch which ran along the side of the house.

Mr. Parcher had no refuge except bed or the kitchen, and as he was troubled with chronic insomnia, and the cook had callers in the kitchen, his case was desperate. Most unfortunately, too, his reading lamp, the only one in the house, was a fixture near a window, and just beyond that window sat Miss Pratt and William in sweet unconsciousness while Miss Parcher entertained the overflow, consisting of Mr. Johnnie Watson, at the other end of the porch.

Listening perforce to the conversation of the former couple, he found it impossible to sit still in his chair. Sometimes he gasped, and other times he moaned a little.

"Oh, cute unsa!" came the silvery voice of Miss Pratt from the likewise silvery porch outside, underneath the summer moon. "Darlin' Flopit, lookl ickle boy Baxter goin' make imitations of darlin' Flopit again. Seel ickle boy Baxter puts head one side, then other side, just like darlin' Flopit, then barks just like darlin' Flopit! Ladies and gutlemen, imitations of darlin' Flopit by ickle boy Baxter."

"Berp-werp! Berp-werp!" came the voice of William Sylvanus Baxter.

And in the library "Plutarch's Lives" moved convulsively, while with writhing lips Mr. Parcher muttered to himself.

"More, more!" cried Miss Pratt, clapping her hands. "Do it again, ickle boy Baxter!"

"Berp-werp! Berp-werp-werp!"

"*Word!*" muttered Mr. Parcher.

Miss Pratt's voice became surcharged with honeyed wonder. "How did he learn such marv'lous, marv'lous imitations of darlin' Flopit? He ought to go on the big, big stage and be a really, actor, oughtn't he, darlin' Flopit? He could make millyuns and millyuns of dollarzies, couldn't he, darlin' Flopit?"

William's modest laugh disclaimed any great ambition for himself in this line. "Oh, I always could think up imitations of animals, things like that, but I hardly would care to—to adopt the stage for a career. Would—you?" There was a thrill in his voice when he pronounced the ineffably significant word "you."

"It's my dream!" she said.

William, seated upon a stool at her feet, gazed up at the amber head, divinely splashed by the rain of moonlight. The fire with which she spoke stirred him as few things had ever



"Do it again, ickle boy Baxter!"

stirred him. He knew she had just revealed a side of herself that she reserved for only the chosen few who were capable of understanding her, and he fell into a blissful rapture.

"It was wonderful of you to say that to me," he said. "I shall never forget it!"

"It's my dream!" Miss Pratt exclaimed again, with the same enthusiasm. "It's my dream!"

"You would make a glorious actress!" he said.

At that her mood changed. She laughed a laugh like a sweet little girl's laugh (not Jane's) and, setting her rocking chair in motion, cuddled the fuzzy white doglet in her arms. "Ickle boy Baxter tyin' fatherboy on, mamin' Flopit! No'ty, no'ty fatherboy!"

"No, no!" William insisted earnestly. "I mean it. But—but"—

"But whatcomsa?"

"What do you think about actors and actresses making love to each other on the stage? Do you think they have to really feel it, or do they just pretend?"

"Well," said Miss Pratt weightily, "sometimes one way, sometimes the other."

William's gravity became more and more profound. "Yes, but how can they pretend like that? Don't you think love is a sacred thing, Cousin Lola?"

Fictitious sisterships, brotherships and cousinships are devices to push things along well known to seventeen and even more advanced ages. On the wonderful evening of their first meeting William and Miss Pratt had coolly arranged to be called respectively "Ickle boy Baxter" and "Cousin Lola." Thus they had broken down the tedious formalities of their first twenty minutes together.

"Don't you think love is sacred?" he repeated in his deepest tone.

"Ess," said Miss Pratt.

"I do!" William was emphatic. "I think love is the most sacred thing there is. I don't mean some kinds of love. I mean real love. You take some people; I don't believe they ever know what real love means. They talk about it, maybe, but they don't understand it. Love is something nobody can understand unless they feel it, and—and if they don't understand it they don't feel it. Don't you think so?"

"Ess."

"Love," William continued, his voice lifting and thrilling to the great theme—"love is something nobody can ever have but one time in their lives, and if they don't have it then, why, probly they never will. Now, if a man really loves a girl, why, he'd do anything in the world she wanted him to. Don't you think so?"

"Ess, 'deedums!" said the silvery voice.

"But if he didn't, then he wouldn't," said William vehemently. "But when a man [illegible] you take a man like that and he can generally do just about anything the girl he loves wants him to. Say, for instance, she wants him to love her even more than he does already, or almost anything like that, and supposin' she asks him to. Well, he would go ahead and do it. If they really loved each other he would!"

He paused a moment, then in a lowered tone he said, "I think real love is sacred, don't you?"

"Ess."

"Don't you think love is the most sacred thing there is—that is, if it's real love?"

"Ess."

"I do," said William warmly. "I—I'm glad you feel like that, because I think real love is the kind nobody could have but just once in their lives, but if it isn't real love, why—why, most people never have it at all, because"— He paused, seeming to seek for the exact phrase which would express his meaning. "Because the real love a man feels for a girl and a girl for a man, if they really love each other—and, you look at a case like that, of course they would both love each other or it wouldn't be real love—well, what I say is, if it's real love—well, it's—it's sacred, because I think that kind of love is always sacred. Don't you think love is sacred if it's the real thing?"

"Ess," said Miss Pratt. "Do Flopit again. Be Flopit!"

"Barp-werp! Barp-werp-werp!"

And within the library an agonised man writhed and muttered:

"*Word! Word!* WORD!"—

This hoarse repetition had become almost continuous. But out on the porch, that little jasmine scented bower in Arcady where youth cried to youth and golden heads were haloed in the moonshine, there fell a silence, not utter silence, for out there an ethereal music sounded constantly, unheard and forgotten by elder ears.

It was William who spoke again. "How"— he began, and his voice trembled a little—"how—how do you—how do you think of me when I'm not with you?"

"Think nice-cums," Miss Pratt responded. "Flopit an' me think nice-cums."

"No," said William; "I mean what mama do you have for me when you're—when you're thinking about me?"

Miss Pratt seemed to be puzzled.

"I mean like this," William explained: "F'r instance, when you first came I always thought of you as Milady."

"Ess. Boo'tums."

"But now I don't," he said. "Now I think of you by another name when I'm alone. It—it just sort of came to me. It was about as strange a thing as I ever knew of. Don't you think so?"

"Ess. It ox dest weird!" she answered. "What are dat pitty names?"

"I called you," said William huskily and reverently—"I called you My Baby Talk Lady."

Bang!

They were startled by a crash from within the library. A heavy weight seemed to have fallen, or to have been hurled, a considerable distance. Stepping to the window, William beheld a large volume lying in a distorted attitude at the foot of the wall opposite to that in which the reading lamp was a fixture. Mr. Parcher had given up and was now hastening to his bed in the last faint hope of saving his reason.

William gazed upon the fallen Plutarch. "Somebody must 'a' thrown it at a bug or something, I guess." Then a second explosion sent its reverberations through the house.

"My doodness!" Miss Pratt exclaimed.

William laughed reassuringly. "It's only a door blew shut upstairs," he said.

Unfortunately for him, Joe Bullitt now made his appearance. Mr. Bullitt, though almost a year younger than either William or Johnnie Watson, was of a masterful disposition. Moreover, in regard to Miss Pratt, his affections were in as ardent a state as those of his rivals, and he lacked Johnnie's meekness. He firmly declined to be absorbed by Miss Parcher, who was trying to favor William's cause, according to a promise he had won of her. Regardless of her efforts, Mr. Bullitt descended upon William and his Baby Talk Lady and received from the latter a honeyed greeting, somewhat to the former's astonishment.

"Oh, goody cute!" cried Miss Pratt. "Here's big Bruvva Joole-Joe!" And she lifted her little dog close to Mr. Bullitt's face, guiding one of Flopit's paws with her fingers. "Stroke big Bruvva Joole-Joe's pint teeks, darlin' Flopit." Joole-Joe's pink cheeks were indicated by the expression "pint teeks" evidently, for her accompanying action was to pass Flopit's paw lightly over those glowing surfaces.) "At's nice!" she remarked. "Stroke him gently, p'eabus Flopit, an' den we'll coax him to make pitty singin' for us, like us did yestiday."

She turned to William.

"Coax him to make pitty singin'. I love his voice. I'm dest crazy over it, isn't oo?"

William's passion for Mr. Bullitt's voice appeared to be under control. He laughed coldly, almost harshly. "Him sing?" he said. "Has he been tryin' to sing around here? I wonder the family didn't call for the police!"

"Well, they will," Bullitt retorted. "If you ever spring one o' your solos on 'em!" And, turning to Miss Pratt, he laughed loudly and bitterly. "You ought to hear Silly Bill sing—some time when you don't mind goin' to bed sick for a couple o' days!"

"Let's all sing," the tactful Miss Pratt proposed hastily. "Come on, May and Cousin Johnnie Joun-Upit!" she called to Miss Parcher and Mr. Watson. "Singin' school, dirls an' boys! Singin' school! Ding, ding! Skuzin'-school bell's a-ringin'!"

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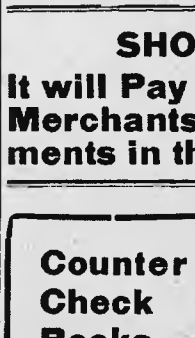
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TOWN AND DISTRICT NEWS

Maple syrup time.

Spring weather is here.

Local news on every page.

The pussy willows are in bud.

House-cleaning time is near at hand.

Alf Schnurr came up from Stratford for Easter.

Mrs. (Dr.) Sinclair is visiting at Hamilton.

Miss Maud Stead is visiting friends at Windsor.

Mrs. Chris. Ernest is visiting friends in Kitchener.

Lowe Bros. High Standard Paints at S. W. Vogan's.

Mr. Frank Yasck of Hamilton spent Easter in town.

Mr. Harry McCrum visited friends at Galt this week.

Mr. Geo. D. McKay was on the sick list all last week.

Miss Winnie Zettle spent the week-end at Port Elgin.

Mrs. (Dr.) T. R. Porter is visiting friends at Toronto.

Miss Annie Kappler of Toronto spent Easter at her home.

Arthur McCartney jr. is visiting relatives in Brantford.

Earl Obrecht of Palmerston was an Easter visitor in town.

A farmer near Mitchell last week sold 20 hogs at $51 each.

After putting your best foot forward get there with both feet.

Mrs. Fred Benninger spent Monday with friends at Mildmay.

Mr. Earl Kennedy of Toronto spent Easter with friends here.

Miss Florence Bolden is visiting relatives in Owen Sound.

Mrs. Davis of Listowel is visiting her sister, Mrs. Joe Wallace.

The birds are filling the air with their sweet, Spring songs.

Mrs. W. B. Thompson spent Easter with friends at Wingham.

Mr E. J. Skelton left Tuesday on a business trip to the West.

Mr. R. E. Truax M. P. was home from Ottawa over Sunday.

Miss Katherine Attwood spent Easter with friends in Stratford.

The butchers of Parkhill have decided to sell all meats for cash.

A large number of farmers in Manitoba are commencing seeding.

Mr. Arthur Giesler of Kitchener spent Easter at his home here.

Miss Adeline Monk of Stratford spent Easter at her home here.

Prin. and Mrs. Morgan are spending the Easter holidays at Toronto.

Mrs. W. J. Brown of Wiarton is visiting at Mr. Wm. Van Horne's.

Miss Small of Toronto was a guest this week at Mr. Fred Kimbel's.

Messrs Jacob and Albert Tschirhardt leave on Friday for Walpole, Sask.

Mr. John Hartman of Guelph spent the week-end with his family here.

Arthur H. Jackson of Durham has been appointed registrar of South Grey.

Mrs. (Dr.) Reeves of Philadelphia is visiting her mother, Mrs H. Wettlaufer.

Miss Eunice Boan of Guelph spent Easter with her friend, Miss May Poole

Miss Grace Van Horne of Stratford Normal, spent Easter at her home here.

The ash piles look untidy but they represent a heap of money, work and worry.

Tenders have been called for carrying the rural mail on R. R. No 4, Walkerton; R. R. 1, Formosa; and R. R. 2 Teeswater. The contracts run for four years.

Mr. Cornelius Becker of Detroit is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Becker.

Clem Obrecht leaves this week to take a position in a printing office at London.

Rev Father Goodrow of Chepstow returned on Friday from a visit to Hamilton.

Mr. John Kelly of Toronto spent Easter with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Kelly.

Misses Agnes and Arnette Obright of Hamilton, spent Easter at their home here.

Mr. Charles Ernest and daughter, Iva, of Toronto, spent Easter at their home here.

An old bachelor says that an optimist is a married man who says that he is glad of it.

Mr. Frank Moore, who is in the C. P. R. office at Toronto, spent Easter at his home here.

Pte. Ralph Atkinson of the Special Service Co., London, was an Easter visitor in town.

Miss Cox and Miss Whitten of St. Catherines are visiting their sister, Mrs. F. Godwin.

An Orangeville man was fined $20 for running a moving picture show without a license.

Mr. W. M. Shaw arrived home Thursday from a business trip to Toronto and Hamilton.

Dominion police have been scouring the country in this district for evaders of military service.

Mrs. A. H. Stevens attended the funeral of her cousin Mrs. Greenwood, of Durham, last week.

Miss Vera Norrish of Niagara Falls Collegiate Staff is spending the Easter vacation at her home here.

Misses Florence Taylor and Winnie Wilson of Stratford Normal, spent Easter at their homes here.

Mr. Matson of Windsor, formerly of the local Merchants Bank Staff, spent Easter with friends in town.

Women are to be taken on as rural route mail carriers all over the States, as a war emergency measure.

Now is the time to order your seeds and get chummy with your neighbor so you can borrow his garden tools.

Live shopping news that you can't afford to miss is in the merchants' advts. in this week's Telescope.

Mrs. George Lambertus spent a few days this week with her son, Mr. Herman Lambertus, at Eden Grove.

Miss Frieda Myles of Ontario Ladies' College, Whitby, is spending the Easter vacation at her home here.

Jim McKinnon of the Guelph Battery is to be congratulated on his promotion to the rank of Corporal.

Miss Muriel Lumley underwent an operation for appendicitis successfully at the County Hospital on Saturday.

Mr. Aaron Misch who is attending the Stratford Business College spent the Easter Holiday at his home here.

At Elora the Council will sub-divide a two acre unused portion of the cemetery for garden plots for the citizens.

Thermometers are insignificant looking affairs and yet they have made hopeless liars out of thousands of men.

Housecleaning next.

Nelson Lay is spending Easter week in London.

Mr. Dan McNichol went to Claremont on Monday.

Miss Allen of Paisley was a visitor in town on Monday.

Miss Gertude Lewis is visiting Miss Marie Weiler in Mildmay.

Miss Clara Tilley of Owen Sound visited friends in town this week.

Miss Edith Hibbert of Dundalk is spending the week at her home here.

Mr. Frank Smith of the Royal Bank, Cargill spent Monday at his home here

Mr. Neil Sinclair of Toronto visited his mother, Mrs. D. Sinclair, this week.

Miss Helen Harkley, who teaches near Flesherton, is visiting at her home here.

The Misses Kerr of Paisley were visitors at Mr. Ralph Krueger's on Monday.

Irvin Inglis visited his cousin W. M. Berry at Mildmay for a couple of days last week.

Misses May Grant and Victoria Rose of Paisley spent Easter Monday with Mrs. F. Gottschidt.

Miss Emma Bilger of Toronto is spending Easter week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Bilger.

The eight hour system is in vogue on many farms—eight hours before dinner and eight hours after.

Order your counter check books at the Telescope office. We are agents for the largest firm in Canada.

Miss Gertrude Sieger at the Stratford Normal is spending the Easter vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sieger, South Line.

Spring is the time to brighten up a town. You can help by cleaning up your yard, and make your property look spick and span.

The I. O. D. E. held a quilting bee on Tuesday at which the patches left over from the sewing contest were made up into four quilts, valued at $30.

Ralph Brunt, Hanover's big cattle buyer, is offering his home for sale as he is moving to Toronto. Mr. Brunt is a brother of Mrs. E. J. Glave of Walkerton.

Mr. E. A. Ruttle, who is leaving Carson to take the principalship of Public School at Dundalk shipped his household effects from here by C. P. R. on Tuesday.

The soldiers have introduced maple sugar to the French people. There should be a big trade in it after the war. It has been sent to our boys by the Red Cross.

Norman Lambert, for nine years one of the Toronto Globe's leading special writers, has gone to Winnipeg, to become associate editor of the Grain Growers' Guide. He is a Mount Forest boy, son of Editor Lambert, of the Representative.

The work of the aviator is a particularly hazardous one. Since the Canadian aviation camp was changed from Camp Borden to Fort Worth, Texas, on Nov. 1st, 1917, no fewer than 30 aviators have lost their lives.

Russia, says Frank A. Simonds, is the biggest single stretch of European territory which has been opened to invasion and partition since the Roman Empire fell. Her area is over six times as great as that ruled by Imperial Rome.

Promoted To Corporal

Gordon Gibson, son of Mr. E. T. Gibson of Walkerton, who has been on active service with the Canadian Pioneers in France for some months has been promoted to Corporal. Cpl Gibson is in the same battalion as Ed. Erdman and several other boys from this district.

Seen Old Friends In France

John Desmond writes his father, Mr. Thos. Desmond of Eden Grove, from France, that on arriving back at the lines from a short leave at Paris, he finds quite a number of 160th Bruce boys have joined his battalion, the 1st Can. Reg't. Among those he mentions are :— Alexander, Groves, Hanson and Runstadtler. John was a policeman at Kitchener before the war, and enlisted with the 160th Batt'n.

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Paillettes, Duchesse and Taffeta, 36 to 40 inches wide. Per yard $1 50 to $2 50.

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Plaids, stripes, floral and coin spots including the very latest novelties in Habuti, Paillette, Taffeta and Foulard for waists, skirts and dresses. 26 to 40 inches wide. Per yard $1 00 to $2 25.

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A large assortment of new English prints and they are guaranteed to wash and keep color. Good lilacs, navy and lighter blues, and all other light and dark shades that are in demand. Splendid firm cloth. Per yard 22c. & 25c.

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A shipment of the very newest patterns in both light and dark grounds. Beautiful color combinations of rose, blue gold, yellow, brown and green. Suitable for side drapes, curtains and box covers also the very newest materials for knitting bags. 31 to 33 inches wide. Per yard 35c., 40c., 50c. & 60c.

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NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Mrs. Stauffer arrived home this week from Toronto.

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Mr. Emanet Laughlin of Galt was an Easter visitor in town.

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"The pen is mightier than the sword"—especially if there is a pig in it.

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Corp. Jim and Mrs. McKinnon spent Sunday with the latter's sister at Port Elgin.

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There have been rumors that the Wiarton Woollen Mill would start up again.

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Mr. Thomas Cronin who has been visiting friends here left on Tuesday for his home at Mount Forest.

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Mr. Frank Reanie delivered seven fat cattle to Drover Joe Zettler on Tuesday for which he received the nice sum of $890.

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You can save a year's subscription price to the Telescope very quickly by consulting the merchants' announcements in this paper.

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A Colorado farmer was short of help. Realizing the keenness of city sportsmen for hunting during the autumn season, he posted the following notice on his farm: "All persons who wish to hunt on my premises during the season of 1917 will be required to husk corn half a day on my farm. Come any time to husk corn, but unless this is done you will not be allowed to enter, as all my lands are private property."

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Worth His Best.

A young couple went to a minister's house to get married. After the ceremony the bridegroom drew the clergyman aside and said in a whisper: "I'm sorry I have no money to pay your fee, but if you'll take me down into the cellar I'll show you how to fix your gas meter so that it won't register."

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Can't Be Bossed

Public School Boards are independent of Town Councils as to how much money they spend. Galt School Board asked the Council last week for $53,500. The Council cut the grant to $50000 and to this action the Trustees object and in their claim they are backed up by by the Public School Act which says the municipality shall provide the money asked for.

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Air Raids Bad

Mrs. Niece Racburn writes from Paris to her husband's people here that many people were beginning to leave the metropolis on account of constant air raids. Mr. Racburn had just returned from attending the Annual Exhibition at Lyons and during his absence there had been two raids, in one of which 60 German gothas bombed the city, and in the other 50 gothas. At time of writing, which was before the big German offensive had started, the big guns could be heard constantly from Paris.

Mrs. Arthur Barber and Miss Eleanor of Rockwood, spent Easter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Tolton.

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103 per Cent Profit

A statement just issued by the Riordan Pulp and Paper Company shows that concern to have made a profit of 103 per cent, on its preferred stock during 1917. The net earnings were $1,943,651. A large allowance was made for depreciation. More than 21 per cent was earned on its common stock. The company made $475,364 in 1914. It is safe to make the assertion, in view of this showing, that in 1917 this paper company made more money than all the newspapers in the Dominion put together.—London Advertiser.

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Bottle Was "Planted."

Before Magistrate Weir in Kitchener police court the charge of having liquor upon his business premises preferred against Louis Nicoloff was withdrawn. The city solicitor stated the police were convinced it was "a put up job," on the accused. The charge arose out of an anonymous phone call to the police station giving the exact location of a bottle of liquor in the cafe of Nicoloff. Upon searching the premises the liquor was found in the place indicated. The accused stated he was innocent of the presence of the liquor and expressed the opinion that an enemy of his had put up a job on him.

CARRICK COUNCIL

Town Hall, Mildmay, March 25, 1918.

Carrick Council met on this date pursuant to adjournment. All the members present. The Reeve in the chair. The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted.

FINANCE REPORT

The following accounts are referred to the Finance Committee, and disposed of as follows:—

Peter Kreitz, gravel acct.	1 80
John Niesen, refund-Statute Labor	3 60
John Huber, refund Stat. Labor Mild. Gazette, 1000 assessment schedules 100 audtrs. reports	22 00
Tp. of Brant, ½ cost of repairs	1 50
Robertson & McNab, legal advice	1 55
Jos. C. Kraemer, concrete acct.	10 50
J. A. Johnstone, telegraph and telephone, stat. and printg.	2 32
Chas. Buhlman, refund on wrist watch	1 50
Leand. Schwan, grant for soldr	5 00
M. Filsinger, 1 mtg., 1 dy R & B	5 25
J. Montag, 1 mtg., 1 dy R & B	4 00
A. Lewis, 1 mtg.	2 75
C. Wagner, 1 mtg., 1 dy. R & B	4 00
S. Juergens, 1 mtg.	2 75

L. Buhlman asked for the usual grant to the Mildmay Spring Show.

Wagner—Lewis—That the sum of twenty-five dollars be granted to the Mildmay Spring Show. The motion was carried.

Montag—Juergens—That two days be allowed for man and team, instead of three days Statute Labor, as was allowed last year, and that $1.25 per day be charged to those commuting Statute Labor in this township.—Carried

By-laws, Nos. 7, 8, and 9 were read a first time.

Juergens—Wagner—That by-laws Nos. 7, 8, and 9 be now read a second and third time and third time and finally passed—Carried,

The Mildmay Red Cross Society sent a delegation to ask Council for a grant to assist in their work.

Arthur Lewis moved a grant of seventy-five dollars.

Wagner—Juergens—That the sum of fifty dollars be granted to the Red Cross Society.—Carried.

Juergens—Wagner—That the Reeve be authorized to take all necessary steps to defend the action of Inglis and Darling, recutting down trees on con. B., Carrick—Carried.

Montag—Juergens—That this council do now adjourn to meet again on Monday the 27th day of May next as a Court of Revision, and for the transaction of general business.—Carried.

Caustic Soda

Just arrived another lot of Caustic Soda in Bulk.

Apples

A fresh supply of Northern Spies.

Olives

(Large Jars.) (Libby's)

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Ladies' Waists

White Silk Waists, all sizes, made in newest style, special $1.25.

New stock of White Voille Waists, just in, ranging from $1.50 to $4.25 each.

Mercerized Voille

New stock of Mercerized Voille, in Black, Navy Sky and Pink at 50cts. per yard.

Ladies Dark Brown Cashmere Hose special at 59cts. per pair.

Spring Dress Goods

Foulard in newest patterns and shades at 50cts. a yard.

Tussah Silk, a very beautiful and dressy fabric, special at 95cts. a yard.

Get our price on raw silk, (extra good quality)

Curtainettes & Scrims

Some new curtainettes and scrims just in ranging from 19c to 60c.

Children's Hose

Children's Cotton Ribbed Hose, sizes 5 to 10, special 25cts. a pr.

Ladies' Hose

Ladies' Black Cashmerette Hose at 35 cts. a pair.

Pure Food Grocery

You will find the work of a Dollar at our store something wonderful. We keep down the price and keep up the quality.

Specials in Roasted Coffee at 25c., 30c. and 40 cts. a lb.
A good Black Tea at 40cts. a lb.
Jelly at 20cts. per jar, Orange Marmalade (large size jar) 25cts.
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NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that Mary King of Chesley, Ontario, wife of Thomas Andrew King, will apply to the Parliament of Canada at the next Session thereof for a Bill of Divorce from her husband, Thomas Andrew King, on the ground of adultery and desertion.

DATED at Chesley, Ontario, this 9th day of March, 1918.

C. J. MICKLE,
Solicitor for Applicant.

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FELL FROM MOTOR TRUCK

Mr. John Kuntz, formerly of Walkerton, was victim of a Fatal Accident at Kitchener on Monday

Walkerton people were shocked by the sad news on Tuesday that Mr. John Kuntz, a former well-known and respected citizen had met his death accidentally at Kitchener. Mr. Kuntz was moving to another house in Kitchener on Monday and was seated on a motor truck, standing some of the furniture, when the chair he was sitting on jolted backwards, as the load crossed the sidewalk, and he thrown to the ground, slightly upon his head. He was picked up in an unconscious condition, concussion to the brain having resulted. The accident took place about five o'clock in the evening and at one o'clock a. m. he passed away.

Mr. Kuntz was born at Formosa fifty years ago last September. He lived on the farm until fifteen years ago, when he bought the Central Hotel, Walkerton, which he conducted for a number of years, selling to the present proprietors. He then engaged in livestock shipping and for a time was in partnership with Mr. J. J. Zettler. In October 1916 he bought a large florist business at Kitchener and removed to that city. Recently he had disposed of that business and was living retired. Mr. Kuntz was a successful business man and amassed a considerable estate. He was generous, straightforward, genial, and made friends wherever he went. His many old friends here mourn his untimely taking-off in the very prime of manhood, and have the deepest sympathy for the bereaved family in their shocking loss. Besides his widow, who was formerly Miss Montag, he leaves a family of five, all at home. They are; Irene, Melinda, Teresa, Hilda and Harry. His brothers and sisters are Ex-Reeve Ed. C. Kuntz of Culross, David of U. S., Wm. and Michael of Formosa Mrs. Schumacher, Mrs. Jos. Hinsperger, and Mrs. Geo. Diemert of Kitchener, and Mrs. John Diemert of Toronto.

The funeral will take place at Kitchener on Friday.

Important Meeting

A meeting of the Horticultural Society will be held at the Agricultural Office on Monday afternoon with a view to encouraging greater production. Everyone of the 80 members of the society is urged to come.

John Cahoon Sells Farm

Mr. James Monahon, of Brant, has bought for his sons the John Cahoon farm, con 8, Brant, consisting of 100 acres for $7,000. The property is the old Cahoon homestead and adjoins the farm which Mr. Jim Cahoon sold last month to Mrs. L. Dietrich. The owner, Mr. John Cahoon, has been living in Toronto for a number of years.

For Sale

A Wagon, buggy, and fanning mill screens, for sale by R. H. McKay, Walkerton, Ont.

Auction Sale

Of Farm Stock and Implements on lot 3, con. 14, Carrick, on Monday, April 15th at 2 o'clock. John Purvis, auct., Theo Loos and Frank Riech, proprietors.

Old Schedule Again

The Grand Trunk will restore its old train service on or about the 28th inst. That good news was received in letters to Town Clerk Collins from the G. T. R. and from the Railway Board.

Of Special Interest To Ladies

Mr. Fletcher of McElroy Mfg. Co., Toronto, will be at Stephan Bros on Wednesday, April 17th, with newest models of summer gowns and dresses, prepared to take special orders. His big range of high class models will be worth seeing.

Moving to Town

Mr. Jim Cahoon, of Con. 6, Brant, who recently sold his farm, and disposed of his valuable stock by auction, has come to town to live. He has rented a house from Mr. John A. McKinnon in the West Ward and is moving in this week. Mr. Cahoon's plans for the future are not definite but he intends to let the other fellows do a bit of the heavy work this summer and take a trip West.

The I.O.D.E. Contest

The Daughters of the Empire are very grateful to the women of the town and country for their work during the contest in March. Mrs. Sieveright being the successful Captain. The result is as follows;—158 suits Pyjamas, 246 Night shirts, 80 Grey Hospital shirts, 865 Handkerchiefs, 43 Stretcher cases, 25 Binders, 23 Many Tailed Bandages, 33 Ties, 59 Head Bandages, 173 Personal Property Bags, 17 wash cloths. Valued at $1056.55. Elizabeth Truax, Sec'y.

Death of Mrs. McCurdy

The death occurred at Grandora, Sask., on Good Friday night, March 29th, of Mrs. Annie McCurdy, a former respected resident of Walkerton. Mrs. McCurdy, who was in her 64th year, had not enjoyed very good health since an accident six years ago, when she fell in the cellar breaking her arm. Her taking off was very sudden, death being due to heart failure. Mrs. McCurdy had been making her home with her bachelor sons, J. L. at Grandora, and J. J. and Richard at Coleville, Sask. She was very devoted to her family and to the three boys their sudden loss is a very sad one. The remains were brought home to be interred in the Cemetery in North Brant. The funeral, which was held on Monday, was conducted by Rev. Father Hoffarth. The pall-bearers were old neighbors of North Brant:—Hugh Ferguson, Anthony McCurdy, John Driscoll, Michael Driscoll, Peter McGarity, Patrick McGarity.

NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Read the ads.

Trade follows the ad.

Syrup Season is over.

Boost the town you live in.

Be loyal to your own community.

For the best farm shoes go to Ramsey's Shoe Store

Mr. H. E. Truax was in Toronto on business this week.

Mr. P. Bremner was in Barrie on business the past week.

Prin. and Mrs. Morgan spent a few days at Toronto last week.

Toronto's new Union Station may be ready by Exhibition time.

Mrs. M. J. Ramsey returned home last week from the Hospital.

Miss Estelle Schumacher returned home this week from Detroit.

Cushionette Shoes need no breaking in, sold at Ramsey's Shoe Store.

Regal on your shoes means quality in them. Sold at Ramsey's Shoe Store.

Mrs. Jos. Lindsay and Miss Mary spent Sunday with friends at Chesley.

We have a full stock of Dr. Scholes foot appliances. Ramsey The Shoeman.

A food bulletin says, "Buy your food with thought" Huh! Try it on the butcher.

Miss Flo Courier, accompanied by Mildred McCannell, left for Toronto this week.

Dr. Reed's Cushion Sole Shoes, the Easiest Shoe on Earth, sold at Ramsey's Shoe Store.

Miss Mabel Grainger left this week to visit her aunt, Mrs. E. A. Smith at St. Thomas.

Miss Hilda Reddon has resigned her position as operator at the local telephone exchange.

Mr. J. E. McGregor, the local Overland dealer has sold a Model 90 to the Walkerton Egg & Dairy Co.

Master Keyworth Sutton arrived home on Monday from a visit at Mrs. Charles Dopher's, Palmerston.

Mr. and Mrs. James T. Clancy spent Sunday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Clancy, Cargill.

Mrs Andrew Bauman has returned home from Kitchener Hospital where she underwent an operation successfully.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D Lamont arrived home on Saturday from spending the Easter vacation at Brussels and New Hamburg.

Mrs. Watson, who has been here for several weeks during the illness of her brother, Mr. Montague Buffam, returned home to Elgin, Ont.

Miss Lizzie Hunziger, who has been home at Chepstow since the death of her sister, Mrs. Barney Weaver, returned to Kitchener this week.

Cultivate the vacant lots everywhere against the threatened food shortage. The Canadian wheat crop is needed at the front and Canadians at home are willing to sacrifice wheat flour or any other necessary that the soldier might be fed. Be a garden sport and dig for your country's good.

Local news on every page.

Women's stylish new high top shoes at Ramsey's Shoe Store.

"Eliza Comes to Stay" April 19th. Proceeds in aid of the Hospital.

Miss Annie Fletcher of Tiisonburg is visiting Miss Florence Cunningham.

Plan opens for "Eliza Comes To Stay" opens next Tuesday, April 16th.

The adjourned Vestry Meeting of St. Thomas Church will be held Monday night.

Lieut. Vic McKechnie, formerly of the 160th, is now in France with the 44th Batt'n.

Mrs. Robert Irwin attended the funeral of her cousin, the late Harry Hamilton at Ripley on Thursday.

Mrs. Atkey, who has been suffering from pneumonia at the County Hospital is reported to be very much improved.

Mrs. W. J. F. Ross and little daughter, Greta, of Forest spent a few days this week with Mrs. Ross' parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. McKay.

Miss Selina Addley had her hand badly injured in the factory at Toronto where she has been working and is now recuperating at her home here.

Mr. W. Cayley, G. T. R. Supervisor of Bridges & Buildings, and Mr. R. Davey of Palmerston, Supt. of Tracklaying, were here on business Tuesday.

Mrs. Joseph Banham from Everton, Eramosa, who has been visiting her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Tolton returned to her home on Tuesday.

Mr. E. H. Leeson has rented Mr. D. Robertson's house on Cayley street in which Mr. Geo. Walker C. P. R. conductor has been residing and will move there shortly.

Walkerton Amateur Dramatic Club will present "Eliza Comes to Stay" at the Opera House, Friday, April 19th. Secure your seats early. Orchestra in attendance.

Arthur Mayne, the G. T. R. painter who was badly hurt by a fall from a scaffold at Dunkeld Station last week, is doing fine and expects to leave the County Hospital in a couple of weeks.

Mrs. E. W. Garner, who has been laid up for some time with a broken ankle, has so far recovered that she is able to move about the house with crutches, and expects to be out for the first time two months from now.

Messrs. Albert and Jacob Tschirhardt left on Friday for Walpole, Sask., where they will start the Spring work on Mr. Jacob Tschirhardt's newly bought farm. The latter expects to return to Ontario in about six weeks.

Capt. Howes of Listowel has been in town the last few days on behalf of the Salvation Army, making the self-denial appeal. The S. A. is doing an immense war work in Flanders as well as maintaining its various other activities.

Mr. W. G. Cheshire has leased Mr. Jos Ruetz's house on Bilkey's Hill on Durham St. West and removed there this week. License Inspector White is preparing to move this week into the house he bought from Mr. Cheshire. The house Mr. White is vacating is to be occupied by the owner, Mr. Thomas Darling, who will move back to town from Carrick next week.

A Stealing Charge

A Russian Jew was brought down from Southampton on Tuesday to be tried here on a charge of stealing scrap iron from an old sawmill of the Kneehtel Furniture Co'y. He was brought before Judge Greig, pleaded not guilty, and remanded for trial on April 29th. The prisoner claims he bought the iron from boys. The metal was shipped from Southampton by Grand Trunk but the authorities had it stopped at Palmerston.

Flat to Rent

Every convenience. Apply to C. Patrick.

Sold Her Farm

Mrs. Holderness has sold her farm along the river in Brant to Mr John Forsythe of Greenock for $3800.

Giving up Position.

Miss Gertrude Eckel has resigned her position as bookkeeper for the Kneehtel Furniture Co'y owing to the illness of her mother. Her place is being taken by Miss Retha Schwindt who will be assisted by Miss Anna Weiler.

Agent At Durham

Mr. S. D. Croft, who was G. T. R. agent here for several years, has been appointed agent at Durham. Mr. Croft was travelling freight agent until recently, when the position was done away with owing to war conditions.

Removing To Toronto

Mr. George Walker who has been a popular conductor on C.P.R here for several years, is leaving on the 15th, for Toronto where he and his family will make their home. Mr. Walker's new run will be from Toronto to Teeswater. His successor here has not yet been named.

Leaving For Farm

A social gathering was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. Ellinghausen one evening last week, prior to Mr. Ellinghausen leaving to work his newly-acquired 150 acre farm near Riversdale, when some of their numerous friends met to give them a send-off. Owing to illness, Mrs. Ellinghausen will remain in town for the present.

Bob Turner Wedded

A letter from Overseas this week announced that on March 27th, Sergt. Robert Turner, would take to himself a bride The name of the young lady was not mentioned. Bobbie has been in the Hospital in England for some time after a long spell in the trenches. At present he is doing light duty at Seaford. His old chum, Walter Pitt, was to be best man at the interesting function.

Ed. Ernest Wounded

Mr. Alex Ernest had an official telegram on Thursday stating that his son, Ed., had received a gunshot wound in the thigh and was in the Australian Military Hospital at Rouen. Ed. is one of the first boys from the 160th to be wounded. He went to France with a draft from the Bruce Batt'n to the 2nd Pioneers which went direct from Walkerton early in 1916 and had been at the Front nearly two years.

A War Souvenir

Ex-Reeve Robt. Russell received a unique war souvenir this week from his son Jim, who has been in England on leave from the trenches. He writes that he made it himself in his spare time. Jim first made a miniature brass helmet out of the end of a shell and then by a clever bit of work turned it into an inkstand, bullets being used for legs, and a shell nose for the ink well. Mr. Russell has now quite a collection of War relics sent home from time to time by his four sons Overseas.

Mrs. Grainger's Funeral

The funeral of the late Mrs. John Grainger was held from her late residence, West Ward, on Friday afternoon to the Walkerton cemetery. Service was conducted in the home and at the grave by Rev. R. Perdue, rector of St. Thomas Church. Those present from a distance, included:—Horace Grainger B. A. of the Faculty of Education Staff, Toronto; Capt. (Dr.) John on special service in Canada; Sergt. Walter Grainger of the R. F. C., Texas; Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Richardson of Kitchener; Thomas Grainger of Markdale; Mayor H. M. Wright of Aylmer. A. R. Wright of Port Burwell; Mrs. E. A. Smith of St. Thomas. Many floral tributes adorned the casket. The pall-bearers were:—Messrs Arther Collins, W. H. McBurney, T. E. Attwood, R. Lee, O. McConnell, C. H. Rogers.

Norman Hiscox Promoted

Mr. Norman Hiscox, who has been C. P. R. Agent here the past six years, has been advanced a step up. Mr. Hiscox goes to Toronto this week to take the position of travelling auditor. His new place bears the same position in railroading as the inspector does in our banking system. He will be connected with the audit department at Montreal and will live at Toronto. This week he visited the city and rented a house at West Toronto to take possession May 1st. He is offering his property for sale. It is six years since Mr. Hiscox came here as agent and he has been a popular, courteous and obliging official. The Baptist Choir, the Masonic Lodge, and the Bowling Club are among the organizations that will suffer by his removal. His many friends here feel that a young man of Norman's ability is bound to step along.

CHILDREN'S AID WORK

Will be Organized in Bruce on Thorough Scale by Newly Appointed Agent, Mr. T. H. Elliott

Mr T. H. Elliott, the newly appointed Children's Aid Agent for Bruce County, arrived here on Friday. Mr. Elliott comes highly recommended by Prov. Supt. J. J. Kelso. He is a young man who has had several years of valuable experience in the work, and has a fund of energy and enthusiasm for the undertaking that promises well for the future of Children's Aid work in Bruce. In those counties where an Agent has given his whole time to the work, the Children's Aid Society has performed a public service which is widely recognized and appreciated. The possibilities of the service that a thorough organization in Bruce could accomplish with an active trained worker such as Mr. Elliott, are very great, and Mr. Elliott is very much impressed with the prospects. The hearty co-operation of the County Council and of citizens throughout the County will be of course needed. Local branches of the Society, will be formed in the various municipalities as has been done in other organized counties. Mr. Elliott's idea is not to fill the local Shelter with children. The children are placed in good foster homes as soon as possible. This will mean keeping in close touch with the farmers throughout the County. Mr. Elliott was in the Children's Aid work for several years at Ottawa. For the past two years he has been at Detroit, doing social service work among the employees of the Ford Motor works for Mr. Henry Ford.

Dr. Fraser Coming Home

A cable received here from Lieut Col. (Dr.) J. J. Fraser D.S. O. on Sunday stated that he is sailing for Canada. Dr. Fraser has been Overseas ever since the beginning of the war and has shown remarkable endurance to stand the steady grind as long as he has.

Deal Fell Through.

Owing to a hitch in making the transfer the deal between Mr. Joseph Whitehead and Mrs. L. Dietrich for the sale of her farm in Brant has fallen through. Mrs. Dietrich recently purchased Jas Cahoon's farm and as she has three sons at home, proposes to keep both farms.

House Burned Down

The home of Mr. Ed. McKelvie, South Line, Brant, took fire Wednesday morning and burned to the ground. There was a strong wind blowing and the dry frame burned quickly. The origin of the fire is a mystery. It is supposed to have started in the side-kitchen but there was no fire in the stove at the time. The women were in another part of the house when it caught and the flames got quite a headway before they were noticed. Farmers along the line hurried to the scene in autos and rigs in answer to the phone call and there were soon fifty people on the scene but their best efforts couldn't save the building, which was burnt down to the foundation. Quite a lot of the furniture was saved. The loss on the building which was a storey and a half frame structure, was mostly covered by insurance in the Formosa Mutual Co.

Bowling Club Re-organizes

The annual meeting of the Walkerton Bowling Club was held on Friday evening April 5th. The Secretary-Treasurer reported a small deficit in the general fund but the very successful tournament held on Labor Day by fifty-six rinks from various parts of Western Ontario, has enabled the club to meet all expenses and leave a balance on the right side. The expenditure included a donation of $30 to the Daughters of the Empire. $50 was also paid to the Walkerton Women's Hospital Aid in return for the refreshments provided by the ladies at the tournament. The members of the club desire to express their appreciation of the kindness and courtesy extended by the ladies to themselves and their guests which contributed so largely to the pleasure of the occasion. Notwithstanding the call to back yard and vacant lot production which the bowlers, with other citizens, responded to, time was found for many enjoyable evenings at the game of Armada fame. Among interesting events of the season were the winning of the Keystone Trophy by T. Pye's rink at Southampton and the first prize in the Consolation won by A. P. Sieveright's rink in the local tournament. The following officers were elected for the year:—Hon. Pres., E. McConnell; Pres. H. G. Hunter; Vice Pres., H. A. Stephan; Sec'y-Treas., C. S. Stephan; Managing Committee; G. T. Rourke, A. P. Sieveright, T. Pye, A. E. McNab, J. Clancy, C. H. Rogers and the officers above mentioned.

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CITY GIRLS AS FARMERETTES

Editor Telescope:—

As we are in the spring of the year, and nearing seeding time, we are having this greater production cry pounded in our heads and ears, through the newspapers, from every pulpit, and through all the rural schools, till we are so fully filled up with it that we can fully express our opinions on it.

As a farmer's daughter, and working on the farm ever since I was able to work. The city girl is going to increase production in a different way than we understand to do it. They are not to do any pitching. Can a man draw in alone? Has not the hired help to take the half man's place? If not, what do we want it for? The farmer's daughter has to take this work on her shoulders. It is not too hard for her.

They are not to hoe or scrub. As a farmer's daughter, I have worked all day in a dazzling heat, and then came in after six and milked the cows and scrubbed the floor. The city girls are to do none of this. What are they going to do? Sit in the hammock, and play the piano? We need no visitors like that. Now-a-days time is too precious for us.

To increase production you must pitch and hoe. The farmers have all tried to do their best, when the cost of living is so high, and I know they will do the same this year.

I take great interest in reading the letters the farmer's wives and daughters take in their own rights.

The city folk look upon the farmer's wives as not much account anyway; their work is to raise more hogs, pitch, hoe, and everything that is the "half-man's" part. They never grow tired with the house work and milking cows, after a hard day's work in the field. We have somewhat the same experience as a preacher who was out for dinner, and had rabbits of all kinds dished up to him, and when asked to say the blessing, said: "Rat-bits hot, rabbits cold, rabbits tender and rabbits tough, thank God we have had enough."

—OTTER CREEK COUNTRY MAID.

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RULES FOR THE MOTORIST

Now that the automobile season is about here again the following hints may be of some use to drivers:

Drive carefully at street intersections particularly when entering a main thoroughfare. The great majority of accidents happen at street intersections.

At street intersections, a motor car approaching from your right hand side has the right-of-way.

In the presence of danger, there is no right-of-way. It is your duty to prevent an accident under any circumstances.

Reckless driving is always illegal no matter what speed.

The majority of fast drivers have nothing to do when they get there. They are menace to themselves, to those whom they pass, and a nuisance to the people who reside along the road.

When you meet a vehicle, pass on the right; when you overtake one pass on the left.

Do not change speed or direction suddenly. Indicate your intention by holding your hand up if you wish to stop and to the side if you are going to turn. There is usually a car behind you.

Pedestrians who have started to cross a street at a reasonable distance from an approaching motor car, have the right to do so at the pace of an ordinary walk, and the motorist has no right to compel pedestrians to rush or run for safety by the insolent blowing of the horn.

Slacken speed when approaching pedestrians, blow the horn if thought necessary to warn them, but permit them to cross the street in safety at a reasonable pace. Remember there are old people, invalids and children.

When on a street of small houses and large families, and the family principally in the street, especially after school hours, drive slowly. A child is not responsible under the law. You are.

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THE PASSING OF COURTSHIP

This is the age of quick decisions. Indeed, none of us, even when it comes to the most trivial things (in which we might indulge in the pleasure of indecision), can afford to daily waste time. We must decide instantly and pass on, or we are lost.

Thus it happens that courtship, that most beautiful period in the lives of two human beings, has become sadly encroached upon; until, indeed, it is doubtful that there is any of it left. We meet, we love, we telephone for the necessary official, we marry. To linger on old sofas, to swing on rustic gates, to walk in shady lanes, is no longer the lot of man. The lovers' quarrel is too great a luxury. It has been trimmed down to practically nothing. The good-bye kiss, that former lingering joy, is now a hasty, an abrupt affair of concentrated seconds. Hand-holding is a memory.

Time was, when every young man served his apprenticeship at learning to love. His sighs, his awkwardness, his intense bashfulness, all had to be gradually overcome by a series of self-taught steps. Now a few evenings at the "movies" and the veriest tyro becomes a past master. He meets the girl, grabs her in approval fashion and along the lines of the highest efficiency, kisses her passionately, and the whole affair is settled.

Even in these circumstances, however, courtship might be possible after marriage; for there has been no time to get acquainted with one's wife. The great difficulty, however, is that, even after marriage, no one sees one's wife any more. How can anyone court a woman who is always out of sight?

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INQUIRER'S COLUMN

For solution of social, financial matrimonial and other difficulties write the editor. Please write on one side of paper only. For business or individual addresses, send stamped addressed envelopes for reply.

(1) Dear Editor;—In the present war will the Allies win; will the Germans win; or will it be a draw?

E. I.—Yes.

(2) Dear Editor:—What treatment would you suggest for my freckles? They are large and brown and numerous.

Ed.—According to your description they are doing very well, thank you, and you needn't do any more for them.

(3) Dear Sir; I am afflicted with dandruff. Is this sufficient to reject me for military service?

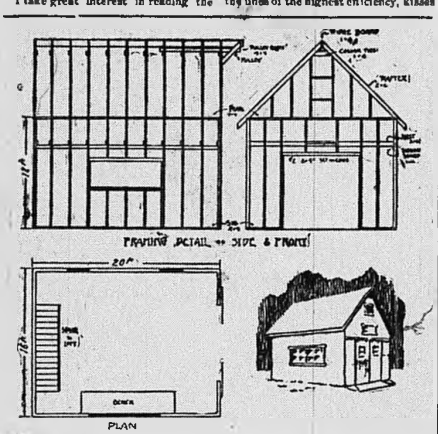
Ed.—It is, provided you have a few acres of land with it.

(4) Dear Editor;—What difference will there be between this year's spring hats and those of last year?

El.—We would judge about ten dollars.

(5) Dear Editor;—You answered my last questions so satisfactorily I thought I would try again. Here it is. In entering the theatre or a cafe, should the lady lead the gentleman?

El.—You don't have to lead them. They will drag you in.



Plan of a Handy and Inexpensive Workshop Which May Be Built by Any Farmer. See Accompanying Article for Details.

COLTS ARE PROFITABLE

When Fed and Cared For According to the Best Practice.

TO BUILD FARM WORKSHOP

Full Directions With Plans and Bill of Materials—They Will Appeal to the Farmer Who Does His Own Repairing.

(Contributed by Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.)

THE FIRST WINTER is a critical time in the life of a colt. The care and attention he receives during this period determines, to a great extent, his future usefulness. If he be poorly fed, neglected, and allowed to become thin and weak, it is probable he will never be as good or valuable an animal as he would have been under more favorable circumstances. He, in the first place, should be provided with warm, comfortable and well ventilated quarters; and, while he should be taught to lead, and stand tied, it is much better if he have a roomy stall to stand in.

The next question is: "What, and how much should he be fed?" In our opinion there is little danger of overfeeding at this age. While there are exceptions, it is usually safe to give a weanling all he will eat, provided he gets regular exercise, but it must be understood that he should not be given more than he will eat. It is a mistake to keep food before him all the time. He should, with apparent relish, eat all that is given him, in at most 1½ hours, and then will be ready for the next meal when the time arrives.

It is not easy to say just how much feed a colt of a given age and size should consume, but the attendant, if a careful and observant man, will soon be able to determine the quantity to be given at each meal, and be able to give sufficient without waste. Hay and oats should be the food upon which to depend for growth, both of muscle and bone. If other grain than oats be given we will take back what we have said about "there being little danger of over-feeding." All food should be of first-class quality. Well-saved clover is the best kind of hay, but where this cannot be got, well-saved Timothy makes a good substitute. Hay should be fed in the necessary quantities three times daily, and we prefer whole, to cut hay for such young animals.

The manner in which oats should be fed will admit of argument. In our opinion, and experience, rolled oats that have been scalded and allowed to become cool, and that they thrive on such. The practice of mixing a ration of rolled oats and a little wheat chaff or cut hay, in a pail, pouring some boiling water on it, covering and allowing it to stand for a few hours before feeding, gives excellent results.

The morning's meal can be prepared in the evening, and the evening's meal in the same vessel in the morning, the noon-day meal being either dry rolled or whole oats. In addition to hay and oats the colt should be given a carrot or two with the noon meal, and a feed of bran, either damp or dry, at least twice weekly. This may be extra, or in lieu of oats, as is indicated by the apparent requirements of the colt.

His feet require attention. The wear is usually not sufficient to keep them in proper shape, the toes grow long and the heels deep and narrow, and the wall turns inwards below the quarters. If this be not corrected or prevented, permanent harm may result. The feet should be carefully examined at least once monthly and dressed to as near the normal size and shape as possible by the use of a shoeing smith's knife and rasp.

The stall should be cleaned out at least once weekly.—J. H. H., Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph.

A Farm Workshop.

The progressive farmer recognizes the need of a small building where he can overhaul, paint and repair his farm equipment in the most expeditious manner. Such a building must be compact and conveniently arranged with a floor space that will accommodate any of his larger machines.

The floor should be of concrete to stand the wear and tear. In making the floor it will be necessary to place the anchor bolts, to which the sill is fastened, before the concrete has set.

The work bench, forge and heater must be so placed that the centre of the floor is left clear, but the bench and anvil must be well lighted. The placing of the long window will depend upon which side of the shop receiving the best light.

Stairs lead through a trap-door to the loft, where the lumber, etc., is stored. This loft is lighted with a window at each end but it also has a small door at the front, on a level with the floor.

Material Required to Build Shop.

	No. of Pieces	Thickness Inches	Width Inches	Length Feet	No. Board Feet
Sides	4	2x4	16	14	298
Plate and sill	4	2x4	16	14	298
Rafters	22	2x4	16	14	821
Joists	11	2x4	16	14	176
Studding	42	2x4	16	14	672
Gables	4	2x4	16	14	44
Openings	4	2x4	16	14	44
Ribbon board	2	2x4	16	14	22
Collar ties	3	2x4	16	14	33
Pulley block	1	4x4	8	12	11
Flooring.					
4/4 matched	..	..	..	..	2000
Drop siding	..	..	..	..	1100
Roofing					
Shiplap shingles, B. C. XXX. 6,000	..	..	..	..	600
Trim	..	1x6	..	..	200
Lining.					
Or matched	..	..	..	..	1600
Nails and spikes.					
4 in	16 lbs.	2½ in	..	40	lbs.
3 in	16 lbs.	2½ in	..	32	lbs.

NEWS TOPICS OF WEEK

Important Events Which Have Occurred During the Week.

The Busy World's Happenings Carefully Compiled and Put Into Handy and Attractive Shape for the Readers of Our Paper — A Solid Hour's Enjoyment.

TUESDAY.

Germany has served notice on Russia that Red Guards must leave Finland.

Geo. Duncan was charged in Brantford Police Court with the murder of his half-brother, Alfred Isaacs.

London Electric Co. shut off its power at midnight, leaving fifteen hundred consumers without light.

The threatened strike of miners and steel workers of the Nova Scotia Steel & Coal Co. has been averted.

The city of Sebastopol is threatened with capture by Turks and Kurds marching from opposite directions.

Rioting occurred again in Quebec last night, firing taking place by both civilians and soldiers. Four civilians were killed.

The trustees of Columbia University have decided to confer the degree of Doctor of Laws on the Archbishop of York.

The customs revenue collected at the port of Montreal in March, 1918, fell $424,266.27 short of the collections in March, 1917.

During the past few weeks not less than six million dollars' worth of liquor has been shipped from Montreal to various parts of Ontario.

The steamship Celtic, one of the big White Star liners, has been torpedoed by a German submarine. Efforts are being made to get her to port.

The London & Port Stanley Railway has been permitted by the Railway Board to raise its freight rates on coal by 15 cents a ton and its passenger rate by 15 per cent.

Five passengers clinging to the rear step of an overcrowded street car in Toronto were injured during the rush hour last night when they collided with a standing motor truck.

Hon. G. H. Boivin, Deputy Speaker of the House of Commons, told the Knights of Columbus that the people of Quebec as a whole deplored the action of those in Quebec who sought to set law at defiance.

WEDNESDAY.

Quebec city last night was quiet. The State of Indiana went "bone dry" at midnight.

Mayor Frederic Martin was re-elected in Montreal by a majority of 7,270 over Controller Ainey.

James and Stanley Wood, aged 11 and 10, were drowned while fishing in the Thames river near Chatham.

The Daylight-saving Bill was passed in committee in the House of Commons and stands for third reading.

Toronto will have a tag day to raise funds for the entertainment of the furlough men of the First Contingent.

Robert Heyworth, 14 years of age, was shot and instantly killed in Owen Sound by Jack Tizzard, who was firing at a bird.

Massachusetts is now supporting the Federal prohibition movement. The State Senate has ratified the prohibitory amendment.

Two houses were destroyed by fires in Fairbank last night, with city brigades unable to give assistance on account of bad roads.

Flight Lieut. C. K. Wilson, of Toronto, was killed in an airplane accident in England, according to a cable received by his parents.

The eighth long-range bombardment of Paris began at 10.10 o'clock yesterday, when a projectile exploded in the region of the city.

The Reid Wrecking Co., with drydock and shipbuilding plant at Port Huron, will merge with the Foundation Company of New York.

Exchange of the instruments of ratification of the peace treaty concluded between the Central Powers and Russia took place on March 30.

Credits to the allies by the United States in the last year were raised to-day to more than $5,000,000,000 by a loan of $200,000,000 to Great Britain.

Delegates of the G.E.A. had severe criticism for the Department of Education, claiming that local authorities are unable to adopt the system to local needs.

The Ontario Educational Association convention was formally opened last night with the address of the president, Dean Pakenham of the Faculty of Education.

The big White Star liner Celtic, which was torpedoed a day or two ago while on a voyage to the United States, has reached a British port safely. The Celtic is a vessel of more than 20,000 tons.

THURSDAY.

Bombing of German cities is causing great damage to property.

Armand Lavergne has been debarred from entering St. Roch district of Quebec city.

Oleomargarine regulations were the subject of lengthy and vigorous debate in the Commons.

The steamer Manuana left for Hamilton, opening the navigation season in Toronto harbor.

A neutral observer who has just left Germany says the public begins to believe that offensive is a failure.

The United States will take measures to hasten the operation of the program calling drafts to the colors.

The new regulations for bakeries are reported to be working advantageously to both bakers and customers.

Bernard P. McEnaney, well-known mining man, died suddenly in his apartment on Sherbourne street, Toronto.

Twenty-one returned officers will go in the United States to aid in the third American Liberty Loan campaign.

Chemicals valued at $50,000 that cannot be replaced on account of embargoes were destroyed in a fire in Toronto.

At a meeting of the Central Ratepayers' Association the expenses of Government House upkeep were strongly criticized.

Premier Clemenceau of France gives direct denial to Count Czernin's statement that Austria's terms had been asked for.

Reports of the Quebec rioting from Military Headquarters and from Lt.-Col. Machin were read in the Commons by Premier Borden.

Jennings Forster, of Leamington, ten years old, died in convulsions from ptomaine poisoning through drinking maple syrup out of a rusty pail.

Dr. Horace L. Brittain in his report to the annual meeting of the Bureau of Industrial Research held that public ownership enterprises should be self-supporting.

FRIDAY.

A revolution has broken out in Southern Costa Rica.

Quebec is about normal again, but the military are still in charge.

The Daylight Saving Bill was read the third time in the House of Commons.

Important regulations to prevent food hoarding have been made by the Food Board.

Canada's gold reserve still exceeds by some millions the Dominion notes outstanding.

At a provincial gathering of the Y.M.C.A. a Red Triangle Club campaign was planned to raise funds.

Amazing admissions of pacifism were made by Christadelphians at Hamilton before Mr. Justice Rose.

The Hydro-electric Power Commission has completed the purchase of the Essex County Light and Power Co.

Gen. Pershing has been awarded the Grand Cross of the Order of Leopold, the highest Belgium can bestow.

Major C. M. McLean, of the Royal Artillery, son of Col. McLean, member for Sunbury, Queen's, is reported wounded.

Gen. McDougall, commander of the Canadian Forestry Units, has been decorated with the Cross of the Legion of Honor.

The Provincial Department of Agriculture will co-operate with Ottawa in urging the growing of more flax to meet war demands.

So far about 32,000 men have been drafted under the Military Service Act, the cost of administering which to date has amounted to nearly a million and a half.

W. F. O'Connor, one of the men who has done genuine and disinterested public service, has voluntarily resigned from the post of Cost of Living Commissioner.

The Board of Education for the third time refused to order an investigation into the case of Miss Frieda Held, who was dismissed because she criticised the second verse of "God Save the King."

SATURDAY.

Lord Robert Cecil declares that Count Czernin has shown clearly that he is favorable to Prussian policy and ideals.

Two men held up the staff of the Royal Bank branch at Cote des Neiges, Montreal, and escaped with $5,000 in notes.

Toronto accorded a great welcome to the Archbishop of York, who addressed a capacity audience in Massey Hall last night.

The Provincial Government will appropriate $25,000 to provide extra club quarters for Ontario soldiers in London, England.

King George sent a message of congratulation to President Wilson on the anniversary of the United States' entry into the war.

The Provincial Dairy Conference at Guelph unanimously passed a resolution looking to the formation of a provincial Dairy Committee.

Alfred Jex, of Brantford, died at the Base Hospital, Toronto, of spinal meningitis, having taken ill three days after reporting for service.

Toronto officials and military officers gave a rousing send-off to the twenty-six furlough men who started their return journey to France last night.

Judge Wedderburn of the County Court of St. John, N.B., former Speaker of the Legislature and also ex-Provincial Secretary, is dead, at the age of 84 years.

Aaron Rhondds, British Fuel Controller, in a cable received in Toronto, paid tribute to Ontario's efforts in food production, and urged a continuation of the campaign.

Ernest Decarie, M.P., Robert A. Ross, C.E., Hon. Chas. Marcil, M.P., Arthur Verville, M.P., and Mr. Arnould, City Treasurer, have been appointed by the Provincial Cabinet Commissioners for the city of Montreal.

MONDAY.

President Poincare has refused to pardon Hala Pasha, who will accordingly be executed.

Arrangements are being made for holding peace negotiations between Russian and the Ukraine.

Major Albert Victor S. Nordheimer, Toronto, was reported killed in the present offensive, and his cousin, Roy H. Nordheimer, who reported wounded.

The House, before adjourning in the early hours of Saturday morning, passed in a couple of minutes a war appropriation of five hundred million dollars.

The Canadian Seed-purchasing Commission has in transit for distribution in Eastern Canada 300,000 bushels of high-grade inspected reed oats, to be sold at net cost.

At a spectacular fire on Royce avenue Saturday afternoon, 200,000 gallons of fish containing oil in the Gaieau Steel Gas Co. plant were destroyed, at a loss in excess of $200,000.

Coal prices will remain stationary in Toronto at $9.75 and $10 per ton during the summer months, and normal reductions of over six tons will be reduced by thirty per cent.

The "Father and Son Movement" was inaugurated in Hamilton with special services in a number of churches, and meetings are to be held through this week to further the idea.

The Government has provided $100,000 for a plant to produce fuel from the lignite of Eastern Saskatchewan, and has taken steps towards developing the peat bogs of Ontario.

DAIRY THE FAIR

BOWS NEED SOME MINERAL

Animals Unable to Utilize Small Amount From Ordinary Rations Suggest Early.

It has been definitely proved [illegible] cows which produce a heavy flow of milk are not able to [illegible] sufficient mineral matter from the [illegible] ration to maintain the [illegible] supply of minerals in the body; in other words, more of these mineral elements are given off than the animal obtains from the ration, and the body of the cow is robbed of minerals it wants to supply the deficiency.

In addition to an ordinary ration one ounce of common salt [illegible] daily is sufficient to maintain the proper quantity of sodium and chlorine in a cow producing 45 pounds of milk daily. An ordinary mixed ration supplies sufficient potassium for the need of a high-producing cow. The element calcium or lime appears to be deficient in all cows except those giving a very low milk production.

The deficiency of minerals in a ration had no apparent effect on the amount or composition of the milk. This fact proves that the deficiency is overcome, as far as possible, by mineral elements taken from the body of the cow. While the nitrogenous compounds from alfalfa hay were slightly more digestible than those from clover hay, the nitrogen from clover was equally as valuable, because it was more completely utilized than the NaNO₃ nitrogen. The quantities of nitrogen utilized from clover and alfalfa were therefore practically the same.

LARGEST RECORD FOR

Cow High in Fiesh at Calving Gives Much Richer Milk for a Period Than When Thin.

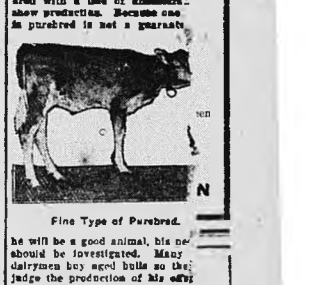
Missouri investigators have found that a cow high in flesh at calving time gives very much richer milk, at some time than would be the case were she thin. This discovery is now made use of by every [illegible] dairy cattle who desires to make the largest possible record for both milk and butter fat production.

Another interesting discovery when a cow is underfed [illegible] rarely she gives richer milk than thinner as might be expected. This is of great importance in connection with making tests of cows, as failure to understand this fact has resulted in wrong conclusions being drawn from many experiments conducted with cows in the past.

FIRM FOUNDATION FOR

No Amount of Feed Will Make a Poor Cow Out of One That Does Not Have Milk Tendency.

Build your dairy breed on a firm foundation. No amount of feed, said a prominent cow out of one that does not inherit a strong tendency to give milk. One must, therefore, be careful in selecting the foundation stock for the herd. The bull should be selected with a line of ancestors of heavy production. Because one is purebred is not a guarantee that he will be a good animal, his ancestors should be investigated. Many dairymen buy good bulls so they can judge the production of his offspring. If good purebred cows cannot be had, use the best grade cows obtainable. It may be said that of production, purebred bulls are, on good cows, the fourth-generation will be equal to purebreds as far as production is concerned.



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Good Milk, Free From Odd Odors, Cannot Be Secured Under Unsanitary Conditions.

The dairyman cannot get good free from odors and fit to sell on city market, when his stables are in an unsanitary condition. When manure is left to pack under the cows feet, mold and rot, the odor is strong that it will contaminate the milk even while it is being drawn from the cow.

COOK FEEDS FOR DAIRY CO

No Advantage in Practice, Even That Some Unpalatable Food May Be Consumed.

There is no advantage in cooking steaming feeds for dairy cows. Some unpalatable feeds may be consumed in larger quantities if cooked, but cooking does not ordinarily add much to the palatability of grains and may even decrease their digestibility.



The Prompt Answer!

IF the habit of *answering promptly when the telephone bell rings* were universal, the saving of time would be enormous.

¶ Few things are more pleasing to telephone users than a prompt and courteous response to a telephone call. In business, the practice of *prompt answering* has been a money maker, for customers appreciate it.

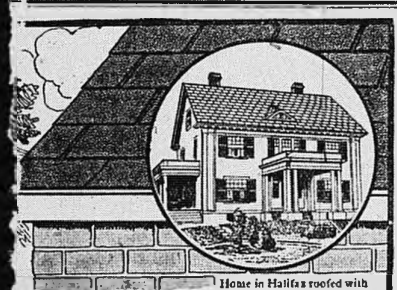
¶ Practice *prompt answering* yourself and make it a rule in your business.

The Bell Telephone Co. of Canada

HOG PRODUCTION

is a matter of the greatest importance Canada should increase her produc- of BACON HOGS and other live stock ere is at present a world-wide short- f meat. Good markets for some time me are assured.

CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE
gladly make loans to assist farmers in d standing to acquire live stock. 341



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For Sale by S. W. VOGAN

NEWSY HAPPENINGS IN BRUCE

Spring.

✣

Visiting cards neatly printed in newest styles of type at the Telescope.

✣

An exchange says that gossips have motor cars beaten to a frazzle when it comes to running people down.

✣

About the best way for some of the soldiers to get their jobs back after the war is, in the opinion of one newspaper, to marry the girls who are holding them.

✣

A Tank battalion is to be raised in Canada for the purpose of running tanks in France. We know a few tanks that could be spared for that purpose.

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The Grain Growers' Guide voices western sentiment in favor of government ownership of railways, and wants all the roads nationalized, including the C. P. R.

✣

The Union Cement Company of Owen Sound has assigned. The assignment was necessitated by reason of coal shortage of the past season which kept the plant idle losing the profits of a season's out-put.

✣

A precenter, getting the intimation: "a sailor going to sea, his wife desires the prayers of the congregation,' gave it as if it were " a sailor going to see his wife desires the prayers of the congregation."

✣

The House of Commons, says the London Advertiser, will do well to remember, that anti-title resolutions, are not merely the whims of the movers and seconders, but the sentiments of the Canadian people.

✣

A Wiarton councillor, Mr. A. W. Baines, was forced owing to holding insurance on the Canada Casket Co. factory to resign from his position as councillor. Mr. S. W. Pope was elected by acclamation to fill his place.

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The Carrick enumerators who prepared the voters list for the federal election on December 17th, were paid for their services as follows:—J. A. Johnston $26; C. Schurter $31, Jno H. Schefter 37.25; Jno Inglis 27.15; Geo. McIntosh 24.20; Thos. Hickling 27.10; B Ruland 32.55; Jno A Hogg 27.00.

✣

Brant Boy Makes Good.

The many old friends in Brant of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Sullivan, now of Dubuque, Colorado, will be glad to hear of the success of their youngest son, Dr. Norman R Sullivan, who has recently been given the rank of Lieutenant Commander in the U. S. Navy and when he sails for France shortly he will be head surgeon of the battleship that carries him. Dr. Sullivan proved a brilliant and persevering student, being graduated from the University of Illinois in 1913 at the head of his class. Shortly after he was sent by the United States Government to Japan and the Philippines to study conditions in the Orient. While in Japan he was present at the coronation of the Empress. Upon returning to United States he was appointed head surgeon at the Great Lakes Naval Training Station, near Chicago. After serving at this station he asked to be relieved and given a detail that would take him to France, where he could be of greater service to his country and where he could get into the thickest of the fray. His request was granted and at latest report he was home on last leave before proceeding Overseas.

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Carrick Pathmasters

The following pathmasters have been appointed in Carrick:—

Geo. Kleffer, John Coyle, J. L. Meyer, John Widshar, C. Bildstein, C. Weiler, Lucas Zettel, Gregor Rich, P. Hukney, Jos. Hoertle, Geo. Schneider, L. Martin, Frank Straus, Bernard Meyer, Joseph Grub, Wendell Schnurr, Jos. Dietrich, Geo. Eickmeier, J. C. Thomson, Chas. Dickison, Hy. Kaufmann, John H. Renwick, Geo. Harkness. Adam St. Marie, Jos. Lorentz, Jos. Vogan, Geo. Harper, Con. Hohnstein, Albert Kehkopf, Henry Fischer, Simon Huber, P. Schumacher, Jacob Schefter, J. H. Thompson, Peter F Diemert, Wm. Wagner, Jos. Dietner, John Vollick, Frank Dahms, John Huber, Rudy Kaufmann, Ezra Reuber, Geo. Haines, Albert Lewis, Jos. Schneider, John Nieson, Ezra Schmidt, F. Gutzke, C. Kunkel, John K. Wahl, Wm. Reuber, Conrad Hill, John Bickel, C. H. Weltz, Frank Schmidt, Wm. Polfuss, John Tegler, Dan Rosswurm, John Witter, Chas. Holland, Chas. Kreuger, John Hogg, Adam Quantz, Louis Hundt, Wm. Roorell, Ed. K. Lippert and Enoch Metzger.

The following poundkeepers were appointed:—A. Opperman, B. Walter, John Kocher, Henry Halter, Louis W. Schaus, P. Hukney, Geo. Eckenswiller and Fred Klages.

Fenceviewers—John M. Fischer, Jos. Hoffarth, L. Kraemer, John Biemann, A. Schmidt, M. Bilger, John Inglis, John W. Helwig, Wm. Polfuss.

Mr. J. Steinmiller of Gorrie was a business visitor in town on Friday last.

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A great many farmers are immigrating from the United States to Western Canada this spring.

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The highest price ever paid for an Angus bull at public auction in Canada was realized at the opening sale on bulls at Calgary last month and was $1,250.00

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We are here to publish the news If you know of any event of interest transpiring in your locality you would confer a favor by letting us know. Our personal columns are always at your command.

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The farmers wives living in the vicinity of Lawrenceport, Indiana, have pledged to the Red Cross all the eggs their hens lay on Sunday. An average of 120 dozen a week or more is counted upon.

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Many authorities believe that the use of cheap hydro electric power in making iron will eventually bring about a commercial revolution in the leading nations and that all industries which consume large amounts of mechanical energy will be forced to emigrate to countries where water power is abundant. What a future there is for Canada when this comes about!

✣

A man was arrested for stealing a cow. He sent for a lawyer, and his letter ran as follows: "Dear Sir.—I am in Jale and the man says I am likely to go to the pen. I did not steal the cowe and I am purfectly innocent. Please gete me out, if it are the last act of your life. This is not a nice place. Please do git me out. I think I can pay yur some day. I did not steel the cowe. Tell the Judge that. And if you get me off free I am willing to do all I can for yur. If yur do I will Give yur the Cowe. - Bill Smith."

✣

Sent 21 Parcels

The Solway Branch of The Bruce Preparedness League No 9 is an organization that does not weary in well doing. During the last three months the women of Solway packed and sent overseas 21 parcels containing 191 pairs of socks, 52 shirts and 8 pairs of gloves.

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A Timely Thought

"There has never yet been a nation that did anything great in the world that was not deeply religious. Men of a praying disposition are to be envied: not because when a man really prays he judges his own conduct, and nothing in it mean or base escapes him, and this stimulates him to honesty and activity. The conviction is borne in on a man that, through the mystery and the darkness, everything is ruled by One most wise and most good; and he learns to say in his heart, "Thy will be done."—Thomas Carlyle.

✣

Jack Wilkes Dead

The celebrated stallion Jack Wilkes sired by Oliver Wilkes, raised by Mr. Clark, Cargill, and purchased many years ago by Mr. Wm. Stewart, of Armow, died on Friday last at the age of 27 years. Jack Wilkes was a snappy little driver and though his stock as a rule were not large they had the power of endurance that many of the large horses did not possess. The show ring is where Jack Wilkes and his family were at their best, and more prizes have been carried away in this section in the driving class by the Wilkes stock than all others put together.—Kincardine Review.

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About Hens And Pigs

They do say that Sir Joseph has his eye on the Yukon, where the sun shines all winter and the hens can be fooled into working double shifts, but they'll get onto him soon enough. All the hens around here are onto him as big as a house, and that is one reason why city people won't keep hens in their backyards. They absolutely refuse to bring up hens foredoomed to work for Sir Joseph. It isn't fair to the consumer. The hen should have some joy of her craftsmanship and the consumer should have, at least, a fighting chance for the eggs. For the same reason city people refuse to keep a pig in the backyard, although a recent order-in-council allows and even encourages the practice. Suppose you had a little pig in your home, Clarence by name or maybe Tillie. You feed him what's left of the bread pudding, the tails of the sirloin steak, the cold potatoes and other eates that are used to furnish the charwoman's lunch of a Wednesday. You stuff him till he is round and rosy, you educate him perhaps, teach him to count up to ten—in a word, twine your heart around him. Then one dark day comes Sir Joseph, pokes him in the ribs, makes him squeal, says "Twenty-two dollars a hundred at the hoof" and ravishes him away. You may be able to do that to a pet pig. I couldn't. If I did I'd never be able to look a sausage in the face again.—H.F.G. in Saturday Night

The machinery of the Owen Sound Imperial Cement Plant is being removed to Syracuse, New York, for a cement plant there.

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In announcing the arrival of Harry Lauder, The Phoenix, a newspaper of Saskatoon, remarks: "Harry Lauder will spend Sunday here, and that's all Harry will spend."

✣

The Owen Sound members of the Retail Merchants' Association have decided to discontinue the credit system and do business on a straight cash basis after the 15th. inst.

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Mr. George Leslie of Eden Mills, has a pure bred Durham cow, that is deserving of special mention in the official despatches. In two months less than two years this cow has given birth to no less than seven calves and four of the youngsters have arrived in the last 11 months plus two days. Mrs Durham first attracted notice in the Eden Mills district in April 1915, when she produced twin calves. In April of the next year a single calf arrived, but on the anniversary of St Patrick's Day in 1917 the cow again became famous by producing another pair of twins, and yesterday just to show her owner that she was no faker, she became the mother of another pair of bouncing baby calves.

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80 ft. of Dam Gone

The Southampton Beacon had the following account of the break in the Power Co's dam, at Southampton, reference to which was made in the Telescope last week:—Last Tuesday about eighty feet of the dam at Denny's bridge, where the power for the Saugeen Electric Light & Power Co. is generated, broke away. The portion gone is composed of the old wooden portion of the dam and a small part of the new cement structure built last fall. Fortunately the coffer dam which was built last summer when the new cement portion of the dam was constructed is in position, and if it holds out the company will get along alright.

✣

A Blind Pig

J. E. Stone, license inspector for South Essex, discovered a blind pig at Tenasse Meloche's farm at Armstrong, Ont., and received one of the surprises of his life. Acting on some hint he and a couple of detectives blew into Mr. Meloche's place, knocked at the door and walked in, telling the surprised man that they understood he was running a blind pig. Mr. Meloche pleaded guilty to having one, but not running it, and, leading the officials out the back door, he escorted them to the barn where he called the pigs up and readily pointed out the animal which was blind as a bat. There being no evidence of any wrongdoing in this respect the inspector and detectives gave him a clear bill and departed.

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SOLDIERS OF THE SOIL

Soldiers of the soil arise, you hear your country's call
To arms to arms, my comrades, should include both great and small
Our mother earth supplies us, and on her we must depend
To aid, to fight for Justice, Freedom so you must assistance lend.
Your work excels all other work, its value can't be told,
What you produce in fools to eat is worth its weight in gold.
Now boys, step nobly to the front, and show what can be done
With plow and hoe, and seeds to sow, the battle's partly won.
Pour out your valour on the soil that waits your human aid,
Strike farmer soldier, show results, and you will be repaid,
The trench you dig will help to win and you will bless the day
God gave you health, desire and strength, a noble part to play.
Your hand is on the throttle now—ahead you go, full steam
You'll make the grade, don't be afraid, altho it hard may seem,
For uphill work will make you strong, to do your duty right,
And its results will help our boys to make a braver fight.
Reward will come for work well done and surely length of days
To men and boys and women—who deserve our utmost praise
Then on the flaming forge of life, we'll let our blows be strong.
We'll into ploughshares beat our swords, with praises loud and long,
When time is ripe we will win, and make our anvil ring
With sturdy blows, we've beat our foes, and then with joy we'll sing
With anthems loud, all will be proud, and feel like bird on wing,
Who soars on high and sings his praise to God, our Heavenly King.

Lt. Col. A. E. Belcher,
President Veterans of 1866.

BACKYARD POULTRY PAY

How Seventy-six Hours Gave a Profit of $58.29.

SUGGESTIONS FOR FARMER

Spraying Material Should Be Ordered Early This Year—Keep the Farming Mill Going—Work In the Dairy, Stable and in the Orchard.

(Contributed by Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.)

HOW A PROFIT of $58.29 was made from twenty-six hens, which turned the table scraps, and $26.13 worth of feed into $84.42 worth of eggs is described in a recent circular of the Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa.

The birds were not selected with a view to the greatest production possible, but rather to the securing of such a flock as any amateur might go out and purchase. The flock consisted of twenty-six birds—four of which were three-year-old Black Leghorn hens, six White Leghorn pullets and one Black Minorca pullet hatched in May, and the balance were crossbreds Black and White Leghorns, hatched in June. They were not put into winter quarters until well on in November, and it was December 7th before the first egg was laid.

How the Flock Was Kept.

An old wood shed about eleven by twelve feet was utilized as a poultry house. In the south side, fifteen inches from the floor a line of windows two feet wide was placed and above these an opening about eighteen inches wide was made across the entire front. In this a frame, covered with light cotton, was hinged. This frame was kept hooked up to the ceiling through the day, except in the severest weather.

Hoppers of oyster shell, beef scraps and dry mash were kept constantly before the flock. The dry mash consisted of bran, middlings and cornmeal, equal parts, one-half part ginger and one-half part blood flour. A deep straw litter was kept on the floor into which all whole grain feed was scattered.

In the morning, mixed grain, usually cracked corn, wheat and oats, equal parts, was given. At the same time warmed water was given. At noon the water was renewed and all the kitchen waste, such as vegetable parings, was fed. Usually at this time a few handfuls of mixed grain were also scattered.

The methods followed were such as almost any city dweller could follow. A very small place for a house and no yard room are required. By buying pullets in the fall and selling them when poultry is high in the early summer the most will be had out of the flock without interfering in any way with either your own or your neighbor's back-yard garden.

Timely Agricultural Suggestions.

Seed grain and root seeds secured from the best sources available and in ample quantities for spring seeding are a most profitable investment at this time of the year. It is not too late to germinate seeds of various kinds of farm crops to determine their suitability for spring seed. A poor seed sown is a seed wasted—and food is too scarce to waste any of it this year.

Plenty of exercise for the breeding animals will insure stronger and more profitable young.

When the work is not too pressing, get the fanning mill busy to ensure a good supply of sound, plump seed grain free from weed seeds. The oftener the seed is put through the fanning mill the larger and plumper the grain will be, and the fewer the weed seeds in it. Always avoid sowing sunken grain and weed seeds—they are about the poorest investment a man can make.

Secure an ample supply of spraying material now. Bluestone will be required for spraying potatoes, iron sulphate for spraying mustard, lime sulphur for the fruit trees and paris green or arsenate of lead for potato beetles and other insect pests. Be sure to secure the supply of formalin for treating seed grain to prevent smutt and for treating potatoes to prevent scab. One pint of Formalin is sufficient to treat from 20 to 30 bushels of grain and the same amount will treat from 40 to 45 bushels of potatoes. Keep the Formalin bottle well corked and do not leave it in a place where it is likely to be frozen.

Securing farm labor will be the great problem in agriculture this year. Write to the Ontario Government Public Employment Bureau, 15 Queen's Park, and also consult your agricultural representative. Put in your order early with these men and you may get the help you require—and without cost.

The ideal temperature in the dairy stable, combined with good air, is between 50 and 60 degrees Fahrenheit. It is a good plan to have a reliable thermometer hanging at some central point in the stable and note the variation in the temperature from day to day. On fine days turn all the cattle outside for an hour in the sunshine. It may mean a little less milk, but it will be paid for in the improvement of the health of the young stock.

The trees in the apple orchard may be scraped down now, so as to make more effective the later spraying of the trunk and the main branches. Egg masses of the Tussock moth, conspicuously white against the dark bark, may be removed by means of a wire brush or hook on a pole.—Ontario Agricultural College Notes.

THE TOWN COUNCIL

Deals with a Lot of Matters More or Less Important At Monday night's Session

The Town Council held its monthly April session Monday night, all members present.

Sticks Up For The Hog

Dr. Porter, Medical Health Officer, suggested that the Council allow citizens to raise pigs to help production. The doctor did not agree with those people who claim that the pig is a filthy animal. It is one of the few domestic animals, he stated, that will not foul its own nest. The Councillors favored pig-raising provided the premises be kept clean but considered it a matter for the Board of Health to deal with. This means that the citizens will likely be given a chance to keep pigs this summer.

Company pays $6000

Town Clerk Collins reported that he had received a cheque from the Knechtel Furniture Co. paying in full the company's indebtedness to the town. The town's mortgage against the factory and plant was ordered to be discharged.

Tax Collector Crawford reported he had collected $28,014.57 and turned it in to the Merchants' Bank.

John Neilly and other citizens, petitioned to have Durham St. from Yonge St. to the Exhibition grounds oiled or sprinkled.

Coun. Lippert said that street oil could not be bought this year at any price and he suggested that the people who wish to have the street in front of their property watered be given a chance to petition the Council. This will be done.

Cut Off Fire Phones

The Fire Underwriters Association wrote that it was quite unnecessary for the Council to maintain phones in private houses for fire protection purposes at Messrs. Arscott's and McGregor's. The Council will thereby contract with the Bell Telephone Co. for phones at the Town Hall and Pumping Station only.

The Hydro Radial Association invited the Council to become a member by forwarding the annual fee of $3 per thousand of population—Fyled.

Tenders for the Exhibition grounds pasture for the coming summer were received as follows:—Thos. McIntee $31 Oliver McConnel $40, Alex George $36, Irwin Bros. $48.

Milk Dealer Warned.

Chief Ferguson reported that he had taken three tests from Dippel's milk wagons and the tests were.— 3.2, 3.2 and 2.9. The test required by the by-law is 3.0. As this is the first time Mr Dippel's test has come below 3, the Council decided not to prosecute but the Chief was instructed to warn him that prosecution would follow the next time the milk was found to be below 3.

Wingefelder and Krueger were the only tenderers for the Bend Pasture They offered $16.

Chief Ferguson and Night Watchman Swanston put in their request for the usual suit of new Uniform.

Mr. Art Wesley asked the Council if they were not going to do something to protect the public against sour milk. He stated that scores of citizens had been complaining about sour milk and he wanted the by-law amended.

Mayor Johnston replied that such a difficulty would soon adjust itself. If a milk dealer had sour milk he wouldn't sell it very long.

Reeve Douglas handed the clerk a communication from the Warden urging that the Council use every effort to increase production this coming summer to raise food for the Allies. Mayor Johnston said he believed probably all the vacant land in town would be used for gardening and he didn't know anything further the Council could do.

Trains To Be On Again

Letters were read from the Railway Board and the G.T.R. in reply to communication for Town Clerk Collins, giving the Council assurance that the train service on the G.T.R. would be increased on or about April 28th.

Nothing Doing, Says C. P. R.

The C. P. R. replied to the Council's petition, which had been sent to the railway company at the suggestion of Mr. D. Robertson, stating that there was no coming in the suggestion to have the C. P. R. local train wait at Saugeen Junction to connect with the mixed train. It would mean that the engine would be idle burning coal at Saugeen all day and it would mean big increase in wages.

High Constable Briggs wrote the Council asking that he be given a list of the County Constables for Walkerton before May 1st. and that any of the present list be added to or cut down as the Council saw fit. On motion of Coun. Lippert and Vogan the names of Constables S. Fisk and Carl McKay were struck off, both having left town.

The tender of Irwin Bros. for the Exhibition pasture and of Wingefelder and Krueger for the Bend pasture were accepted.

NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Visiting cards neatly printed in newest styles of type at the Telescope.

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Plan your garden early. The crop of salad and young onions will soon grace the tables of the thrifty with the warm April showers to make them grow. And a good feed of onions will make you so strong, without any other truck, that you can save money by eating less.

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A very unfortunate accident befell three young cattle belonging to Mr J. H. Wahl on the 10th con last week. During the warm days the animals had been let out of the stables for a little sunning. When three young animals failed to return a search was made and they were discovered in the swamp where they had strayed. They had broken through the ice and were drowned.—Mildmay Gazette.

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Removing To Guelph.

Their many friends in town will regret to learn that Mrs. P. Sweeney and family are leaving Walkerton after many years residence here, to make their home at Guelph. They expect to leave before the end of the present month.

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A Near-Fire.

What might have provec a serious fire was started by some mischievious children playing in a vacant lot in the west Ward on Friday afternoon. The dead grass in the lot got going and the wind fanned the flame until the fence caught. The flame s nearly reached Granger's barn, when they were got under control by some men who happened along.

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Still Receiving Trinkets

The Trinket Fund Committee wishes to remind the public that they are still receiving trinkets of gold and silver, also brass, copper, lead etc. These can be left at Mrs. Gronenbach's, Mrs. Wife's or Mrs. Warren's, or leave word with them and they will see that they are collected, as they wish to send another box away in the beginning of June.

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Canadian Tommy Got It

Orlando Fisk, son of Mr. John Fisk, wrote his name on a card and wrapped it around a cake of maple sugar, which was packed in a box for the soldiers several months ago. Orlando was pleasantly surprised lately to receive a nice letter from a Canada Tommy, Pte. F. W. Waters, telling him how much he enjoyed the sugar. Pte. Waters, whose home town is in Ingersoll, is with a Canadian Highland Regiment from Montreal.

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Farm Fire Prevention

The protection from fire of farm properties is a problem which has seldom been attempted in any practical way, aside from an exceptional use of fire-proofing materials. In a small town in Ohio, Hollandsburg, the villagers and farmers within a radius of five miles have combined forces. They have purchased a motor truck equipped with chemical extinguishers, ladders, etc., and arrangements have been made for answering fire calls anywhere in the district. If this experiment proves successful, a wide-spread adoption of the plan may follow.

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A Big Work.

Some idea of the extent of the work which the Daughters of the Empire have been doing in Walkerton, may be gleaned from a report for the Government which has just been prepared by Mrs. E. J. Skelton treasurer of the local chapter. Besides the immense amount of sewing and knitting which the ladies have done since the beginning of the war, they have raised in cash about seven thousand dollars. The actual figures are $6,990.89. Some of the items of expenditure have been:— For material $3688.25, Soldiers Boxes, $222.33; Belgian Relief $60, British Red Cross $75; Christmas Fund $25; Tobacco $35.75, Motor Ambulance $315.14, I.O.D.E. Annex $25, 160th. Brass Band $25, Y. M. C. A. $100, French Relief $50, Halifax Relief $55, Navy League $100, Prison Fund $117.

"Time is money," said the man who paid a jeweller $1.5o for repairing a 25-cent watch.

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An Oklahoma man dropped dead while handing his wife some money.—Careful, Men!

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The "queen bee" lays two hundred eggs a day. Could our scientists get busy developing a few "queen bee" hens?

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Of course, clothes do not make the man
And yet one must confess
The more new suits a lawyer has
The greater his success.

✣

J. B. McBride has sold his farm in Elderslie Township to Joshua Bell of Bell Bros. brick yard, Paisley, who takes possession at once. Robert Bell continues the brick yard.

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E. Amherst of Cobalt has purchased the Fisher mills at Paisley and will take possession on May 1. The gristmill and sawmill have been operated by the Fisher family for nearly a half a century.

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A San Francisco lady, whose husband had been dead some years, went to a spiritualistic medium, who put her into communication with the spirit of her departed husband. "My dear John," said the widow to the spirit, "are you happy now?" "Yes I am very happy?" replied John. "Happier than when you were on the earth with me?" she asked. "Yes," was the answer, "I am far happier now than when I was on earth with you." "Tell me, John, what is it like in Heaven?" exclaimed John, "I'm not in Heaven."

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Given Further Leave

Mel Kain who enlisted early last year in Guelph Battery and was temporarily discharged by the medical examiners, reported at London again last week and was given six months further leave.

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Tree Cutting Case

The case of J. S. Inglis Vs. Township of Carrick, an action for damages for the cutting down of a large tree on the road in front of the plaintiff's property was heard by Judge Craig on Monday. After hearing the evidence, the Judge reserved judgment.

Ask Early Closing by-law

A petition is being circulated among business men of the town asking the Town Council to declare a half-holiday every Thursday afternoon during May, June, July and August, and to have the stores close at 6 p. m. daily except Saturdays and holidays. The idea has been carried out in many neighboring towns for years and this year it is being specially boosted to help production.

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Costs More and More

During the past year the cost of producing a local newspaper has increased tremendously. The cost of publishing the Telescope has gone up more than proportionately on account of our changing from the big "patent inside" to the smaller but more expensive all-local all-home print sheet. That the public appreciate the change, is evidenced by a substantial growth in our circulation the past year. Telescope readers can help us make this paper all that it should be by meeting their financial obligations to us promptly.

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Asked To Give Twice

Newspaper publishers are asked to do what is asked of no other calling. They are expected to give twice as individuals to the various subscription lists for patriotic purposes which are presented to them, and as publishers by giving away that which is to them the chief support of the business which they conduct. Journalists are willing to bear their fair share of the common sacrifice, but they do not expect that they alone should be asked to make a double sacrifice.—Brantford Expositor.

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Farmerettes Are Ready

The services of young ladies to help on the farms this summer are now available through the Agricultural Department at Toronto. Any Bruce farmers who want assistance in the field can secure the same by communicating with the local office of the Dept. The farmerettes go in groups of five and tens and will camp out in tents, except where a suitable building is available. According to the circular sent out by the Dept. most young ladies are "fond of animals", although it doesn't state what species of animal. We anticipate a rush on the part of the farmers to have their help troubles solved by pretty farmerettes.

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(Revised Wednesday, April 10th)

Hay	$10.00 to $12.00
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Eggs, per doz.	45 to 37
Barley per bus	$1.40 ..... 1.50
Hogs, per cwt.	19.50 to 19.50

Aunt Sally's Letter

To the Readers of
The Walkerton Telescope

Dear Friends,

Our ministers, several Sundays ago read from the pulpit a list of articles the Food Controller had carefully prepared. It was a food allowance for a family of five for one week. The family consisted of a man and his wife; a boy of 12 yrs. and two children 9 and 4 yrs. We presume the allowance is what is needed to keep such a family in good physical condition.

For most of us the cost of the food is of first importance, so I have enquired the present prices of each article so that we can get some idea whether we can afford to eat to live. For no one would venture to live to eat.

Here is the list considered necessary for one week.

1. Meats and Meat substitutes	
4 lbs. lean meat	$1.20
2 lbs. fresh fish	.40
1 lb. salt fish	.15
1 doz. eggs	.40
1 lb. cheese	.35
2 lbs. dried beans	.50
2. Fats	
2 lbs. butter or oleomargine	.70
1 lb. cooking fat	.35
3. Milk	
7 qts. whole milk	.63
4. Sugars	
3 lbs. sugar	.30
1 lb corn syrup, molasses or honey	.10
5. Cereal Products	
10 lbs. flour	.90
10 lbs. cereals in other forms	.80
6 Fresh Vegetables	
40 lbs. potatoes	.90
14 lbs. fresh vegetables	.42
7. Fruits	
14 lbs. according to season	1.40
Total cost for one week	$8.95

This amount $8.95 does not include the cost of cooking the meals and we all agree that fuel is expensive too.

It looks to me as if the Food Controller could get some hints on economy from many poor families who cannot afford his generous allowance and yet continue to live

Faithfully yours
Aunt Sally.

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WILLS—At Walkerton, on Sunday, April 7, George Wills, aged 57 years 2 months, 24 days.

McCURDY—At Grandora, Sask., on Good Friday, March 29th, 1918, Mrs. Annie McCurdy, aged 61 years.

Mother dear, O how we miss you
O that sad and vacant chair;
But mother dear, we know you'll watch over us,
From your Heavenly home up there.

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BORN

GATEMAN—At Elmwood on Wednesday April 3rd, 1918, to Mr. and Mrs. Noah Gateman, a daughter.

WEBER—In Carrick, on Wednesday, March 27th, to Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Weber, a daughter.

SCHMIDT—In Carrick, on Wednesday, March 20th, to Mr. and Mrs. And. Schmidt, a son.

LIPPERT—In Brant on Tuesday, March 26th to Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Lippert, a daughter.

OPPERMAN—In Formosa on Monday, April 1st, to Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Opperman, a daughter.

SCHNEIDER—In Mildmay, on Thursday, March 28th, to Mr. and Mrs. Schneider, a daughter.

No Race Suicide Here

A baby carriage advertised in last week's Telescope got seven replies within twenty-four hours.

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Becomes A "Sammy"

Cornelius Becker left for Detroit on Wednesday, having received word to report for military service in Uncle Sam's Army.

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Death of Geo. Wills

Mr. George Wills, a respected resident of the South Ward, passed away at his home on Sunday night from heart trouble Mr. Wills had recently returned home from the County Hospital where he had been a patient for some time. He was quiet and industrious and of a kindly disposition. He was born on the 12th of Carrick and for many years was employed by Mr. Duncan K. Smith on the farm. Latterly he worked his five acre property near the cemetery. His wife who was formerly Miss Bilger, survives him, also two brothers and three sisters. The funeral was held on Wednesday afternoon, service being conducted by Rev. J. H. Grenzebach, pastor of the Evangelical Church. Service was held at the Church after the funeral. The reverend gentleman spoke on the fleeting nature of human life taking for his text James 4:14. He stated that in the course of his visits to the departed brother he had found him reconciled and prepared to meet his Maker.



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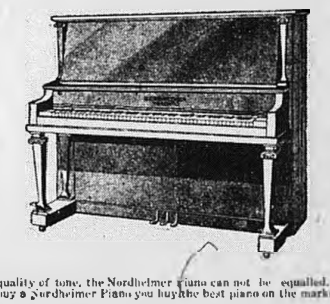
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NEIGHBORING VILLAGES & COUNTRYSIDE

News of the Week Collected by a Staff of Live Correspondents

MILDMAY

Miss Mary Uhrich teacher of S. S. No. 6 Brick spent three or four days during Easter vacation in Toronto.

Mr. J. R. Wendt of Wroxeter spent Sunday at the home of his father, Mr. Chas. Wendt who is seriously ill.

Mr. Ira Dahms of con 6 held a wood bee last Thursday afternoon, and about 100 cords of wood was the result. A very enjoyable party was held in the evening.

Mr. George Eggert, formerly employed as a tinsmith by Liesemer and Kalk, Walkerton, visited over Sunday and Monday with Mildmay friends. George left on Tuesday for Toronto where he has signed up with the Canadian Engineers.

Mr. A. W. Gelid preached a very timely sermon on the food problem in the Methodist Church Sunday evening.

Mr. Adam Hossfeldt of the Walkerton road, has invested in a 1918 Ford touring car. This car is well equipped with a Gray and Davis electric lights all round and is the best equipped Ford around here.

A meeting is to be called next Thursday at 4 30 in the Commercial Hotel to discuss plans for a celebration on June 3rd. next.

The death of Doretta Sauer occurred last Thursday evening at 10.30 o'clock at her home here. Deceased who was in her 23rd. year was a nice bright kindly dispositioned girl, and will be missed in the community. She suffered for several weeks from brain fever and spinal meningitis and gradually grew worse. On the evening of Monday Apr 1 she was operated on by Dr. Lucy of Guelph but without avail. The funeral took place on Tuesday morning to the Roman Catholic cemetery.

Miss Stade, teacher of Hanover Public School, visited at Mr. Irwin Knechtel's last week.

Mr. Stanley Eckel of Hanover spent a few days here last week with Floyd Fink.

Mr. Floyd Fink is back again to his Accountant's bench in the Merchant's bank.

OTTER CREEK

Mr. Samuel Hessenauer of Kitchener and son returned home after spending the holidays at Mr. Henry Dippel's Senior.

Mr. Charles Wickie of Mildmay is at present working at Mr. Thomas Hutton's new house.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Gress attended the baptism of their grandson Aldin Klein of Mildmay on Sunday.

A rich city man and son were rowing over the country, not 20 miles from here, visiting some of his old acquaintances. In returning home night overtook them and not being able to find the right way out he had the misfortune to land in the creek twice up to his knees. This was too much for the young lad. He crawled along the fence and saw a good Samaritan standing in the yard with a lantern who immediately helped them out of their difficulty. The city man then inquired if the lane led straight to the road but instead took the ploughed mud in the field. Finally he landed home on the verge of exhaustion and enjoyed a well earned rest after a hard experience on the farm.

GREENOCK

Most of the Farmers are at the ploughing around here.

Misses Ferrol and Viola Cunningham attended the wedding of their cousin at St. Helens last week.

Mr. Herb Carter is busy these days cutting wood with his gasoline outfit. He sawed about four hundred cords last week for the farmers.

Mr J. Kircher delivered a fine pair of Registered calves to Mr J. Cunningham on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs Ed. Mussel spent Sunday at Mr. Martin Mussel's.

Miss M. Smith of Otter Creek spent the week-end at Mr. J. Moore's.

CARG ..L

The Ball in the Foresters' Hall on Easter Monday was attended by a good gathering and all enjoyed a pleasant evening.

The men of the village are staging a Minstrel Show in the Foresters' Hall on Friday, April 19, 1918, in aid of the Red Cross Society.

The ladies of the Red Cross Society are busy sewing and knitting in the contest which ends on the 15th of April.

The Dominion Well Supply Co's. Garage is a busy place these days with the Ford agency. Mr. Saunders, the manager, is selling the tin Lizzies every day and has ordered another car load so as to be able to supply all prospective purchasers.

Mr. Chas. Martin of the Royal Bank staff spent the Easter holiday in Guelph and Georgetown.

Miss Allen, of the Cargill Public School staff, returned Monday after spending the Easter holidays at her home in Wroxeter, Ont.

Mr. Mathews, the new principal of the Public School, commenced his duties on Monday.

There are many reports of large flocks of wild geese in the neighborhood of Cargill and Chepstow. Although some of our local hunters have been hunting we fail to find them with any game.

Mr. P. Bunstein has purchased a Ford car.

Pte. John Anderson, who has been on furlough, returned to London, Ont., on Saturday.

Miss Lila Bettrick returned to Wingham on Monday where she will take a course in the Business College, there.

Mr. L. Ziegler, of Blythe, Ont., our former miller, renewed acquaintances in town the latter part of the week.

Jos. Clancy, Jr., is on the sick list, we hope for a speedy recovery.

BRANT AVENUE

Cold and rough weather and a few snow flurries the last few days made some of those fellows who have been ploughing with their shirt sleeves rolled up, look for their big sheepskin coats.

And occasionally an odd visitor calls and renews acquaintances on this line as Mr. Wm. McCarter called on his folks for a few days last week. He looks hearty.

Some fall wheat looks quite green while some fields look rather bare from the immense piles of snow on them.

Mr. Jack Beckberger and Miss Mary Bester of Cargill visited the latter's niece, Mrs J. J. Ernest, near town, on Sunday.

Mr. Hank Irwin purchased a swell black driver at Mr. Jas. Cahoon's sale last week. Mr. Wm. Cheney of Dunkeld purchased its mate at the same place. Both these gentlemen are good horsemen.

CHEPSTOW

Mr. Harry Lippert removed his family and household effects from Toronto last week and has taken charge of the Scharbach farm which was purchased by his father.

J. Phelan returned on Saturday to Galt to resume his duties at the Collegiate.

Jas. and Melinda Coumans who are attending Toronto Schools returned on Monday to resume their studies.

Mrs. Wimmer of Hespeler arrived on Monday on a visit to her daughter Mrs P. O'Hagen.

M. McNab who has been confined to his bed as a result of a mild attack of apoplexy is able to be about again.

Miss L. Hunziger returned on Wednesday to Kitchener following a few weeks sojourn at her home.

The remains of a nine-months old infant of Anthony Siegel which succumbed to an operation in the County Hospital on Saturday were interred in the R. C. cemetery on Monday.

What might have developed into the worst conflagration in the burg's history and resulted in the destruction of the lower end of our metropolis, had it not been promptly discovered, was a blaze in the attic of Jno. Coumans Sr's dwelling house last Sunday afternoon, the fire originating from overheated pipes. With a strong wind prevailing it is matter for conjecture where the flames would have spent themselves, had they gained considerable headway. As it was the efforts of the bucket brigade which was hastily summoned quickly brought the blaze under control and the resultant material damage was therefore slight.

Rev. Father Goodrow is spending the week in Buffalo and Hamilton.

EDEN GROVE

In the Walkerton Telescope of Apr. 4th appears an article concerning the proposed presentation to a farmer about to leave Riversdale wherever the divil that may be. This gentleman is now residing at the Grove and we feel rather amused at the manner in which his late neighbors displayed the size of their hearts. It is stated that they planned a royal send off at the next farm. What is meant by royal? Royal. It is to laugh. And at the next farm, the worthy writer maybe in a little short sighted and couldn't see the two farms between. They almost risked their lives. Almost risked. That's good too. Lets all laugh.

Instead of gathering together at his home and bringing their presents (chairs I'll bet a dollar) with them, chose another farm house the width of three hundred acres away and deputed one of their number to lead him through the dark over the same "dangerous" roads to where they had planned a game of bull in the ring with Jeremiah as the bull.

Quite rightly he refused. When with zealous zeal and itching palms they sold the "handsome" presents after considerable squabbling and cackling (do you know our rag man?) the huge sum was turned over to the Red Cross and the generous big hearted chaps straggled home again almost risking their lives.

Next morning one of the best of them felt a little cheap it is claimed and as an excuse gave out that the reason the gifts were not brought and presented properly to their owner was because his horses had the distemper. I am afraid the distemper was not confined to the short eared breed. (At that, Jeremiah, I would have taken the chairs)

EDEN GROVE

For every individual that loses his high position in life, there is always someone to stay in and fill their place. Quality Hill has a new arrival. One of St. Thomas' prominent and well known business men has decided to locate his suburban residence in the old Todd Mansion Nell Thompson, son-in-law of John Killer, with his wife and family are to be our new aristocrats. The Hill people are to be congratulated on their success in acquiring such worthy industrious successors to their late neighbors. We unite with them in wishing happiness and extending the hand of welcome to the new arrivals to Eden Grove's show place—Quality Hill.

We understand that Dr. Bricker M. D. of our largest suburb, Cargill, has purchased a Ford Runabout from Cargill Ltd. We congratulate him on securing a runabout as his last auto would not run about.

Bruce County is about to be asked for $45,000 toward a three million dollars objective to aid the Y.M.C.A. in their work work for the Allies in France. My informant, the Rev. Mr. Storey, leader of the Methodist Flock, claims the work of this body of men is beyond praise, and it helps in keeping up the spirits of the boys in the trenches. I suppose the spirits they now deny us are to go to the boys in the trenches. Let's go and fight.

Speaking of bubbles why not present our worthy Methodist Divine with a Ford car? The dust could be raised by extracting five per cent of the collection for one or two services eh what? If he got the car he could raise the dust himself me.be.

The Red Cross (thank the Lord my wife is neither) intend giving a dance Friday April 12th in the lordly edifice known as Ward's Hall. The building will be nicely decorated for the occasion In order to give forth a Military effect all the windows will be a little drafty.

When you think all hell's let loose
And the rackets made you timid as a goose
And your nerves are all torn in tatters
When you're as jumpy as a kid
And you think your gun's out of your lid
Don't worry! It's nothing that matters
When behind you hear a bang-bang-bang
Don't look round, let him go hang
Or Scott's motor bike will tear your nerves to shatters

SOLWAY

Miss E. McGarrity left on Monday to resume her duties as teacher near Toronto.

Miss C. Faille returned to her home in Toronto on Friday last after spending the holidays with her sister, Mrs. Jas. Cahoon. She was accompanied by her nephews Vincent, and Bernard Cahoon.

Mrs. Jno. McWhinney spent the week-end at the home of Mrs. P. Quirk and renewed acquaintenances here.

Miss Margaret Heenan returned to Toronto on Saturday after spending the vacation at the home of her sister, Mrs Jno. Hannure.

Mr. and Mrs. P. McGarrity attended the funeral of the late Mrs. McCurdy in North Brant on Monday.

Mr. Martin Monk of Hanover visited at the home of Mr. Wm. Monk here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Carson from Rentick spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. F. Quirk.

(Intended for last week)

Miss Elvanor McGarity returned home on Friday to spend the vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pat. McGarity.

Miss Muriel Rankin from Regina is visiting her sister, Mrs. Chas Ormiston.

During the month of March the Ladies of the Solway Branch of the R. P. L. have shipped 9 parcels to France containing in all 78 pairs of socks, 1 pair of gloves and 26 shirts. The next meeting will be held in the Township Hall on Thurs. April 18th when a quarterly report will be given and a special collection taken to which be expected to contribute. Lunch will be served and all the ladies of the vicinity are cordially invited to attend

Mr. Wm. Coates of Claremont is visiting his brother Mr. F. Coates.

Mrs. Jno. Monk spent Easter with friends in Neustadt.

Miss M. Tulloch, teacher of Toronto, is holidaying at her home here.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Ben Michell on Sun. March 31st, a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart of Uxbridge returned home on Saturday after spending a couple of weeks at the home of Mr. Wm. Norton.

Miss Mary Heenan of Toronto is visiting her sister, Mrs. Jno. Hanmore.

Mrs. Jno. Stemmler and babe left last week for Deemerton where she will spend a few weeks with her mother.

Miss C. Faille is visiting her sister Mrs. Jas. Cahoon.

PINKERTON

Miss Aileen Pinkerton returned to Stratford on Monday to resume her studies at the Normal.

Miss Ruby Gregg left for Wingham on Monday to attend Business College there.

Rev. Mr. Gale is in Toronto this week attending Convocation where his son James will receive his degree.

Miss Greta Gregg of Paisley visited her cousin, Miss Ruby Gregg last week.

Prayer meeting will be held on Friday evening at Mr. Thomas Birrell's.

Mr. Hugh Currie who has been visiting at Mrs. A. Pinkerton's, returned to Collingwood last week.

HANOVER

Mrs. Thomas Scott received the sad news that her nephew, Private W. J. Sharpe of Fleckerton, was killed in action on March 24th.

Honors continue to come to Capt. Arnold H. Jacksch, of Hanover, who went to England with the 147th. Battalion. The list of awards published last Thursday contains the information that he has been awarded a bar to the Military Cross which he won a few months ago.

Mr. Joe Adam, an employee of the Hydro Electric Power Commission who has been engaged in re-wiring the town for some time past, was the victim of an unfortunate accident one morning recently. He was working at the top of Mr. C. E. Horning's store when he came into contact with a live wire, the shock throwing him off the pole onto the ground 25 feet below. He sustained a broken nose, besides having his face badly bruised. The young man was rushed into the Queen's Hotel in an unconscious condition and it was some time before the medical attendants restored him to consciousness. He is at present recuperating at the queen's.

Lieut Stewart Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Wilson of Hanover, and a brother of the late Sergeant Selkirk Wilson who lost his life at Vimy Ridge a year ago, is reported missing and wounded. The message apprising his parents of the fact stated that he is "officially reported missing and reported wounded." There is a gleam of hope in the wording of the telegram and Stewart's legion of friends hope for the best.

LATER

Mr. James Wilson has had word from his son, Lieut. Stewart Wilson, from a French Hospital where he is lying wounded. The telegram came eleven days after the first message which stated that he was wounded and missing and went a long way towards relieving the intense anxiety of the parents.

GLAMIS

School reopened on Monday.

Mrs. Thos. McIntosh's sale on Monday was largely attended and things sold well.

Mrs. Owen Webb celebrated her 80th birthday on Monday. Her many friends join in wishing her many more happy birthdays.

Master Roy McKenzie is engaged at Robert McLennan's.

Mrs. J. K. McLennan is on the sick list. Her friends wish her a speedy recovery.

Chas. J. McKinnon returned to Walkerburg on Saturday.

Clyde McKeeman left on Thursday for Edmonton, Alberta.

Miss Edith Howson returned home from Clifford on Saturday.

Mrs. Parker has returned to her home on 16th con. Greenock.

George Fletcher has purchased Kenneth McLean's little driver, "Dinah."

Thomas Madden returned to Detroit last week.

MARRIED—At the home of the groom's sister, Carnoustan, Alberta Miss Lizzie Ferris of Glamis to Mr. Alexander McColman of Carnoustan, Alberta. To the young couple we extend hearty congratulations for a long and happy ben voyage over the matrimonial sea.

Mrs. Abbott and Miss Winnie of Riversdale visited at James Begg's last week. They were accompanied home by Roy Abbott, the latter's brother, who was here for syrup season.

Miss McKenzie of Kincardine visited her cousin, Miss Margaret Currie last week.

Mr. Angus McLean is on the sick list. Hope he may soon recover again.

Pte. Osborne of Saugeen Twp. spent the week-end with relatives on 14th con. Greenock. He went Overseas with 160th Battalion but was returned home owing to ill health.

Miss Mary Webb returned to Chippewa Hill on Monday.

The Ladies Missionary Organization met at the home of Mrs. Campbell on Wednesday.

George Groves' driver got badly cut with glass on Saturday which will lay her off for a while.

KINLOSS

Mr. Lawrence Stirling and a few more of our sports took in the debate of the Literary Society on the South Line Wednesday night.

Mr. McDermit has moved into the house lately vacated by Mr. Frank Cole. Mr. McDermit when a young lad played checkers with the King. Then when he grew older he took up a sailor life. Then he moved to the States and when the big high school in Duluth was built he was over one hundred and twenty men. He built the big tower and helped to place the clock that is still telling the people the time to eat and drink.

Mr. Zettler of Salem has been busily engaged cutting wood in the neighborhood for the past two weeks.

A very enjoyable evening was spent in the village by a number of our young people. A small programme was rendered. One young fellow who was called on unexpectedly got up and recited at random, the first of it running like this:—

Though the mud and water
Be up to my chin
Will I go on forever
The boy stood on the burning deck
But I'll forget her never.

A very good song entitled "The Golden Slippers" was very well rendered. A few other good selections were given and the friends departed for their respective homes.

The Red Cross held their regular meeting and supper Saturday afternoon and evening, the proceeds amounting to over $8. Some of the young lads found an old bottle or keg and got a smell and acted quite gay for a while, which made some of the people very angry. If they must get the glad-eye once in a while, supposing it could without they should not bother the ladies. For if you see a drunk man, beware! But if you know where there is liquor in the cellar, be there.

According to our promise we must let our Eden Grove friends know how Bobbie H. got along while going West with a car of horses. Well, in the first place Bobbie wore a grey hat and was easily detected and so it just cost him thirty dollars of a fine and his full fare. So if you ever try to steal a ride on the old C. P. R. remember to be as cunning as a fox and always abide within the car.

The Herdes McDonald Wood Co. delivered a fine load of wood to Mr. McDermit last week. We understand they have one hundred cords in the yard yet.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Strauss and family have moved to the village suburbs. He has purchased the house and lot lately owned by Lauchlin McDonald who has moved to the West.

Mr. Laurie Rowe, who has been in the Toronto Bank all winter has returned to the farm. On account of the food shortage he thought it was best.

Mr. Peter McDonald has gone to the land of rest. He left for Medley, Sask., last Tuesday.

We thought that politics had almost passed away, but they say that down at Mr. Lowe's wood cutting that he couldn't wait for them to be shut up at dinner so he had to just jump in head and heels and put a stop to them. I guess you couldn't blame him for there might have been some one hurt.

Miss Sadie and Sam Nesbitt spent Sunday with Miss Vera Huston.

Quite a number enjoyed the rain going home from church Sunday evening.

Mr. A. Hodgins sold his old thoroughbred cow the other day. She was a fine cow, only Lorne said he hadn't time to take her teeth out and pick them every meal.

Hauling hay is the order of the day.

Mr. Hiram Skelton spent Saturday evening in the bang.

Mrs. Albert Stanley spent a few days with her daughters in London.

FORMOSA

The death occured on Friday, April 2th of Mrs. Sebastian Lehman, one of the old pioners of Culross, in her 86th year. Old age was the cause of her demise. Her husband predeceased her ten years ago. A family of two son and five daughters survive. The funeral took place at Formosa on Monday, service being conducted by Rev. Father Brohman.



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(Continued from Last Week)

The afternoon was successful. Miss Parcher and Mr. Watson joined the other group with alacrity, and the five young people were presently seated together upon the steps of the porch, sending their voices out upon the air and up to Mr. Parcher's window in the song they found loveliest that summer.

The singers thought so highly of the words that Mr. Parcher missed not one, especially as the vocal rivalry between Josie-Joe and Ickle Boy Baxter incited each of them to prevent Miss Pratt from hearing the other.

William sang loudest of all. Mr. Parcher had at no time any difficulty in recognizing his voice.

Oh, I love my love in the morning.
And I love my love at night;
I love my love in the dawning
And when the stars are bright.
Some may love the sunshine,
Others may love the dew;
Some may love the raindrops,
But I love only you-oo-oo!
By the stars up above
It is you I ish-luvi
Yes, I love own-lay you!

They sang it four times; then Mr. Bullitt sang his solo, "Tell Her, O Golden Moon, How I Adore Her," William following with "The Violets Love the Cowslip, but I Love Yew," and after that they all sang "Oh, I Love My Love In the Morning" again. All this while that they sang of love Mr. Parcher was moving to and fro upon his bed, not more than eighteen feet in an oblique upward slanting line from the heads of the serenaders.

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Miss Jane Baxter opened her eyes upon the newborn day, and her first thoughts were of Mr. Parcher—that is, he was already in her mind when she awoke, a circumstance to be accounted for, on the ground that his conversation during her quiet convalescence in his library had so fascinated her that in all likelihood she had been dreaming of him.

Then, too, Jane and Mr. Parcher had a bond in common, though Mr. Parcher did not know it. Not without result had William repeated Miss Pratt's inquiry in Jane's hearing, "Who is that curious child?" Jane had preserved her sang froid, but the words remained with her, for she was one of those who ponder and retain in silence.

CHAPTER VI.

Jane Meets Mr. Parcher.

JANE thought almost exclusively of Mr. Parcher until breakfast time and resumed her thinking of him at intervals during the morning. Then, in the afternoon, a series of quiet events not unconnected with William's passion caused her to think of Mr. Parcher more poignantly than ever. Who can say, then, that it was not by design that she came face to face with Mr. Parcher on the public highway at about 5 o'clock that afternoon?

Mr. Parcher was walking home from his office, and he walked slowly, gulping from time to time as he thought of the inevitable evening before him. His was not a rugged constitution, and for the last fortnight or so he had feared that it was giving way altogether.

Walking more and more slowly as he approached the dwelling he had once thought of as home, he became aware of a little girl in a checkered dress approaching him at a gait varied by the indifferent behavior of a barrel hoop which she was disciplining with a stick held in her right hand. When the hoop behaved well she came ahead rapidly; when it affected to be intoxicated, which was most often its whim, she zigzagged with it and gained little ground. But all the while, and without reference to what went on concerning the hoop, she slowly and continuously fed herself (with her left hand) small, solemnly relished bites of a slice of bread and butter covered with apple sauce and powdered sugar.

Mr. Parcher looked upon her, and he shivered slightly, for he knew her to be Willie Baxter's sister.

Jane checked her hoop and halted.

"G'd afternoon, Mr. Parcher."

"Good afternoon," he returned.

Jane looked up at him trustfully and with a strange, unconscious fondness. "You goin' home now, Mr. Parcher?" she asked.

"I suppose so," he murmured.

"My brother Willie's been at your house all afternoon," she remarked.

He repeated, "I suppose so," but in a tone of hopeless animosity.

"He just went home," said Jane. "He kept lookin' back at your house. Miss Pratt was on the porch."

"I suppose so," with a moan.

"My brother Willie isn't comin' back to your house tonight, but he doesn't know it yet."

"What!" exclaimed Mr. Parcher.

"Willie isn't goin' to spend any more evenings at your house at all," said Jane thoughtfully. "He isn't, but he doesn't know it yet."

Mr. Parcher gazed fixedly at the wonderful child, and something like a



"Willie isn't going to spend any more evenings at your House."

ray of sunshine flickered over his harried face. "Are you sure he isn't?" he said.

"I know he isn't," said demure Jane. "It's on account of somep'n I told mamma."

A new feeling budded within his bosom. He was warmly attracted to Jane. He wished the Bullitt and Watson families each had a little girl like this

"He'll come in the afternoons, I guess," said Jane. "But you aren't home then, Mr. Parcher, except late, like you were that day of the Sunday school class. It was on account of what you said that day. I told mamma what you said."

Mr. Parcher's perplexity continued. "What about?"

"About Willie. You know!" Jane smiled.

"No, I don't."

"It was when I was layin' in the liberry that day of the Sunday school class," Jane told him. "You an' Mrs. Parcher was talkin' in there about Miss Pratt an' Willie an' everything."

"Good heavens!" said Mr. Parcher, summoning his memory. "Did you hear all that?"

"Yes." Jane nodded.

"Murder!"

"Well," said Jane, "I guess it's good I did, because look—that's the very reason mamma did somep'n so's he can't come any more except in daytime. I guess she thought Willie ought'n to behave so'st you said so many tidings about him like that. So today she did somep'n, an' now he can't come any more to behave that loving way to Miss Pratt that you said you would be in the lunatic asylum if he didn't quit. But he hasn't found it out yet."

"Found what out, please?" he asked.

"He hasn't found out he can't come back to your house tonight, an' he can't come back tomorrow night, nor day after tomorrow night, nor"—

"Is it because your mamma is going to tell him he can't?"

"No, Mr. Parcher. Mamma says he's too old, an' she said she didn't like to, anyway. She just did somep'n."

"What? What did she do?"

"It's a secret," said Jane. "I could tell you the first part of it—up to where the secret begins, I expect."

"Do!" Mr. Parcher urged.

"Well, it's about somep'n Willie's been wearin'," Jane began, moving closer to him as they slowly walked onward. "I can't tell you what they were, because that's the secret, but he had 'em on him every evening when he came to see Miss Pratt, but they belong to papa, an' papa doesn't know a word about it.

"Well, one evening papa wanted to put 'em on, because he had a right to, Mr. Parcher, an' Willie didn't have any right to at all, but mamma couldn't find 'em, an' she rummidged an' rummidged 'most all next day an' pretty near every day since then an' never did find 'em, until don't you believe I saw Willie inside of 'em only last night! He was startin' over to your house to see Miss Pratt in 'em. So I told mamma, an' she said it'd had to be a secret, so that's why I can't tell you what they were.

"Well, an' then this afternoon, early, I was with her, an' she said, long as I had told her the secret in the first place, I could come in Willie's room with her, an' we both were already in there anyway, 'cause I was kind of thinkin' maybe she'd go in there to look for 'em, Mr. Parcher."

"I see," he said admiringly. "I see."

"Well, they were under Willie's window seat, all folded up, an' mamma said she wondered what she better do, an' she was worried because she didn't like to have Willie behave so'st you an' Mrs. Parcher thought that way about him. So she said the—the secret—what Willie wears, you know, but they're really pena's an' aren't Willie's any morn'n they're mine—well, she said the secret was gettin' a little teeny bit too tight for papa, but she guessed they—I mean the secret—she said she guessed it was already pretty loose for Willie. So she wrapped it up, an' I went with her, an' we took 'em to a tailor, an' she told him to make 'em bigger, for a surprise for papa, 'cause then they'll fit him again, Mr. Parcher.

"She said he must let 'em way, way out! So I guess Willie would look too funny in 'em after they're fixed. An', anyway, Mr. Parcher, the secret won't be home from the tailor's for two weeks, an' maybe by that time Miss Pratt'll be gone."

They had reached Mr. Parcher's gate. He halted and looked down fondly upon this child who seemed to have read his soul. "Do you honestly think so?" he asked.

"Well, anyway, Mr. Parcher," said Jane, "mamma said—well, she said she's sure Willie wouldn't come here in the evening any more, when you're at home, Mr. Parcher—'cause after he'd been wearin' the secret every night this way he wouldn't like to come an' not have the secret on. Mamma said the reason he would feel like that was because he was seventeen years old. An' she isn't goin' to tell him anything about it, Mr. Parcher. She said that's the best way."

Mr. Parcher rested an elbow upon the gatepost, gazing down with ever increasing esteem. "Of course I knew your last name," he said, "but I'm afraid I've forgotten your other one."

"It's Jane."

"Jane," said Mr. Parcher, "I should like to do something for you."

Jane looked down, and with eyes modestly lowered she swallowed the last fragment of the bread and butter and apple sauce and sugar which had been the constantly evanescent companion of their little walk together. She was not mercenary; she had sought no reward.

"Well, I guess I must run home," she said. She scampered quickly away.

But, though she cared for no reward, the extraordinary brilliancee of William that evening after dinner must at least have been of great interest to her. He ascended to his own room directly from the table, but about twenty minutes later came down to the library, where Jane was sitting with her father and mother.

William looked from one to the other of his parents and seemed about to speak, but did not do so. Instead he departed for the upper floor again and presently could be heard moving about energetically in various parts of the house a remote thump finally indicating that he was doing something with a trunk in the attic.

After that he came down to the library again and once more seemed about to speak, but did not. Then he went upstairs again and came down again, and he was still repeating this process when Jane's time limit was reached, and she repaired conscientiously to her little bed. Her mother came to hear her prayers and to turn out the light, and when Mrs. Baxter had passed out into the hall after that Jane heard her speaking to William, who was now conducting what seemed to be excavations on a serious scale in his own room.

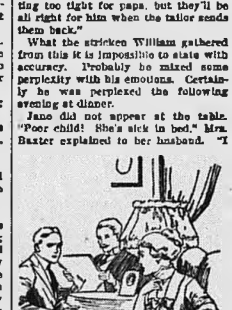
"Oh, Willie, perhaps I didn't tell you, but you remember I'd been missing papa's evening clothes and looking everywhere for days and days?"

"Ye-es," huskily from William.

"Well, I found them. And where do you suppose I'd put them? I found them under your window seat. Can you think of anything more absurd than putting them there and then forgetting it? I took them to the tailor's to have them let out. They were getting too tight for papa, but they'll be all right for him when the tailor sends them back."

What the stricken William gathered from this it is impossible to state with accuracy. Probably he mixed some perplexity with his emotions. Certainly he was perplexed the following evening at dinner.

Jane did not appear at the table. "Poor child! She's sick in bed," Mrs. Baxter explained to her husband. "I



"I'm afraid Jane has begun her first affair."

was out this afternoon, and she ate nearly all of a five pound box of candy."

Both the sad eyed William and his father were dumfounded. "Where on earth did she get a five pound box of candy?" Mr. Baxter demanded.

"I'm afraid Jane has begun her first affair," said Mrs. Baxter. "A gentleman sent it to her."

"What gentleman?" roared William.

And in his mother's eyes as they slowly came to rest on his in reply he was aware of an inscrutability strongly reminiful of that inscrutable look of Jane's.

"Mr. Parcher," she said gently.

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Evening after evening passed while William sat dreaming painfully of Mr. Parcher's porch, but in the daytime, though he did not literally make hay while the sun shone, he at least gathered a harvest somewhat resembling hay in general character.

Thus: One afternoon, having locked his door to secure himself against intrusion, William seated himself at his writing table and from a drawer therein took a small cardboard box, which he uncovered, placing the contents before him upon the table. In the box were:

A faded rose; several other faded roses, disintegrated into leaves; three withered "four leaf clovers;" a white ribbon still faintly smelling of violets; a small silver shoe buckle; a large pearl button; a small pearl button; a tortoise shell hairpin; a cross section from the heel of a small slipper; a stringy remnant, probably once an improvised wreath of daisies; four or five withered dandelions; other dried vegetation of a nature now indistinguishable.

His gentle eyes showed his emotion.

CHAPTER VII.

Progress of the Symptoms.

WILLIAM'S writing table was beside an open window, through which came an indistinct whirring, unagreeable to his mood, and, looking down upon the sunny lawn, he beheld three lowly creatures. One was Genesis, cutting the grass; another was Clematis—he had assumed a transient attitude, curiously triangular, in order to scratch his ear—the third was Jane. In one hand she held a little stack of sugar sprinkled wafers, which she slowly but steadily depleted. Wearing unaccustomed garments of fashion and festivity, Jane stood, in speckless, starchy white and a blue sash, watching the lawn mower spout showers of grass as the powerful Genesis easily propelled it across the grass.

Clematis found his ear too pliable for any great solace from his foot. Ilising, he permitted his nose to lead him, with the result that it touched the rim of the last wafer in Jane's external possession.

This incident annoyed William. "Look there!" he called from the window. "You mean to eat that cake after the dog's had his face on it?"

"It wasn't his face," Jane observed.

"Well, if it wasn't his face, I'd like to know what"—

"It wasn't his face," Jane repeated. "It was his nose. It wasn't all of his nose touched it either. It was only a little outside piece of his nose."

"Well, are you going to eat that cake, I ask you?"

Jane broke off a small bit of the wafer. She gave the bit to Clematis and slowly ate what remained, continuing to watch Genesis and apparently unconscious of the scorching gaze from the window.

"I never saw anything so disgusting as long as I've lived!" William announced. "I wouldn't 'a' believed it if anybody'd told me a sister of mine would eat after"—

"I didn't," said Jane. "I like Clematis, anyway."

"Ye gods!" her brother cried. "Do you think that makes it any better? And, by the way," he continued in a tone of even greater severity, "I'd like to know where you got those cakes. Where'd you get 'em, I'd just like to inquire?"

"In the pantry." Jane turned and moved toward the house. "I'm goin' in for some more now."

William uttered a cry. These little cakes were sacred. His mother, growing curious to meet a visiting lady of whom, so to speak, she had heard much and thought more, had asked May Parcher to bring her guest for iced tea that afternoon. A few others of congenial age had been invited. There was to be a small matinee, in fact, for the honor and pleasure of the son of the house, and the cakes of Jane's onslaught were part of Mrs. Baxter's preparations.

William bled himself to the pantry with such advantage of longer legs that within the minute he and the wafers appeared in conjunction before his mother, who was arranging fruit and flowers upon a table in the living room.

William entered in the stained glass attitude of one bearing gifts. Overhead both hands supported a tin pan well laden with small cakes and wafers, for which Jane was silently but repeatedly and systematically jumping. Even under the stress of these efforts her expression was cool and collected. She maintained the self possession that was characteristic of her.

Not so with William. His cheeks were flushed, his eyes indignant. "You see what this child is doing?" he demanded. "Are you going to let her ruin everything?"

"Ruin?" Mrs. Baxter repeated absently, refreshing with fair water a bowl of flowers upon the table. "Ruin?"

"Yes, ruin!" William was hotly emphatic. "If you don't do something with her it'll all be ruined before Miss Pe—before they even get here!"

Mrs. Baxter laughed. "Set the pan down, Willie."

"Set it down?" he echoed incredulously. "With that child in the room and grabbing like"—

"There!" Mrs. Baxter took the pan from him, placed it upon a chair and with the utmost coolness selected four wafers and gave them to Jane. "I'd already promised she could have five more. You know the doctor said Jane

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How are you going to use your extra hour of daylight?

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The American Red Cross has sent more than two thousand nurses to Europe.

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Miss Clara Hamel of Mildmay spent the past week with Mrs. W. Weidmeyer.

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Mr. Robert Smith and son Bruce of Hanover spent Thursday and Friday in town.

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A Reader asks us to put out our sign: "Don't let your chickens bother your neighbor."

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Nearly every married woman thinks that her husband is smarter than any other man or her acquaintance.

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Mrs. C. O'Gorman and little son returned to Toronto this week after spending two weeks at Mr. T. E. Attwood's.

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As a suitable penalty for allowing food to spoil in cold-storage plants, why not compel the cold-storage profiteers to eat the stuff?

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Auto drivers are warned that driving a car with the muffler constantly or unnecessarily open is illegal. The offenders are legion.

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In the parlor there were three.
She, the parlor-lamp, and he;
Two is company, no doubt,
So the little lamp went out!

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Rev. Mr. Wilson of Walkerton, preached two very instructive and impressive sermons in the Presbyterian church on Sunday.—Port Elgin Times.

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Sergt. Art Taggart who recently received his discharge after doing his bit Overseas is on a visit to Detroit and other points at present. He has not yet decided where he will locate.

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The local merchant is helping to pay the taxes of town and country in which you live. He should have the preference over the mail order house, which pays its taxes in a city many miles away.

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Flying In Egypt

Lieut. Elliot Dixon of the Royal Flying Corps, is now stationed in Egypt. A letter received on Saturday by his father, Crown Attorney Thomas Dixon, dated Feb 7th, stated that he was in the land of the Pyramids but gave no particulars as to his duties there.

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Wilkin—Monk.

The marriage took place on Wednesday, April 3rd, of Miss Lavina Monk, third daughter of Mr. John Monk, con. 9, Brant, to Mr. Norman Wilkin, son of the late Chris. Wilkin, con. 4, Brant. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Henkel. The happy couple will reside on the farm which the groom purchased recently from Mr. Henry Pegelo on the 11th con.

Clean up your yard.

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House cleaning time.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. Ermel of Hanover visited friends in town over Sunday.

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Miss Anna Weiler has taken a position as assistant clerk in the Knechtel Furniture Factory.

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A new fender designed for automobiles automatically spreads apart and pushes out of the way a person or animal it strikes.

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The most valuable tree in the world, from productive standpoint, is a Gantor avocado, or alligator pear, near Whittier, Cal. The average yearly revenue from this tree is 3,000, single fruits selling at from fifty cents to one dollar each.

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Gipsy Smith, the famous English evangelist has reached New York, and will remain in the country for a few months. A "Tribune" reporter says: "The evangelist is strikingly different in manner from Billy Sunday. He speaks quietly, in a pure, rich and idiomatic English, rarely marred by slang. His power seems to lie chiefly in his wonderful mellow voice. By a scarcely noticeable change in inflection he was able to whip a thousand handkerchiefs out of a thousand pockets and lift them to two thousand eyes."

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Quinine and Wine

A brand new one was sprung in Guelph Police Court last week when a returned soldier, told the court the reason he got very drunk was because he had consumed two bottles of quinine and wine, which he had purchased at a local drug store. Chief Randall did not think it was possible for the man to be alive to tell the story after such a stunt, but the defendant stuck to his story

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A Champion Thrower

A house hunter saw an advertisement in the papers describing a charming house "within a stone's throw of the station."

He made an appointment, and in due course was escorted to the house in question, two miles away.

When they reached the threshold he turned to the agent gaily. "Would you mind introducing me," he whispered, "to the person who threw that stone?"

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A Walkerton Boy

Lieut Rosevear, of the Royal Flying Corps, a young Canadian aviator who was mentioned in despatches last week as having brought down no less than six enemy planes during the recent drive on the West Front, is a native of Walkerton. Twenty-odd years ago his father, Mr. Howard Rosevear, now of Port Arthur, was Science Master at Walkerton High School. Many of the older residents who remember Lieut. Rosevear's parents, will be glad to learn of the distinction that their son has gallantly won.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Faust spent Sunday with friends in Hanover.

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Misses Donalda McKecknie and Elizabeth Wilson returned to Essex on Saturday.

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What, asks the Globe, are the cities and towns of Ontario doing to take advantage of the offer of 50,000 cords of firewood free of cost and available to municipalities that will cut the wood in Algonquin Park and pay the freight upon it.

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Mrs. E. J. Glave, who had Miss Rolston's house for the winter, left on Friday to visit her sister at Hanover. It is the intention of the family to join Mr. Glave at Brantford as soon as they are successful in getting a house. Miss Erma will continue her studies at High School until after the final exams, staying with Miss Rolston.

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In Field Hospital.

Mrs. P. McGarity of Brant had a letter last week from her son, Sergt. Jack McGarity M. M. written from a field hospital in France where he was laid up with tonsilitis. Jack stated that his sickness was not serious although painful enough.

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Departmental Exams

The Departmental examinations for entrance into Normal Schools and Faculties of Education will be held from June 11th. to 20th: for Model Entrance and Senior Public School Graduation, from June 14th to June 21th.; for Senior High School Entrance from June 14th. to June 24th; for English-French Model Entrance, from June 14th. to June 24th; for Middle School Entrance into Normal Schools, June 24th. to July 2nd; for Upper School Entrance into Faculties of Education, from June 20th. to July 5th for pass Matriculation, from June 24th to July 5th; for Honor Scholarship Matriculation from June 20th. to July 5th.

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A Brant Pioneer

On Friday March 29th, there passed away one of the pioneers of Brant Township, in the person of James Delomere Reilly (better known as Dell) after an illness of a little over two months. The deceased was born in Adjala Tp., Simcoe County, in the year 1839 and came to Bruce County in 1855 and settled on lot 21, con. 15, where he continued to live up to the time of his death. His wife predeceased him about ten years ago. He leaves a family of two sons and one daughter all of whom were at his bedside when he passed away. They are as follows: James on the 14th. con., Joseph on the old home, Mrs. J. McGill, Owen Sound. In religion, he was a devout Roman Catholic. The funeral was held on Monday morning to St. Michael's church, North Brant, where mass was celebrated by Rev. Father Hoffarth after which the remains were placed in the cemetery beside those of his late wife. The pallbearers were: Messrs. H. Ferguson, Wm. McGill, Wm. Ryan, Joseph Ward, G. Kirkwood and James Rae. The funeral was largely attended.

The Wolves Were Hungry



Angus McGregor and his collie dog left the Canadian Pacific Railway main line at Kamloops and went north and west for six days to get into good trapping and hunting territory for a winter's work. They made several trips before the snow came and shut them in. When winter shut down there was much cold weather and not an excessive amount of snow. The rabbits drifted north to the thicker brush, and McGregor and his dog extended their lines twenty miles further. Big snow came and the wolves found hard work to get living, though the rabbits and partridges were fat and contented. McGregor took a lot of fur, mink, lynx, coyote and fox.

One day while on the trail of a moose he saw a big black wolf looking down. The collie saw it too and dashed to the conflict. The wolf turned and fled, and when the man topped the rise he saw his dog nearly a half mile away still fiercely pursuing the wolf which had just entered the mouth of a steeply sloped draw. Half way up the draw the wolf stopped, and down from either bank swept two more wolves. The first brute had acted as decoy for the dog.

The collie, realizing his danger, wheeled and ran toward his master, pursued by all three of the park. He led them by a few yards, and threw himself finally against the feet of McGregor, while the wolves, gaunt, hungry and unusually fierce came, right on and only swerved aside to circle when the man yelled. One he shot before the others fled, and a few days later, having placed out "baits" he had the satisfaction of picking up the other two big, black bodies.

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Excellent woven materials in two and three tone colorings. Checks, fine line and cluster stripes. Double French or stiff laundered cuffs. Sizes 14 to 18. Prices $1.25, $1 50 & $1 75.

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Just now when housecleaning is in full swing you will find many rooms that need something new.

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See our splendid showing of small mats and rugs in all useful sizes at remarkably low prices.

Floor Oil Cloths and Linoleums in new designs in all widths to choose from.

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Also for curtains by the yard we have, Scrims, Muslins, Chintzes, Sateens and Novelty Scrims, with lace edge and insertion. We are prepared as never before to supply your Spring House Furnishing Needs. Come and see.

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NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Ploughing has started in this section.

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Mr. Robt. Irwin arrived home on Monday from a business trip to the West.

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The public may look for a drop in the price of bacon, as owing to the high price very little is being used, and as a consequence Canadian packers are finding themselves with large quantities on their hands.

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The price of a meal in France in a public eating house of even the cheapest kind, is no less than $1 20. Though they have bread tickets in Italy, in many cases they have no flour to make bread.

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"Any old shoes thrown at the wedding last night?" "No, the people were saving them for farm work." "Any rice?" "What! With foodstuffs so high?" "Confetti, then?" "Say, I guess you don't know how paper has gone up!"

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Presentation To Rector

Rev. R. Perdue, who has been ailing for some weeks, was pleasantly surprised one evening last week when some members of his congregation called at St. Thomas Rectory and presented him with a purse of $200. Mr. Perdue voiced his gratitude for this tangible expression of goodwill and appreciation from the members of his congregation.

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Watch out for Tom!

Tom Bennet has blood in his eye, and there is going to be trouble on for somebody in this town. Tom owned a cart last fall, but when he went to look for the vehicle this spring it could not be located. He did a little detective work and finally found a clue that may lead to its recovery. He says the cart has been painted over so that he could not identify it, but it takes something thicker than paint to fool Tom. The guilty parties are warned to return the cart to save trouble.—Mildmay Gazette.

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Good Work Remembered

Mr. H. S. Sanderson, son of Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Sanderson, who recently gave up the Public School Principalship at Chesley, to become M. A. Halliday's right hand man, was given a big public send-off in the Town Hall at which all classes of citizens were represented. An address was read on behalf of the pupils, ex-pupils, staff and public school board, accompanied by the gift of a beautiful reading lamp, two oak library chairs and an oak library table. The Chairman pointed out that of the 167 pupils in all, which Mr. Sanderson had sent up to the High School Entrance in 11 years, only six failed to pass, 10 took the County gold medal and 1 the East Bruce medal. Mr. Sanderson placed Chesley at the head of the public schools of Bruce and made that town a leading educational centre. Mr Sanderson holds the affections of all who came under his tuition and of the citizens generally.

The Mesford Council gives its band a grant of $500.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ramesbottom, Walkerton, spent a few days visiting Mr. an Mrs. John Good.—Teeswater News.

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Miss S. Rolston, who has been spending the winter with Mrs. A. Todd, returned to her home in the West Ward, last week. Her niece, Miss Jessie Rolston of Kitchener, arrived on Saturday for a two months' visit.

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Would Can the Cop

There has been an agitation lately in some counties to do away with the gaols, and now we note that the Wiarton Canadian goes farther and suggests doing away with the Town Constable. The millenium must surely be at hand up in the Peninsula. While it is gratifying to hear that Wiarton is almost crimeless, we can't help thinnking that a town without a cop would be a tame place for the small boy. It would be like a circus with no peanuts nor pink lemonade.

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New Books At Library

The following new books have been put on the shelves at the Public Library:—Shepherd of the Hills; The White Ladies, Barclay; False Faces, Vance; Carolyn of the Corners, Endicott; Comrades, Dillon; Cabin Fever; Bower; Arctic Stowaways, Wallace; White Morning, Atherton; Montreal to Vimy Ridge, Wells; Insect Adventures, Fabre; Fringe of the Great Fight, Col. George Nasmyth; First Prin. Electricity, Homan; Canadian Poets, Garvin; Canadian Twilight, Trotter; Irish Lyrics, Dollard; 30 years in Can. Northwest; Grand Adventure, Law; Red Indians of the Plains; My Home in Field of Mercy; Bell, First Can. in France; Azure, Lines of Communication; McClintock, Best O'Luck; Contact, Cavalry of the Clouds.

New Juvenile Books—Babyhood of Wild Beasts, Gates, Apron Strings; Stout, Boys Books of Mechanical Models.

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A HARD LIFE

A farmer returning home one evening from a rural banquet, dropped lazily into a chair and addressed his wife as follows:

"I am all tired out. Are the cows all in the barn?"

"Yes, Henry."

"Horses all fed and bedded down?" he asked as he produced a cigar with a gilt band round it.

"Yes, Henry."

"Chickens aren't locked up, though, are they?"

"Yes, Henry; long ago."

"Wood chopped for morning?"

"Yes."

"Ducks picked and wagon wheel mended for to-morrow's market?"

"Yes, Henry."

The farmer lighted the cigar, yawned and said:

"Well then, just hand me the farm paper and draw me a jug of cider, Mary. I'll turn in soon. Farming's beginning to tell on me."—Boston Transcript.

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NEED SOCK DARNING MOTHERS.

(Billy Sunday.)

"I think that a fool mother that will allow a 16 year old sissy to float around town and joyride and hit the cabarets till 2 o'clock in the morning with a counterfeit sport with weak jaws and weaker morals, puffy eyelids, green vest, a pair of spats on—O, she's opening the front door and inviting an and disgrace to cross her threshold.

"If you don't know what kind of company your daughter keeps or what time of night she turns in and hits the hay, I want to tell you that your roar when the tongues of gossip get busy will sound about as pathetic as a wheeze on a Jew's harp.

"I'd give more for one good God fearing pant patching, sock darning, bread-making, praying mother in Israel than I would for a whole trainload of these little frizzle headed sissies of our n my friend, and the way they are living now and how they are going."

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Setts, Multipliers and Potato Onions from 3c a pound upwards.

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WALKERTON'S

Cash Sale Store

NOW is your chance to secure the pick of the latest. Surprising richness never shown with more attractiveness than now, in our new Spring goods. There is no time like the present, drop in and see our fine goods.

Ladies' Waists

White Silk Waists, all sizes, made in newest style, special $1.25.

New stock of White Voille Waists, just in, ranging from $1.50 to $4.25 each

Mercerized Voille

New stock of Mercerized Voille, in Black, Navy, Sky and Pink at 50cts. per yard

Ladies Dark Brown Cashmere Hose special at 59cts. per pair.

Spring Dress Goods

Foulard in newest patterns and shades at 50cts, a yard.

Tussah Silk, a very beautiful and dressy fabric, special at 95cts. a yard.

Get our price on raw silk, (extra good quality)

Curtainettes & Scrims

Some new curtainettes and scrims just in ranging from 19c to 60c.

Children's Hose

Children's Cotton Ribbed Hose, sizes 6 to 10, special 35cts. a pr.

Ladies' Hose

Ladies' Black Cashmerette Hose at 35 cts. a pair.

Pure Food Grocery

You will find the work of a Dollar at our store something wonderful. We keep down the price and keep up the quality.

Specials in Roasted Coffee at 25c., 30c. and 40 cts. a lb.

A good Black Tea at 40cts. a lb.

Jelly at 20cts. per jar, Orange Marmalade (large size jar) 25cts.

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NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that Mary King of Chesley, Ontario, wife of Thomas Andrew King, will apply to the Parliament of Canada at the next Session thereof for a Bill of Divorce from her husband, Thomas Andrew King, on the ground of adultery and desertion.

DATED at Chesley, Ontario, this 9th day of March, 1918.

C. J. MICKLE,
Solicitor for Applicant.

N. G. GUTHRIE
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Agent. 11-23

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The Shoeman

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Baby Carriage Wanted

Party would like to buy second hand carriage in good shape. Apply at Telescope.

At Maxieland

New Serial, "The Fighting Trail" commences Friday, 19th. Particularly fascinating Western play.

Applications for Librarian

Applications for the position of Public librarian will be received by the Secretary up until Monday, April 22nd. Full particulars may be had from the undersigned. Lorne A. Eady, Secretary.

Leave For Overseas

Troopers Norman Cuningham and Tom White, two Walkerton boys with the Fort Garry Horse, leave Winnipeg this week for Overseas. The Fort Garry Horse is a regiment with a great record This is the troop which drove eight miles into the enemy's lines and escaped in safety, their commanding officer winning the V. C. for his accomplishment.

W. M. S. Officers

The Women's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church have elected officers for the coming year as follows.—President, Mrs. Lorne A. Eady; 1st. Vice-Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) C. W. Cosens; 2nd. Vice-Pres., Mrs. (Dr.) Hall; Rec. Sec., Mrs. E. W. Garner; Cor. Sec., Mrs. H. Torell; Treas., Miss S. Rolston; Christian Stewardship, Miss Sheffield.

Contracts Were Let.

The House of Refuge Committee held a meeting here last week and awarded the contracts for provisions for the coming year. Wingefelder & Krueger were the successful tenderers for the meat also the groceries. Mr. J. O'Malley will supply the bread. The committee is composed of Reeve Henry of Kincardine, convenor; Reeve Fillsinger of Carrick, and Warden Kastner.

Old Implements Come High

Second-hand farm implements are bringing unheard-of prices at the Auction Sales this Spring. At Mr. Jim Cahoon's sale ploughs which he bought ten years ago for $2.50 sold for $12, and a new hayloader for which he paid $80 two years ago went for $101. On the other hand some of the cattle undoubtedly went for less than they were worth considering the high prevailing prices.

Costs More and More

During the past year the cost of producing a local newspaper has increased tremendously. The cost of publishing the Telescope has gone up more than proportionately on account of our changing from the big "patent inside" to the smaller but more expensive all-local all-home print sheet. That the public appreciate the change, is evidenced by a substantial growth in our circulation the past year. Telescope readers can help us make this paper all that it should be by meeting their financial obligations to us promptly.

Ammonia Week.

10 cent package of ammonia for 5 cents from now until next Thursday at Bremner's Fair.

Nice Good Ones.

Irwin Bros. got a choice lot of thoroughbred Percherons from Michigan last week, and a good Belgian mare from Indiana. There were 5 stallions and 4 mares in the lot and they represent a big investment of money.

Auction Sale

An auction Sale of Farm Stock, Implements, etc. will be held at lots 6 and 7, con. 4, Brant, 1½ from Dunkeld on Tuesday April 23rd, commencing at 1.30 p. m. No reserve. Mrs. O. Holderness proprietress. Wes. Abell, auctioneer.

Presentation To Mrs Walker

Before leaving town to make her home in Toronto, Mrs. Geo. Walker was presented with a mantel clock from the ladies of the Women's Missionary Society of Knox church, accompanied by a note, expressing their regret at her departure from among them, and an earnest wish that see may be prospered wherever she goes.

Helps for Worthy Cause.

The congregation of the Anglican Church, Chesley, have made a generous donation of fruit, groceries and money to the Children's Aid Society. The letter which came with the contribution was read at a Childrens' Aid meeting here Monday afternoon. It stated that the other churches of that town were also preparing to help.

Lots of Licenses

Mayor Johnston, who is issuer of auto licenses for Bruce County, is having a busy time just now. One hundred applications for licenses were received the day before yesterday. So far 300 more applications than last year have been received by the Mayor and it looks as though the number would go way past the thousand mark. Some mean person picked up the Mayor's record book off his table last week, while he was out of town and walked off with it. The book is of no value to anyone but the owner and it will put him to great inconvenience if he doesn't get it back

Inspecting the Roads

Supt. D. J. Izzard of the Bruce Road System was in town on Monday. Mr. Izzard has covered most of the roads taken over by the County, lately by horse and buggy. This he finds the most satisfactory way of familiarizing himself with the condition of the roadways. At many points he finds the farmers have encroached on the highway to such an extent that the roadway is only about 45 feet wide. Farmers who are building fences would do well to see to it that the fence is 33 ft. from the centre of the roadway. The Provincial Dept. requires that all County roads be 66 ft. wide and fences that have been built on the highway will have to be moved back sooner or later to meet this requirement.

NEWS ABOUT TOWN

8 pages of local news.

Trout fishing next month.

The farmer's busy time is at hand.

Have you bought your garden seeds yet?

No one has called face powder 'Camouflage' as yet.

For the best farm shoes go to Ramsey the Shoeman

A Listowel man is starting a toy factory at Arisa Craig.

New-laid eggs are sold here at 35cts. per dozen this week.

Coun. Sam Vogan is in Buffalo on business this week.

Mayor A. P. Johnston paid a visit to London last week.

Mrs. W. B. Thompson left for Wingham on Monday.

Stylish high top shoes for women at Ramsey's Shoe Store.

Mrs. Sam Truax of Toronto was a visitor here on Saturday.

Mrs. Jas. Warren left on Monday on a motor trip to Toronto.

Capt. Had Robertsoff was up from Guelph over the week-end.

Miss Maud Stead arrived home from a visit to Detroit last week

Telescope ads pay and will make business for anyone using them.

Potatoes sold in Acton last week for $1 per bag, says the Free Press.

Cushionette shoes need no breaking in, sold at Ramsey's Shoe Store.

Mr. John Haughan and family moved into town on Wednesday of last week.

Regal on your shoes means quality in them sold at Ramsey's Shoe Store

Mrs. Geo H. Kilmer of Toronto is visiting her father, Mr. N. Crawford.

Real worth in our men's and boys' every-day shoes.—Ramsey the Shoeman.

House Changes Hands

Mr. S. A. Rife has sold the large frame double residence on Scott St. opposite the Roller Rink to Mr. George Stead for $1,400.

Removed To Town

Mr. John Whitehead jr. of Brant who has taken a position as driver with the Walkerton Egg and Dairy Co. moved into town on Tuesday.

Underwent Operation

Mrs. John Cunio underwent a serious operation at the County Hospital on Tuesday for the removal of a tumor. At latest report she was doing nicely

Subs Didn't Get Him.

Capt. Basset of Collingwood, a brother-in-law of Mr. M. G. Dippel arrived home last week from Overseas, where he had been in the British Naval Service the past six months. Capt Basset who is a Great Lakes navigator volunteered for half a year's service and was in command of a transport in the English Channel. As the passage is made in that crowded ocean thoroughfare with "lights out" for fear of the lurking submersibles, the work is very trying and hazardous but Capt. Basset made scores of passages and fortunately came through without a mishap

Mrs. Montgomery of Toronto is a guest at her uncle's, Mr. N. Crawford

Rev. J. H. Grenzebach is attending the Evangelical Conference at Waterloo.

Miss Florence Belden returned on Saturday from a two weeks' visit in Owen Sound.

An inspector from the Insurance Underwriters was in town on business Tuesday.

Mrs. Frank Smith has returned home after spending a few weeks with her daughter, in Simcoe.

Special Women's Brown Kid 8 in. top laced shoe high and low heels $3.00 at Ramsey's Shoe Store.

Greater production, it is said, will win the war. We are reminded of this every time we pay a bill.

Mrs. Scott left on Wednesday to join her daughter, Mrs. Geo. Walker, who moved to Toronto this week.

Mr. Alex. Cotterman left this week for Hamilton where he has secured a job in an ammunition factory.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Atkinson of Con. 10, Bruce, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wilfrid Ritchie on Saturday.

Mr. Wm. Schwalm, removed here last week from West Toronto and took his former position at Truax's mill.

The Weekly Sun advises caution in plowing up the fall wheat. Last year many people were sorry they did it.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cunningham and Miss Florence spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Glebe at Hanover.

You can get just as good Auto tires at McCarter's Harness store as you can get at any Garage. Quality and price right.

Mrs. Robt. Gowanlock who has been visiting relatives in Brant left on Wednesday last for his home at Delorraine Man.

Mr. W. H. McBurney has rented from R. Truax & Son the two storey red brick residence on Gibson Street, which is to be vacated on April 30th by Mr. R. Stafford.

Union Service

Owing to Rev. J. H. Grenzebach being away attending the conference this week the Evangelical and Methodist congregations will hold Union Service at the Methodist Church Sunday morning.

Pays To Look Them Over

Some of the best reading in this week's Telescope is the merchant's advts. You can quickly save enough to pay a year's subscription by studying the Walkerton merchants announcements in this week's paper.

New Deputy Registrar

Mr. Tuckey, the new deputy registrar arrived here on Monday and has rented a house on Durham St. West from Mrs Schumacher. His family is expected from Toronto in a few days. Mr. Tuckey has two sons and one daughter doing their bit in France.

Have Made Good.

Two former Walkerton boys, who are at present here from the West are good examples of what young men with pluck intelligence and industry can do in the new country. The McCurdy brothers J. L., J. J. and Richard, left Walkerton thirteen years ago to take up home steads, in Saskatchewan. They were mere boys at the time and their main assets were strong right arms and a determination to make it go. Like many homesteaders they had the toughest kind of experience for years but they pulled through on top and now have good properties of their own. J. L.'s fine 320 acre farm in the rich wheat country at Grandora near Saskatoon is nearly all under crop. The two younger brothers each have half-sections in the less thickly settled country at Coleville, Sask. and are both doing well.

Judge Is Improved

Judge Klein, who has been recuperating at a Sanitarium in Ohio, is reported to be considerably improved, and is expected home before long.

Memorial Service

Memorial service for the boys of Knox Church who have fallen in battle will be conducted by Rev. Thos. Wilson the first Sunday in May.

Foot Got Jammed

Mr. Henry Dietz had his foot badly jammed one day last week at the Canada Spool and Bobbin factory. He was helping to haul up logs on a log boat when his right foot got stuck between a log and the log-boat, giving it a bad squeeze which will lay him up for a week or two.

Salovy—Snelling

Miss Emma Snelling, who formerly lived here, being employed as a housemaid by Mrs. John A. Rowland, was united in marriage at St. Thomas Rectory on Monday, April 15th, to Mr. Mark Salovy, a returned soldier of Stratford, the ceremony being performed by Rev. R. Perdue.

Expected Home Soon

It is reported that Private Wilfrid McKay, eldest son of Mr. Karl McKay, is expected home from Overseas shortly. Wilfrid enlisted with the 71st in 1915, and after several months' service on the firing line was severely wounded and has been in England since last year. His parents have been preparing to remove to Toronto but in view of his homecoming will not break up home until after their heroic son's arrival.

Grass Fires Cause Trouble

A grass fire starting in the West Ward at the rear of Judge Klein's got beyond control on Tuesday afternoon and ran along the roadway at the south of the Judge's property. A fire alarm was sent in and it was only the timely arrival of the fire brigade that prevented some buildings and fences from catching fire. It is contrary to the by-laws of the town to start these grass fires. It is an exceedingly dangerous practice and Mayor Johnston has issued an order that offenders be prosecuted.

Leaving Walkerton

Mrs W. R. Thompson, who has been taking her husband's duties as librarian since he went Overseas a year and a half ago has resigned her position much to the regret of the Board and is leaving town shortly. She will spend the summer at Wingham with her sister Mrs. Ollie Hayden, to be company for her while Mr. Hayden is absent on a business trip to the West. Later Mrs. Thompson expects to go to Toronto where her mother, Mrs. Forbes Clark and her brothers and sisters have been living since they left Walkerton last year. Mrs Thompson's departure will be regretted by her large circle of friends in town.

May Come Home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Cryderman have had word that their son Surgeon Probationer Wilbur Cryderman of the British Navy, has been invalided to England with the probability of coming home to Canada. Wilbur has been acting as a ship's surgeon in the Mediterranean the past eight months. Prior to that, he served as a member of the University staff at Salonika for nearly two years. In the summer of 1916 he had a bad attack of cholera while on duty at Salonika and it is believed he has not yet recovered from the affects of his illness. A number of his Associates were recently sent home to complete their studies at the University Toronto.

South's Store-house Burned

The warehouse of the Saugeen Valley Mills caught fire Monday afternoon. The blaze was fanned by a stiff breeze and in about twenty minutes the building was in ashes. The warehouse is situated on the G. T. R. siding about a mile and a half south of the town and it is supposed to have caught fire from burning grass started from the locomotive of the afternoon train. Some pine boards which were standing against the building caught first and went up like match wood. Mr. South valued the building at about $1,000. Some machinery and scales were destroyed valued at $150 and also 3000 feet of rock elm and pine timber, which was stored in the building. Mr. J. W South, the proprietor, was in town when the fire started and before he could get to the scene the building had been reduced to cinders. About one-third of the loss was covered by insurance.

NOTICE

It is contrary to the By-laws of the Town of Walkerton to start fires of any kind at this time of year. Parties doing so will be prosecuted.

A. P. Johnston, Mayor.

Walkerton, April 17th, 1918

Lost

In Walkerton on Saturday, April 13th Sun Life Insurance Policy No. 267481. Finder will be rewarded on leaving same at the Telescope Office.

Left For Toronto

Mr. Norman Hiscox left on Tuesday to report for duty at Toronto as Auditor of the C. P. R. Mrs. Hiscox and family will visit her people at Snelgrove for a week or so, before going to the city.

Walkerton Girl Heads Staff

Miss Ruth Robertson, who has been home on a short visit to her parents, Coun. Treas. and Mrs. Norman Robertson has been honored by an important appointment Overseas. Miss Robertson, who has been superintendent of a large hospital at Richmond Virgina, will be Chief Nurse of the United States Army Base Hospital No. 45. It will be a 1,000 bed hospital and will have a very large staff of nurses many of them recruited from the institution at Richmond. The Hospital staff will sail for France some time before the end of next month.

Killed in France

Mr. Frank Latchford received the sad news by wire last Wednesday night from his brother, S. W. (Wes) Latchford of Brandon, Man., that the latter's only son, Clendon, had been killed in France. Clendon, who was the only grandson in the Latchford family, was a fine young specimen of manhood and had a life of exceptional promise before him in the Medical profession when he threw up his studies at College early last year and enlisted at Winnipeg with the Army Medical Corps. His death occurred on March 28th, the day before Good Friday. Particulars have not been received here yet.

Latest Garden Gossip

It was reported down street yesterday morning and no doubt is as true as the war despatches from Berlin, that Mr Jim Cameron, King of Walkerton's retired farmers, and Major Henderson are going to utilize the extra daylight hour by growing dutch setts, and are looking for a good quarter of an acre. Any one having the same should consult their business agent J. O'Neil. Tommy Pye will hire the labor so the story goes and Albert will keep time with the stop watch. Big Jim's job will be to keep up the morale of his army of help as they work among the tear-producing vegetables by spinning yarns to them, a job at which he will require no assistance. With tears in both our right and left eyes as we think of what is ahead of them, we wish these gentlemen success.

Long Time In Family

By the resignation of Mrs. W. B. Thompson, the Public Librarianship, passes for the first time in over thirty years from the Thompson family. Her husband's grandfather, the late Andrew Thompson, who ran the old tannery took a great interest in books and for many years looked after the Library, which was at time known as the Mechanics Institute. When this sturdy old Scot died his son, the late William Thompson who was also something of a book-worm, took over the library, and he in turn was succeeded by his son W. B. who was librarian at the time the new building was erected and performed the duties faithfully and well, until the call came to him to go Overseas. From that time until now, the duties have been taken by his wife, who tendered her resignation to the Board last week.

The New Time

Walkerton started out bright and early Monday morning on the new time and is becoming more or less accustomed to the new order. It took the town a whole day to get into line. On Sunday half the clocks in town were out of step and as a result some folks went to church on old time and some on new time. In some of the churches a vote was taken as to what hour the services should be held this summer but in every case it was decided to follow the new order which means meeting an hour earlier than formerly. Opinion is very much divided as to the wisdom of changing the time but most people are saying little and waiting to see how the scheme will work out. One class of folks who don't care for the daylight saving scheme is the farmers. Most of them have put their clocks ahead, but they follow the old order throughout the day. "It would have suited us farmers better," one agriculturalist told the Telescope, "if the government had put the clocks back an hour instead of forward. It is often nine o'clock before the ground is fit to work on and five o'clock p. m. is the best time of the day for us." In town the gardens will no doubt profit by the extra hour. While there is no organized effort this year to bring vacant lots under cultivation, garden plots are in great demand and the local acreage will greatly exceed last

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Chloride of Lime	Sulphur
Red Cedar Compound	Water Glass

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THE FARMERS' CLUB

Co-operative farmers' clubs are taking hold in rural communities of Bruce. The "clubs" idea seems to have been largely developed in the West. Apropos of the subject we reproduce the following short magazine item: "If you asked the folks who live around Oak Mound Man., if they find farming hard and farm life dull, they would laugh at you. That community has learned the secret of co-operative social life, with the school house—a modern, well-equipped brick building—as a community centre. The Oak Mound Farmers' Club is responsible for the building of the schoolhouse, and also for the continuous series of educational programmes presented there. They conduct an open forum for discussion of the problems vital to the vicinity; they invite competent speakers to come before them and discuss topics of the world-wide interest; their young people give plays, and they have a singing society with more than forty members which at intervals gives cantatas and concerts. Other co-operative ventures which have to do more with the business interests of the community are a farmers' telephone line and a farmers' elevator at Kraques, the nearest railroad station. The success of the Oak Mound community is mainly due to fact that all work together, everyone helps, from the pastor of the church who, by the way, organized the singing society, to the school children of the first grades. The result is a farming community which has most of the pleasures and none of the drawbacks of the city—and this, we believe, makes a state of existence which is very close to the ideal."

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SIR WILFIRD LAURIER'S TITLE

(Ottawa Journal.)

"I accepted a title. Why I accepted it, holding the views I do hold, would be going into a matter of history."—Sir Wilfrid Laurier in the Commons yesterday.

What was this "matter of history" which, as Sir Wilfrid implied forced a title upon him against his will? Napoleon once said that all history was merely a lie agreed to and while the following version of the veteran Liberal chieftain came to be a Knight was not given to the writer at first hand, there is considerable reason to believe that it has much more of merit than the great Frenchman attributed to history in general. This, at all events is the version of how Sir Wilfrid got his title, and told to the writer by one who is in a position to know the truth:

After Sir Wilfrid attained the Premiership in the summers of 1896 it seemed to be the natural thing for the country to expect that he would be almost immediately given a title, and there was considerable surprise when, following the announcement of the 1897 New Year's honors, his name was not included. The explanation was that the honor had been offered, but that the Liberal leader respectfully but firmly declined it.

Six months later, however Sir Wilfrid (then plain Mr. Laurier) went to England to attend the jubilee of Queen Victoria. The reception accorded him by the British people was remarkable for its warmth. The handsome, distinguished young French Canadian statesman took London by storm, the press and public acclaiming his talents and Queen Victoria bestowing upon him particular attention and respect. One evening the Queen gave a dinner for the overseas Prime Ministers. When the young Canadian Premier, who was again honored by being seated next Her Majesty, took his seat at the banquet table, he found a card upon which Queen Victoria herself had written: "Rt. Hon. Sir Wilfrid Laurier." There was no way out of such a situation. The aged Queen had taken this means of honoring him, and Sir Wilfrid's chivalry and gallantry as well as his genuine affection for the great good monarch, triumphed over his democratic vows.

JOE RENNIE IN SCOTLAND

Visits the Heather-clad Hills of His Ancestors And Writes Chatty Impressions of Aberdeen And Incidents of his Trip

Pte Joe Rennie of the 160th Batt'n wrote the following interesting paragraphs to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rennie, after having spent a week's leave in Scotland during which he visited Edinburgh, Glasgow and Aberdeen, the latter place being the old home of Mr. Rennie's parents before coming to Canada:—

Bramshott, March 23, 1918.

Dear Ones at Home,

Just got back from Scotland on Thursday and had a very good time. We left here a week ago Friday and had six full days of it. We went to London Friday night and caught a ten-thirty train from there, travelled all night and got into Edinburgh about 8.30 Saturday morning. We only had about an hour there so we didn't see much of the town. Then we caught a train for Perth and got there about noon and then we went to Aberdeen and got in there about two thirty Saturday afternoon. It is more like a Canadian city than any I have ever seen over here. On Sunday everything was closed but the kirks. We went to the kirk Sunday night but couldn't make out much of what the preacher was saying as he spoke so very broad. They sang nearly the same hymns as they use at home. You feel a great deal more at home up there than you do in any of the English cities or towns.

Aberdeen has the nicest beach I think I have ever seen although it would be much nicer to go up there in the summer time so as to enjoy the bathing. Going up we crossed the big bridge over the Firth of Forth. I think it is supposed to be the second largest bridge in the world and coming back we came over the Tay bridge. We could see the foundations of the old bridge that fell down about thirty-two years ago. An old Scotsman told us that there were a large number of people killed when it capsized. We saw some very fine horses when we were going up. The people were nearly all putting in their grain by hand. There were quite a number of women in the fields. The Scots seem to be great workers as we saw them working in the fields shortly after daylight.

A fellow by the name of Bell from Kincardine was up with me. I had my picture taken in the kilts when we were there and I will send you one when I get them. I guess it will be a funny looking outfit alright.

I had lots of fun talking to the people in Aberdeen. I like to hear them talk. We were talking to an old man in a store there one day for about an hour and he told us everything there was to know about Scotland. We stayed at a hotel there called the Aston, and it was a very good place to stay and cheap too. It only cost us four shillings and a half a day.

Sun lay night an old fellow stopped us and says, "Are ye gaen to the Kirk ye' me necht, laddies", so he showed us the church to go to and we had supper and then went to the kirk.

We stayed in Aberdeen all the time we were away, but would have liked to have seen Glasgow, but it would have taken too much time on the train. Tell Mr. Crawford that I saw lots of the Bonnie Heather. I guess I should send him my picture in the kilt if it is any good. The people up there seem to be much like the Canadians. Their ways are about the same. There are a bunch of kilties stationed there. They mostly all belong to the Gordons and they look dandy in their uniforms. I was talking to a man up there who has a son in the West and he says "he is making good money the now". When we were changing at Edinburgh the conductor came in, there were nearly all Canadians in the car so he says, "Winnipeg, change for Brandon, Calgary, Medicine Hat, Moosejaw, Edmonton and Vancouver, B. C.", and everybody had a good laugh over it. He was working on the C. P. R. in Canada before the war. He went to France and was wounded and is on the train in Scotland now. The people up there know more about Canada than the English people, at any rate they don't ask you such foolish questions. We have great fun with some of the English people. One man asked one of the boys if he lived near Eaton's. I guess he thought it was some big city or something. We have been having dandy weather and it is getting very hot in the day time. The time goes back an hour, they are bringing the daylight saving system into force again. So we will have to get up an hour earlier to-morrow morning.

We all got boxes from the Hearst Government the other day. It must have cost a lot to send them to us as they sent one to every Ontario soldier in England and France. I was over to see Harry Harcourt to-day and he expects to leave for Canada about Monday or Tuesday although he hopes something will turn up to keep him from going. He thinks people will talk because he hasn't been to France but believe me it wasn't his fault he didn't get going. He was up to London last week and saw Mel. Wilson, Jack Rowland and Harry Wettlaufer. Nearly all of our old officers left for France this morning. Bob Rowland and Vic. McKechnie went to the 44th Battalion and Captain Whitehead went to the 8th some time ago.

Joe.

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Anniversary of Vimy Ridge



PTE. GEORGE CUNNINGHAM

Walkerton Soldier Who Fell in the Canadians' Famous Charge at Vimy Ridge, April 9th, 1917.

Town and District

Read the merchants ads.

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Fathers and mothers may find it hard to make the son rise on the new time schedule.

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A man may be an imbecile and also be a baron but a man cannot be a real man and an imbecile.

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Up to March 20th, 320 men have been ordered to report in Quebec military district. Not much less than 10,000 have been called from this military district.

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According to a recent regulation of the Food Board any barber who breaks an egg on a man's head for the purpose of shampooing will be liable to a fine of from $100 to $1,0000.

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Potatoes are dropping in price and what is worse are going to waste. Last fall the price was boosted, there was an immense crop which did not justify the price they were selling for, now the result is that thousands of bags may go to waste for the want of a market.

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Ice Still Holds

Dugald Stewart of Wiarton crossed on the ice from Big Bay to White Cloud Island on Tuesday of last week. This is the latest crossing known in many years.

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Poilu Means Hairy One.

"Poilu," the word used affectionately by the French to designate their soldiers in the present war, is shown to have originated from the French word "poil," meaning hair. It is supposed that the term poilu came to be applied to French soldiers because they were in the trenches and did not shave, as the British soldiers did.

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Gave Good Recommend

The most novel case that has come before the Gallatin County (Montana) Exemption Board is that of a married man of draft age who asked his wife to write a note to the Board, stating that his family was dependent upon him. Here is the note that his wife wrote and his wife presented to the Board.

"Dear United States Army: My husband ast me to write you a recommend that he supports his family. Just take him. He ain't no good to me. He ain't done nothing but drink lemmon essence and play a fiddle since I married him eight years ago, and I gutta feed seven children of hisn. Maybe you can get him to carry a gun. He's good on squirrels and eatin. Take him and welcum. I need the grub and his bed for the kids. Don't tell him but take him.

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TWENTY YEARS AGO.

Nobody swatted the fly.
Nobody had appendicitis.
Nobody wore white shoes.
Cream was 5 cents a pint.
Cantaloupes were muskmelons.
Milk shake was a favorite drink.
Advertisers did not tell the truth.
You never heard of a "tin Lizzie."
Doctors wanted to see your tongue.
The hired girl drew one-fifty a week.
Farmers came to town for their mail.
Nobody "listened in" on a telephone.
Nobody cared for the price of gasoline.

Folks said pneumatic tires were a joke.

The butcher "threw in" a chunk of liver.

Jules Verne was the only convert to the submarine.

You stuck tube in your ears to hear a phonograph and it cost a dime.

NEWS TOPICS OF WEEK

Important Events Which Have Occurred During the Week.

The Busy World's Happenings Carefully Compiled and Put Into Handy and Attractive Shape for the Readers of Our Paper — A Solid Hour's Enjoyment.

TUESDAY.

Newsprint men say they are threatened with a strike unless they raise wages.

Greeks are recruiting in the Caucasian army to fight against the Turks.

A Toronto sergeant and a Calgary private have been awarded the Victoria Cross.

Moscow is greatly agitated over the landing of Japanese soldiers at Vladivostok.

More than two million dollars was paid in 1916-17 in customs duties on farm implements.

A reprieve has been granted to Bolo Pasha, but it is expected to be of short duration.

Large industrial users of gas in Western Ontario will likely be obliged to use other fuel after July 1.

Lt.-Col. Noel Marshall brought a cheque for $500,000 from the American Red Cross as a gift to the Canadian fund.

The 85th annual meeting of the Upper Canada Tract Society was held last night in the Bible Training College, Toronto.

The City Council of Toronto will memorialize Sir Robert Borden, asking for the reinstatement of Cost of Living Commissioner O'Connor.

Women of the Social Service Club decided to petition the Minister of Justice at Ottawa to have more severe penalties in seduction cases.

During the past three months 11,483 volunteers have joined the Canadian forces, and in January and February 17,428 men were drafted.

Twenty-one short-term prisoners at Dorchester Penitentiary have volunteered and been accepted to serve in the war on condition of receiving pardons at the termination.

Premier Borden announced in the Commons an order-in-Council passed on March 9 looking to the abolishment of hereditary titles in Canada and the restriction of other titles and distinctions.

WEDNESDAY.

The Dutch spirits industry will shortly cease operation, owing to the scarcity of grain.

John D. Kunta, Kitchener, was accidentally jolted off a wagon, and died next morning.

Charles F. Sise, chairman of the Bell Telephone Co. of Canada, died at Montreal, in his 83rd year.

The Dominion textile workers at Kingston have been granted a general increase of ten per cent.

Mgr. Stagni, Apostolic Delegate of the Holy See in Canada, has concluded his term of office here.

Sir Robert Borden intimates that Canada's Daylight-saving Bill will go into effect on Monday, April 15.

No embargo has been placed on American automobiles. The whole matter of restriction of imports is still under consideration.

The Ulster Unionist party are strong for conscription in Ireland at once. Home Rulers say they will oppose it to the death, but it is believed to be only bluff.

With the arrival of the Germans in Finland the Red Guard cause is lost and the fall of Helsingfors is expected in the near future.

Kazan province, in eastern European Russia, has been proclaimed an independent republic by the Congress of Peasants in that province.

A British torpedo-boat destroyer sank last Thursday as the result of a collision, and all hands on board are believed to have been drowned.

A public reception was given by the Kingston City Council to the First Contingent men of Kingston and immediate district on furlough.

Sergt. Reynolds, Engineers, Halifax, was given two years' suspended sentence. He was accused of the theft of $692.40 from the Militia Department.

King George has signed a royal warrant providing that promotions to the rank of general in the British army shall be by selection instead of by seniority.

Nikolai Lenine, the Bolshevik Premier, in a speech at Moscow, said that possibly Russia would have to declare war on Japan in connection with the landing of Japanese troops at Vladivostok.

Lt.-Col. W. S. Buell and Major (Sir) E. S. Worthington, Royal Army Medical Corps, of Brockville, have been brought to the notice of the Secretary of State for War for valuable services rendered in connection with the war.

THURSDAY.

A new nickel refinery is to be erected near Hull, to cost about a million dollars.

The British House of Commons yesterday passed the second reading of the man-power bill.

The net debt of the Dominion at the end of February stood at a little more than a billion dollars.

Returned soldiers in a house in Toronto were surprised by a police raid last night, when a quantity of liquor were seized.

The official record of ships sunk during the past week is less than in any similar period since November of last year.

Forty-one married furlough men of the First Contingent met and set forth their claims to a permanent residence in Canada.

Six thousand troops will be located at Niagara Camp this summer, under the command of Lt.-Col. John I. McLaren of Hamilton.

Mayor Church has signed for more ship orders in Toronto, claiming that the Dominion Government should divert more business to this city.

A large reduction has been made in the surplus of apples and potatoes in Canada by the new anti-waste and anti-hoarding orders of the Food Board.

The Senate of the United States has passed the sedition bill prohibiting lax under twenty years' imprisonment acts against the army draft or Liberty loan.

The Federal Government and the Governments of Saskatchewan and Manitoba are joining in establishing a plant at Estevan to make briquettes out of lignite.

Hon. Everett Colby, a member of the Food Commission of the United States, delivered two impressive addresses on the food situation in Europe before Toronto audiences.

FRIDAY.

Mr. Donald McDonald has been appointed as Deputy Minister of Game and Fisheries.

The French Government has pubdered a million pounds of desiccated vegetables from a Belleville firm.

Boston received its first free of duty cargo of Canadian fish under the recent reciprocity arrangement.

Columbia University, New York, conferred the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws upon the Archbishop of York.

Lieut. Reginald Wilson, of Belleville, has been appointed commander at one of the principal aviation camps in England.

The Board of Health of Toronto has recommended that fees at the Isolation Hospital for private patients be increased.

The Daylight-saving Bill was given third reading in the Senate, and the change is likely to be made at 2 a.m. Sunday morning next.

Hon. French Government has published a private letter of Emperor Charles of Austria practically admitting the justice of the allies' contentions.

The Ontario Government has decided to increase the price paid for fish from Lake Nipigon, affecting all sales of Ontario fishermen to the province.

Hon. T. W. Crothers read in the Commons Mr. W. F. O'Connor's letter resigning his post as Cost of Living Commissioner, and his own reply accepting it.

Sir Adam Beck has declared his opposition to the extension of the franchise of the Toronto-Niagara Western Radial, sought by the C.N.R. from the Dominion Government.

SATURDAY.

In Winnipeg a Domestic Workers' Union has been formed.

Well over $50,000,000 worth of fish was marketed in Canada last year.

Italian Ministers say Italy will be able to resist offensive Austrians are preparing.

Activity at German naval bases, especially Kiel, indicates that Teuton fleet may come out.

Vancouver barbers will charge 50 cents for a hair cut and 25 cents for a shave after April 22.

The name of the Canadian Society of Engineers has been changed to the Engineering Institute of Canada.

About forty standard hotel licenses will be cut off this year by the Ontario Board of Licensed Commissioners.

Railway fares of farm laborers recruited through the Government-Employment Bureaus will be paid by the province to the scene of their summer employment.

A troop train on the Wabash Railroad was ditched near Courtland, but though the engine overturned and several cars followed it no one, it is reported, was injured.

The hearing of the Toronto, Niagara & Western radial charter extension case will be deferred until April 23, in Ottawa, when it will be opposed by Hydro representatives.

Sir William Meredith at the C.N.R. arbitration yesterday suggested that engineers be sent out to make an examination of a typical mile of different sections of the road.

Louis M. Maynard, manager of the branch of the Dominion Bank at Queen and Dundas streets, Toronto, was arrested at the Union Station, charged with the theft of $2,000 from the bank.

Home Rule proposals agreed to by a majority of the Irish Convention have been submitted to Premier Lloyd George. The Ulster members make a minority report, refusing to agree to the program.

Mr. John D. Rockefeller, Jr., speaking to the Montreal Canadian Club, told of a successful scheme of brotherhood he had seen in operation when in committee equally representing master and men co-operated to settle problems amicably.

MONDAY.

A rather poor crop of maple syrup is reported from Quebec.

Sixty-two persons were killed in the air raid on Paris on Friday night.

Senator Stone of Missouri has succumbed to an attack of paralysis.

Three Military Service Act objectors in Calgary were sentenced to five year at hard labor.

The first session of the fourth Alberta Legislature prorogued quietly on Saturday.

Commissioner Perry, C.M.G., has resigned as head of the Royal Northwest Mounted Police.

Ontario advanced its clocks one hour and fell into line with the new order with little friction.

Count Czernin has issued an official statement saying that Emperor Charles' letter to Prince Sixtus was falsified.

Dominion Policeman Geo. McLeod was shot Friday night when attempting to arrest a French-Canadian named Whissel under the Military Service Act.

Mr. Wm. Newman, naval architect and works manager of the Polson Iron Works & Steel Shipbuilding Co., Toronto, is likely to accept a position with the United States Fleet Corporation of Hog Island, Philadelphia.

Gladys and Herbert Pillsbury, aged three and four, were burned to death in the cellar of their home in Toronto, and seven others were injured in attempting to effect rescues from the burning building.

The coroner's jury inquiring into the death of four civilians killed in the rioting at Quebec on the 1st of April rendered a verdict exonerating the soldiers, and recommending reasonable indemnification of the families of the victims, who were innocent and unarmed, also of all who suffered damages from the riot.

THE MARKETS

TORONTO MARKETS.

TORONTO, April 15.—The Board of Trade quotations for Saturday are as follows:

Manitoba Wheat (in Store, Fort William, including 2½c Tax).
No. 1 northern, $3.23½.
No. 2 northern, $3.20½.
No. 3 northern, $3.17½.
No. 4 wheat, $3.15½.

Manitoba Oats (in Store, Fort William).
No. 2 C.W., 91c.
No. 3 C.W., 86½c.
Extra No. 1 feed, 83½c.
No. 1 feed, 81½c.
American Corn (Track, Toronto).
No. 3 yellow—U. S. A. War Board prohibit importation.
Ontario Oats (According to Freights Outside).
No. 3 white, 93c to 96c.
No. 4 white, 90c to 93c.
Ontario Wheat (Seats in Store, Montreal).
No. 2 winter, per car lot, $2.23.
Peas (According to Freights Outside).
No. 2, $3.83 to $3.78.
Barley (According to Freights Outside Malting, $1.62 to $1.67.
Buckwheat (According to Freights Outside).
No. 3, $2.60.
Rockwheat, $1.83 to $1.85.
Rye (According to Freights Outside).
No. 3, $2.60.

Manitoba Flour (Toronto).
War quality, $11.10, new bags.
Ontario Flour (Prompt Shipment, Bags).
War quality, $10.70, Montreal, Toronto.
Millfeed (Car Lots, Delivered, Montreal Freights, Bags included).
Bran, per ton, $25.00.
Shorts, per ton, $28.00.
Hay (Track, Toronto).
No. 1, per ton, $17 to $18; mixed $16.

Straw (Track, Toronto).
Car lots, per ton, $8.50 to $9.

Farmers' Market.
Fall wheat—Selling, $2.14 per bushel.
Goose wheat—$2.10 to $2.12 per bushel.
Barley—Malting, $1.10 to $1.62 per bush.
Oats—75c to $1 per bushel.
Buckwheat—$1.45 per bushel.
Rye—According to sample, nominal.
Hay—Timothy, $20 to $22 per ton; mixed and clover, $18 to $20 per ton.

WINNIPEG GRAIN MARKET.

Winnipeg, April 13.—There was a good demand for cash oats this morning, with spreads unchanged from Friday, with the exception of No. 2 C.W., which was a ½c better. The offerings were light. Cash barley was ½c lower in price on No. 3 and No. 4 grades, with the demand not strong. The offerings were small. There was practically no change in the cash flax situation. The offerings were light and somewhat enough.

Oats closed 1½c lower for May and 1½c down for July.

Barley closed 4½c lower for May. Flax closed 14c lower for May and 9c lower for July.

Winnipeg market: Oats—May opened 91¾c, closed 92½c; July opened 89¾c, closed 91¼c.

Barley closed $1.62.

Flax—May closed $3.85¾; July closed $3.82.

Cash prices: Oats—No. 2 C.W., 92½; No. 3 C.W., 90½c; extra No. 1 feed, 89½c; No. 1 feed, 87½c; No. 2 feed, 85½c. Barley—No. 3 C.W. $1.62; No. 4, $1.52; feed, $1.32. Flax—No. 1 N.W.C., $3.85¾; No. 2 C.W., $3.80½; No. 3 C.W., $3.60¾.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.

J. P. Bickell & Co. report the following prices on the Chicago Board of Trade:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Close
Corn—					
May ...	127¼	127¾	127	127	127¼
June ...	124⅝	125⅛	124⅝	125⅛	125⅜
July ...	125⅝	126¼	125¼	126¼	126⅜
Oats—					
May ...	85¼	85¾	85¼	85	85⅜
April ...	84⅝	85⅜	84	85	85⅜
Pork—					
May ...	47.50	47.85	47.70	47.85	47.85
Lard—					
May ...	25.70	25.70	25.55	25.60	25.67
July ...	25.80	26.00	25.80	25.95	25.92
Ribs—					
May ...	24.17	24.37	24.05	24.05	24.20
July ...	24.35	24.70	24.25	24.32	24.70

CATTLE MARKET

UNION STOCK YARDS.

TORONTO, April 15.—Receipts on the Union Yards for to-day's market consist of 163 cars, 2,110 cattle, 1,200 calves, 1639 hogs and 200 sheep and lambs.

EAST BUFFALO LIVE STOCK

East Buffalo, April 13.—Cattle—Receipts 150; steady.

Calves—Receipts 400; slow; $5 to $16.50.

Hogs—Receipts 3,600; strong; heavy $13.60 to $13.65; mixed $13.60 to $13.70; yorkers $13.70 to $13.80; light yorkers $13.50 to $13.55; pigs $13.25 to $13.30; roughs $12.25 to $12.50; stags $12.00 to $12.50.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 600; slow and unchanged.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, April 13.—Cattle—Receipts, market steady. Native beef cattle, $14.50 to $16.40; stockers and feeders, $11.25 to $12.85; cows and heifers, $7.40 to $13.50; calves, $10 to $15.

Hogs—Receipts, 17,000; market steady. Light, $17.15 to $18; mixed, $17.15 to $17.75; heavy, $16.40 to $17.35; rough, $16.40 to $16.55; pigs, $13 to $12. bulk of sales, $17.35 to $17.75.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 2000; market steady. Native, $12.50 to $15.85; western, $12.50 to $15.

Grain for Holland.

THE HAGUE, April 13.—The Commissioner of the American War Trade Board's offer to send immediately two shiploads of American grain to Holland and to facilitate the sending of a third shipload from Argentina or elsewhere, considerable popular relief here through the prospect that the distress owing to the shortage of food supply would be alleviated. The condition is that three equivalent vessels must be Dutch ports simultaneously. This was not mentioned in the press message carrying the announcement, but yet reached the newspapers, however, say by way of rumor.

Aerial Operations.

LONDON, April 15.—"On Saturday it was cloudy and misty," was an official statement on aerial operations last night, "but our low-flying machines dropped 1,200 bombs on enemy troops on roads leading to the front. Only a few sights occurred, and the results were indefinite. One of our machines is missing."

U. S. Steamer Burned.

SYDNEY, N.S., April 15. — The agent of the Marine Department here was advised yesterday that an American steamer was burned off the Nova Scotia coast on Saturday night and that the crew had been transferred to a U. S. warship which came to her assistance. The name of the vessel was not mentioned.

American Casualties.

WASHINGTON, April 15. — The casualty list yesterday contained 61 names.



Who Is Speaking?

WHEN you answer the telephone by saying "Hello," a whole series of time-wasting questions must ensue!

¶ "Hello?" "Hello!" "Is that you Jack?" "Yes, who is that speaking?" "This is Bill!" "Oh, hello Bill"—and so it goes.

¶ Why not answer at once by saying "Mr. Watson speaking," or "Mr. Watson of Smith & Co. speaking."

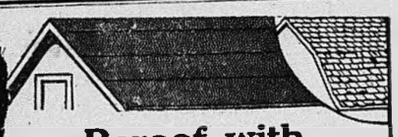
¶ Save time by answering at once with your name. Don't say 'Hello.'

The Bell Telephone Co. of Canada

HOG PRODUCTION

It is a matter of the greatest importance that Canada should increase her production of BACON HOGS and other live stock as there is at present a world-wide shortage of meat. Good markets for some time to come are assured.

THE CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE will gladly make loans to assist farmers in good standing to acquire live stock. 301



Reroof with Brantford Asphalt Roofing

Don't let a leaky roof damage the wall paper, carpets or furniture in your home, the crops in your barn or the goods in your store. Tear off the old shingles or other worn out roofing material and put on a lasting roof of Brantford Asphalt Roofing.

This roofing is made of a blend of hard and soft asphalts on a long-fibred felt base. By blending the asphalts a roofing of remarkable elasticity is secured—one that is flexible, durable and capable of resisting all kinds of severe climatic extremes.

Brantford Asphalt Roofing is, in addition, surfaced with silicia sand on both sides, which adds to its weight, fire-resistance and durability. You may be offered other sanded roofing, but it will not have the quality of material or weight of saturation of Brantford Asphalt Roofing.

Made in three weights:—60 lb., 70 lb., 80 lb. per square.

Brantford Rubber Roofing

is the same quality as Brantford Asphalt, but has a smooth, rubbery surface instead of the sand. It is particularly suitable for verandah decks and floor coverings. Three weights:—40 lb., 50 lb., and 60 lb. per square.

Standard Mohawk Roofing

consists of the same grade of materials as Brantford Asphalt Roofing but is lighter in weight—a thoroughly reliable roofing at a low price. Tested for years and has given entire satisfaction. Sanded on one side. One weight:—40 lbs. per square.

Mohawk Rubber Roofing

The same quality as Standard Mohawk but with a smooth surface. Used for all classes of temporary work—sheds, bunk-houses, camp sites, even dugouts in the trenches. 35 lb., 45 lb., and 55 lb. weights.

Leatheroid Roofing

Slightly lower quality than Mohawk Rubber. Used for same purposes. 35 lb., 45 lb., and 55 lb. weights.

Samples of any of these roofings and prices will be furnished by either the makers or their agents in this locality.

Brantford Roofing Co. Limited

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NEWSY HAPPENINGS IN BRUCE

Now they have involved an eggless, milkless, butterless cake. And strange as it may seem, it is not tasteless.

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It isn't expected that the new daylight saving bill will affect the railways. They will probably be behind time as usual.

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Agincourt, in York County, will probably have Hydro-Electric service this month. It will supply farmers in Scarboro' Township.

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The township council of Egremont has purchased four cars of corn to sell to the farmers for feed. It cost $3 per cwt. in Chicago and will by sold at cost with freight and exchange added.

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Mr. A. P. McKenzie, the clever editor of the Lucknow Sentinel, has proved conclusively that he is not a confirmed bachelor after all by taking to himself a wife. We extend congratulations.

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In a London butcher store, not long ago, a lady customer secured a joint of mutton for which she paid 16s 6d. Infuriated at so large a piece of meat going to one person, other women act up on her, snatched the joint away, and insisted upon its being cut into several portions.

Try the Telescope for tasty job printing.

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A Spring day in the air is worth two in the almanac.

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Goderich grocers announce that they will do a strictly cash business after May 1st. Saturday night delivery will also be cut off.

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The speed limit on the Toronto-Hamilton concrete speedway has been raised to 30 miles an hour and this speed is permitted within certain parts of town limits' pr-perly indicated. Look out for accidents.

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That the Lieutenant-Governor's palace at Toronto is a relic of the very thing that caused the war was stated at a ratepayers' meeting. It was urged that it be closed up to save 967 tons of coal, and less pretentious quarters found for the Lieutenant-Governor.

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At the Stratford council a claim was received from Philip Schmidt for $5,000 damages for the death of his son Edmund, who was drowned in a covered creek belonging to the city, on March 20th. The claimant alleges that the council was negligent in not keeping the highway and premises properly guarded.

So the bank clerks are to be conscripted. As their customers can tell them, it's no use trying to dodge the draft.

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What is reported to be the largest office building in the world is now in course of construction in Washington, D. C. for the housing of the War and Navy Departments. The structure will cover most of the area of a site 1800 feet long by 580 feet deep. It will be reinforced concrete construction, three stories in height, and mark a distinct departure from the former type of Government emergency construction.

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Pigs is Pigs!

There was considerable noise around the Rathbury House stables on Saturday morning last when the distribution of pigs was made to the members of The Molsons Bank Pig Club. About thirty boys and girls were on hand to receive their pigs and Mr. Thomas Mason, who was in charge, had his hands full. The Bank is selling the pigs to the children at cost and will buy them back about October 1st, at the market price or better. Prizes also will be given for best results, and to encourage the children to increase production. Another distribution will be made next Saturday.—Clinton New Era.

Idleness is now punishable by six months imprisonment in Canada.

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There is such a thing as local patriotism. The man who helps to build up his own town is doing something worth while.

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A Collingwood grocer is giving the "cash and carry system a trial. A discount of two per cent is allowed on all goods carried home by the purchaser.

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Mr. Chas. Schefter has disposed of one of his 100 acre farms on the B. line to Mr. Andrew Meyer for the sum of $4700. Mr. Schefter purchased his farm from John Beingessner a year ago. The farm will be worked by Mr. Meyer's son, Lawrence, who has already taken possession of the premises.—Mildmay Gazette.

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A consumer is a town man who wants the farmer to feed him for nothing, and prepay the freight on the provender. And a producer is a countryman who wants to get every cent the town man has, and leave him nothing for tobacco and car fare. How men love each other when it comes to business.—Houston Post.

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His Huckleberry

A great comedian was once served by a grocer named Berry. On one occasion the latter had sent his bill when it was due. The comedian remonstrated. "You have sent in your bill, Berry, before it was due. Berry: your father the elder Berry, would [illegible] such a goose [illegible] look so black [illegible] a straw, Ber,— [illegible] bill till due, I—

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Big Prices For Farms

The biggest real estate deal of the season in this district has been closed during the past week. It involved the sum of $40,500. George A. Wilson's farm of 160 acres, a mile to the east of town, was purchased by John O. McKenzie of Elpa for $20,500 and Walker Cobbett's farm of 150 acres on the Eam flat was purchased by Kenneth Mackenzie for $20,000. In each case the stock and farm equipment was included in the sale.—Alliston Herald.

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Can You Equal This?

H. W. Laird of Fordwich on a 200-acre farm, made an unusual drive last year in the production of food. His record looks like a fairy tale, but it is quite within the bounds of duplication by many others, if help is secured or the man's energy is equal to the task. During the last twelve months he put on the market 22,450 pounds beef, 10,109 lbs. pork, 11,221 lbs. milk, 248 lbs. butter fat, 1,010 lbs. maple syrup, 553 doz. eggs. He also sold two draft colts and seven brood sows.

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Wiarton Church Burned

Fire which may have been of incendiary origin completely destroyed the old Lutheran Church. The fire started in the woodshed, and when discovered by a pedestrian had made such progress that nothing could be done to save the building. A lean-to in the rear of the church was used as a woodshed, the door being locked from the inside. It is thought that parties broke into the shed and started the blaze. Many years ago the church was used by the Congregationalists, but shortly after their union with the Presbyterians was sold to the Lutherans.

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Exhaust Gas Deadly

An unfortunate affair that might have been attended by more serious results happened on the farm of Mr. John Hamilton, of near Cromarty. Mr. Hamilton started the gasoline engine running allowing the exhaust to escape in the barn. After some time he was overtaken with a sick and dizzy spell and started for the house. He also noticed that some of the cattle were down. Neighbors were immediately telephoned for, and when they arrived at the farm Mr. Hamilton was in an unconscious condition, as were also some of the cattle. The animals were hauled from the barn into the fresh air where they afterwards revived, but four pigs that were in the building at the time succumbed to the fumes

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Commissioner on Job

Mr. D. J. Izzard, County Commissioner of Good Roads, was in town on Saturday, in the course of a preliminary survey of the roads of the county system which he is making by driving over them with a horse and buggy. By this means Mr. Izzard hopes to become acquainted with every hill and hollow, turn and stretch and be in a position to plan for improvements. He informed Reeve Steele that this year the greater part of the work to be done will consist of putting in a new culvert and widening others, making all 25 feet wide, with wings and retaining walls to keep the road from washing out at such points. The cutting out of all sharp turns is contemplated, so that drivers of all kinds of vehicles can have a clear view of the road for a distance ahead that will make travel much [illegible] many places than it is at present.—Paisley Advocate.

THE FIRST 160th. HERO TO FALL IN FRANCE



SERGEANT NORMAN FARQUHARSON

Eldest son of Mr. John Farquharson Clerk of Teeswater, and Mrs. Farquharson, Died of Wounds, March 23rd, 1918, in a Military Hospital, 'Somewhere in France.'

Landed in Canada

Lieut. Harry Harcourt, formerly of the 160th Batt'n who was invalided home owing to an infection of the face for which he underwent thirteen operations while in England, arrived in Canada last week. He is now with his mother in Toronto.

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It Happened

In a small town where something of importance happens perhaps once a year signs were posted on every tree and pole which read, "He is coming. He is coming." About two weeks later new signs appeared proclaiming, He is here. He is here. He is at the Town Hall to night. Admission 10 cents." All the townsfolk, enticed by the prospect of seeing a distinguished person, gathered at the hall at the time appointed. At 8 o'clock the curtain was raised displaying a large sign which read: "He has gone."

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A Close Call.

A very serious and what might have been fatal accident befell Mr. Adam McLean's two youngest boys about five o'clock on Saturday evening last. They were watching the tearing down of the old tannery when a piece of the brick wall fell on them. Jack, the eldest of the two, aged about 8 years, had his left leg broken between the knee and ankle; while his brother Kenneth, a lad of 6 had his skull fractured. It was thought for a time that Kenneth would succumb to his injuries, but under the skilful care of Dr. McLeod, we are pleased to say he is now out of danger. —Wiarton News.

Home from China.

Mrs. (Dr.) Struthers (nee Miss Margaret Walks), of Honan, China, arrived a few days ago on furlough, which she will spend at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Walks, 2nd of Elderslie. Dr. Struthers is still in France, where he was sent about a year ago, as medical officer in charge of a corps of Chinese war helpers.—Paisley Advocate.

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And Teacher Falsted

"Good morning, children," said the arithmetic teacher. "How many of you have prepared an original problem in multiplication, as I requested?" Only one hand went up. "Well, William you may give your problem, and the rest of the class may solve it." "If my baby sister is a year old now and weighs twenty pounds, and keeps gaining two ounces a day until she is 16 years old; and if the price of living doubles again in the next ten years, how much will my sister's graduation outfit cost? Mother says she would like to know."

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Making Good in U.S.

Card to hand this week from Birmingham, Alabama, bears the picture of John Moffat, a former Kinloss boy, who has drifted to Uncle Sam's territory. Mr. Moffat has been secretary to the Secretary of State and is now in the field for the office of Secretary of State (for Alabama.) He appears to enjoy a large measure of popularity and is making a vigorous campaign. He is a brother of Messers. F. G. and Wm. Moffat of Langside.—Lucknow Sentinel.

They Got Him

The big interests have got W. F. O'Connor, K. C., the man who laid bare the cold storage scandals, notably that of Sir Joseph Flavelle's Co. He has been compelled to resign, but full particulars concerning the resignation have not been made public. Of all the expensive commissioners that have been appointed Mr. O'Connor is the only one who has earned his money. From the time he disposed Flavelle and made the country gasp the "big interests" have been after his scalp and now they got it. But O'Connor's good work will not be blotted out.

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The Booster Beaten

In a railway carriage the conversation turned upon gardening. "I guess," said an American, "none of you ever saw parsnips as I grew out in the States last year. Why, I had to hire a steam derrick to get them out of the ground!" "Talking about parsnips," said Perkins meekly, "reminds me of some I grew to try the effect of a patent fertiliser my brother had discovered. Those parsnips for size easily beat all records, and just how far the root penetrated into the earth we could only guess at. But at our disappointment the plants suddenly sickened and died. "I guess that was a pity," said the American sarcastically. "What was the matter with 'um? Outgrew their strength I suppose." "Well," replied Perkins calmly, "we found out afterwards, it was because the ends of the roots had been [illegible] Australia!"

Town and District

"Where did we get that word 'Sat an'?" "Oh, that's merely an Old Nick name."

At Elora the Council will subdivide a two acre unused portion of the cemetery for garden plots for the citizens.

Owners of threshing machines in Mildmay and vicinity are contemplating increasing their rates to $25 a day.

Mrs. James McCarter of Brant who underwent a serious operation at the County Hospital recently returned home last Thursday.

Mr. John Gregg of Claremont visited his sister Mrs. Wm. Morgan who is ill, and his brother-in-law, Mr. Amos Hoover this week.

Mr. Jack Busby, formerly Deputy Registrar, who has enlisted with the 71 st. Battery at Toronto, spent the week end with friends in town.

Mrs. Henry Stroeder, Con 10, Carrick, who underwent a serious operation at the County Hospital recently was able to return home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Benninger, their son, Sergt. Will, and daughter Miss Olivia, were guests of their sons, George and Fred Benninger over Sunday.

Mr. Louis Schlorff of Carick, wh was operated upon by Dr. Hall a week ago Sunday for a serious case of appendicitis is reported to be doing nicely.

Several million years from now, a well known astronomer gravely informed us, the earth would shoot like a meteor straight into the heart of the sun—and we're worried about it.

Rev. Thos. Wilson will exchange work next Sunday with Rev. D. C. Soules of Southampton. Mr. Soules will give the visitation for the Congregation to send representatives to Presbytery on May 7th regarding their pastor's resignation.

The constant drop of water wears a way the hardest stone. The constant gnaw of Towzer masticates the hardest bone. The constant cooing lover carries off the blushing maid, and the Telescope advertiser is the man who gets the trade.

She fasted through Lent with a fine self-control,
The plump Miss Petunia Pape.
Some said it was done for the good of her soul,
Some said for the good of her shape.

A coal stove in a Mildmay dentist's office exploded and shook the town. Part of the stove crashed through the ceiling, while other portions went out through the windows into the street. All the windows in the office were blown out, and the doctor was seriously hurt, one gash in his head requiring twenty-four stitches to close.

The women of warring countries are not idle. The latest to grant the franchise is Austria, and the chief qualifications is that they be 24 years old, and able to read and write. The women there cannot be as secretive about their ages if they all admit to 24 summers. In any event here's hoping they do as much good there as the women have done here.

Descriptions of life in the warmer climes to the south have an alluring sound, but after all it is the people of the north who are doing the great things in the world. The war is showing once again that the best fighting blood is in the northern temperate zone. The late James J. Hill, the great railway magnate, is credited with the saying: "You can't interest me in any proposition in any place where it doesn't snow."

About a month ago three deer, a buck, a doe, and a young fawn, made their appearance near Balaclava, coming it is thought from Griffith's Island on the ice. The doe was killed by someone and in all probability prosecution will follow. This is a serious offence and should the guilt be placed, the offender or offenders should be made to pay dearly for their act. The deer were placed on Griffith's Island by Mr. W. P. Telford and cannot be easily replaced.—Owen Sound Sun.

The sugar maple of Canada has barely done its bit this Spring to aid production. There have been 55,000 evaporating plants in Canada making maple sugar worth 14 million dollars. In Quebec alone there are 35,000 sugar-making plants and 20,000 in Ontario and New Brunswick. This year the output will be largely increased. If all the super maple trees of Canada were tapped, it is estimated the value of maple sugar and syrup would reach 8 million dollars.

Talented Cow

Advertisement in a rural New England weekly: "Wanted— A steady, respectable young man to look after a garden and care for a cow who has a good voice and is accustomed to sing in the choir."

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BORN

KNOLL.—At Solway, on Friday, April 12th, 1918, to Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Knoll, a daughter.

HALLIDAY—In Chesley, on April 1st, to Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Halliday, a son.

With The "Sammies"



FRANK SPITZIG

Who has been in training with Uncle Sam's Forces at Spartanburg, South Carolina, since August. He writes home that Camp Life is agreeing with him famously.

Mr. Hank Irwin hitched a colt along with a mate to wagon at the Grand Trunk Station one morning last week and started for the farm. The horse which was unbroken to a wagon, gave him a lively time and endeavored to muss up the scenery near Baker's Grocery. The team reached home however in a gentler mood under Hank's skilful handling with no damage done.

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A Sudden Call

Mr. Joseph Dosman, an old and highly respected pioneer of Culross was called away very suddenly at his home in Mildmay early Thursday morning April 11th. Mr. Dosman who had been enjoying his accustomed health had just returned from the homestead in Culross where he had been helping his son Harry in the sugar bush and went to bed at the usual hour. Shortly after midnight his wife, who had just come in from attending a sick woman, noticed that he was breathing heavily and tried to rouse him. In a few moments life fluttered away. Heart trouble, with which he had suffered more or less the past two years, was the cause of his demise. Mr. Dosman who was about 76 years of age, had spent nearly all his life in Culross. He is an industrious and intelligent farmer, a good neighbor and was respected for his high principles. Two years ago he retired to the village of Mildmay. His loss is deeply mourned by a widow, three sons and four daughters. Harry resides on the homestead in Culross. Isabella and Melinda are at home, the others living in Western Canada. A large concourse of friends and relatives attended the funeral at Formosa on Monday morning, which was conducted by Rev. Fr. Brohman.

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The Tractor

The Tractor on the farm arose.
Before the dawn at four;
It drove the cows and washed the clothes,
And finished every chore;
Then forth it went into the fields,
Just at the break of day—
It reaped and threshed the golden yield
And hauled it all away.
It ploughed the field that afternoon
And when the job was through
It hummed a pleasant little tune,
And churned the butter, too:
Then pumped the water for the stock
And ground a crib of corn,
And hauled the baby round the block
To still its cries forlorn.
Thus ran the busy hours away
By many a labor-let,
And yet when fell the twilight grey
The tractor had no rest;
For while the farmer peaceful-eyed,
Read by the tungsten's glow,
The patient tractor stood outside
And ran the dynamo.

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Aunt Sally's Letter

To the Readers of The Walkerton Telescope

Dear Friends,—

Our attention is drawn to the Children's Aid Society of Bruce County by the arrival of Mr. Elliott who has had considerable experience in Children's Aid work at Ottawa. I have had a chat with him regarding the work and he told me some interesting things that I thought you would be interested in too. The duties of the Society are:—

(1) The protection of children from neglect and cruelty.

(2) The placing of homeless or dependent children in foster homes.

(3) General child welfare and educational work.

Now I wasn't quite sure just what was meant by "neglect." So he showed me a little book called Handbook on Children's Protection Act. Here is a complete definition of what a neglected child is.

"Neglected Child" shall mean a child who is found begging, receiving alms, thieving in a public place, sleeping at night in the open air, loitering about in a public place after nine o'clock in the evening, associating or dwelling with a thief, drunkard or vagrant or is a habitual truant, or a child who by reason of the n glect, drunkenness or other vice of its parents is growing up without salutary parental control and education, or in circumstances exposing such child to an idle and dissolute life; or who is found in a house of ill-fame, or known to associate with or be in the company of reputed prostitute; or an orphan, or an illegitimate child whose mother is unable to maintain it; or who is deserted by its parents; or where only parent is undergoing imprisonment for crime; or who by reason of ill-treatment, continual personal injury or grave misconduct or habitual intemperance of its parents or either of them is in peril of loss of life, health or morality; or whose home by reason of neglect, cruelty or depravity is an unfit place for such child."

I didn't expect that "neglect" could mean so much and it is well worth knowing.

"Now what can we do to help along the good work?" I asked Mr. Elliott. He said there were four ways to help and these were:—

By becoming a member.
Reporting neglected children.
Adopting a friendless child.
Helping the cause financially.

We are proud of the Bruce Old Girls and Boys and I am sure we will all help the Children's Aid Society to give every little Bruce girl and boy a good start in life.

Faithfully yours,
Aunt Sally

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PRESENTS FOR SENATORS' WIVES

The next time we are over at Pinkerton, writes Editor Wm. McDonald of the Chesley Enterprise, we will call at Senator Donnelly's to ask him let us see the handbag and purse he got for his better half at the country's expense. This is how Toronto Saturday Night shows up a pillage in the Senate in bread daylight:—"Evidence is at hand of the active entrance of women into the political arena. Members of the Canadian Senate have purchased, at Government expense, of course, one hundred ladies' handbags at $8 each, and forty ladies' purses at $5.50 each. Auditor-General Fraser, who voiced a protest before Parliament in respect to spending Government money in this manner, does not inform us on whom these new gew gaws were bestowed. We have before now heard of buying a colored gentleman's vote with a ham, but a woman's support purchased with an $8 handbag or a $5.50 purse is a new note in politics. As Government waste goes at Ottawa, this is, of course, a mere flea bite, but when our staid old Senators slide down the hill of virtue to the extent of grafting fairy trifles for their sisters, their cousins and their aunts, and then have the nerve to declaim on public platforms on the necessity of more production, plainer living, cutting out the luxuries, and all that sort of thing, it inclines the average citizen to get hot under the collar. And, by the way, who got these bags and purses? The Senate contains roughly ninety members, so there are sufficient eight-dollar handbags to go around one to the family, with the goodly margin of ten over. Add the forty purses, and it would seem that the Hon. Senators' female relations are fairly well taken care of."

Walkerton Markets

(Revised) Wednesday, April 17th

Hay	$16.00 to $12.00
Oats, per bush.	90 to 90
Wheat " "	2.10 to 2.10
Butter, per lb.	43 to 45
Eggs, per doz.	45 to .45
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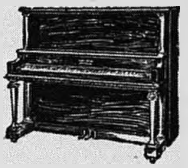
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LIVE NEWS OF NEIGHBORING VILLAGES AND COUNTRYSIDE

:-: Happenings of the Week Collected for the Readers of The Telescope by a Staff of Wideawake Correspondents :-:

EDEN GROVE

The Red Cross dance at Eden Grove went off with a bang last Friday. Everybody there was presented with a rip-roaring hullabaloo of a musical frolic. The spirit of Mr. Jiggs permeated every foot in the hall, even into the staid euchre players upon the platform whose feet would sometimes be keeping time to the music whilst they trumped their partner's ace.

Old men, young men, and imps. Fat men, lean men, and those that weren't yet men at all. Tall men, short men and babies. Lovely girls, lovey girls, fair girls, dark girls and girls that weren't yet girls at all. Slim girls and plump girls all wiggled their toes to the entrancing music played by the Hetsler Bros. The proceeds to the Red Cross amounted to about fifteen dollars.

Angus Blue is still farming.

A great and disastrous fire broke out in the late Cassidy residence about nine o'clock Sunday evening entirely destroying the magnificent edifice. The loss of life was extremely high, none of the stock being rescued. All our staff are working to secure a valuation of the amount destroyed but of course any estimate as yet can only be a matter of guesswork as the number of animals destroyed is estimated at no less than a million and a half.

Herb Pearson sold his horse to J. Tolchard last Saturday for $125.

Account of the change in time I set off to bed too early last Sunday night and in consequence had a most horrible nightmare. I thought I had done something wrong and the citizens had organized themselves into a vigilance committee. They were after me. Nearer and nearer drew their cries I could distinguish Dick Desmond's voice above all the rest. With gasping breath and legs almost giving out, I stumbled up the railway track where O'Reilly's and Seller's cows were pasturing as usual. Hard at my heels ran John Seller till someone off to the right yelled "Halt 'im" "Halt 'im." Poor John thought he said halter and ran toward the voice hoping to make a sale. Next Pat Desmond and Mike made a grab for me but in desperation I paused and whispered "I got ten minutes" and they both promptly squatted down and started to shuffle a greasy deck while I made my getaway. Then John Killen made a jump for me (ever see John jump) but had to call it off because he had run out of chewing tobacco and didn't have his crate of it with him. Tom Desmond grabbed my arm but I waved an old envelope in his face and shouted "Pledge" when he (being at the present time in a most contrite spirit) stopped short to sign it. Then Mac Scott made a running dive for my undergins but someone yelled "Charge" and he hesitated and commenced searching in every one of his pockets for a pencil. Finally only young Dick and Ed. Bailey were left to carry on the chase and they both fell asleep. I was awakened, wet with fear, by the sound of their snores. (It must have been their's because my wife swears she don't do that sort of thing).

MAPLE HILL

(School Report, March)

Sr. IV & Jr IV—Pearl Sickel 74%, Craigie Leech 66%, Allan Burrell 66%, Laverne Brocketbank 59% Reuben Harnock 51%, Wilmer Glauser 43%, Mayme Pinkerton 34%..

Sr. III—Douglas Walker 73%, Grace Leach 63%, Anna Schilling 61%, Graham Pinkney 53%..

S. II—Audrey Pinkey 85%, Laureena Schilling 83%, Gertrude Harnock 79%.

Jr. II—Ornell Pfohl.

Jr. I—Emma Fisk.

Jr. Pr. Verna Little, Margaret Fisk, Doris Sickel, Elmer Pfohl, Mary Schilling.

E. M. Teeple
Teacher.

HANOVER

Just on the threshold of young womanhood, Miss Violet Pearl Hilliard of Hanover passed away at the Kitchener hospital on April 7th, at the early age of 22 years. An abscess formed in her ear about three weeks ago which turned to blood poisoning causing her death.

Mr. Kuenmon met with a very serious accident at Pepler Bros. mill as a result he lost most of his left thumb, part of the index finger of his left hand and had the middle finger of that hand badly cut.

Mr. A. Derby of Hanover, cattle-buyer, met with a thrilling experience one week in the flood at Mr. James Gilliveray's gate. He drove along not thinking that it was very deep decided to drive through but the current was too swift. It swept the horse off its feet and it went under but Mr. Derby managed to keep his head and shoulders above, scrambled to the horse, got him up and unhitched and got out safely, but lost his hat, blanket, robe and rubbers. He stayed at Mr. James McGillivray's over night where he soon got dry clothes. He left next morning feeling as good as ever.—Durham Chronicle.

The Bowling Club has elected officers for the coming year as follows.—President, L. J. Schilling; Vice President, Dr. Staples; Sec.-Treas., Bert Scarborough; Managing Committee, the President, Vice President and Wm. Chambers; Markers, Ben Zinn and Harvey Richardson; Tournament Committee, Wm. Cross, Simon Habermehl and Bert Scarborough.

NARVA

The delightful spring with which the weather-man has favoured this burg is being appreciated by all. Owing to the continuous dry and warm spell the land is being rapidly brought to a good condition for the spring work. Sowing has already begun by some of the farmers.

In accordance with the new "Daylight Saving Act" as passed by the Federal Government at Ottawa recently, the people in this locality have moved their timepieces ahead one hour and are now working under the new principle. This act undoubtedly will be followed by great prosperity to our Dominion. The two new cars which have been recently landed in Narva is a sure sign of prosperity but for this we cannot credit the new Act as they were purchased previous to its being passed. As prosperity increases so also will the number of cars increase Therefore it is evident that the Day light Saving Act will be the instrument in the bringing into Narva of a great but as yet indefinite number of cars. To improve accommodation it will be found a doubt be necessary to widen the business streets at least, but don't let us meet trouble half-way.

Mr. Will Keyes has purchased a Ford car. Billy is the man for a car alright as he seems to have mastered the art of running it already.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Moffat Sundayed at Dave Watson's, at Paisley, Mrs. Watson being very ill.

Mrs. Foreman Sr. continues to be poorly, although the latest reports state improvement.

Mr. J. Keyes has been experimenting on his new car a few times. Of course it could not be obedient under the guidance of such a capable chauffeur as John.

Mr. Geo Chick of Pinkerton has been engaged at Mr. John Bell's for the past week or so.

With great anticipation are we all at time of writing, looking ahead to the Mystic Tea to be held in Pinkerton on Monday night. And there is not the slightest possibility but what our anticipations will be realized when the event takes place. At any rate we hope not.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Moffat, and Misses Irene and Alexia motored to Durham on Tuesday last to attend the funeral of Mrs. Moffat's Aunt, Miss Kelly.

(Intended for last week)

We, the citizens of Narva, thank the neighboring scribes for their kindness in including in their crowded news columns a few items about Navra. But Narva is Nara, and though hemmed in on either side by the thriving towns of Glamis and Pinkerton, it is a suburb of neither. Therefore, why cannot the folks in our town make things lively so that Narva's news column can take its stand beside that of any other burg.

Syrup-making has proved to be an unusually successfull industry around the corner but it is now giving way to the other spring work of ploughing etc.

Mrs. Foreman Sr., we learn, has been seriously ill. We trust that she will soon regain her former strength.

Mr. and Mrs Wm. Stringer of Kingarf spent Sunday with friends in the burg.

Miss Mabel Mooney spent a few days at Mr. W. H. Moffat's.

Mr. Richard Needham of Kincardine motored out to his sister's Mrs. Robt. Keyes' on Sunday.

We are sorry to hear of Mrs. Geo. Fletcher's illness. Hope her recovery is rapid.

The prayer-meeting held at Mr. W. H. Moffat's on Friday evening was well attended.

We hope that the roads will soon be good that Mr. Jno. Keyes may get his new car home.

Mr. Geo. Moffat was suffering from a slight attack of pleurisy last week.

Miss Lily Taylor from the 10th was visiting at Mrs. Robt. Keyes, last week.

Who was the guy seen hugging the lamp-post a few evenings ago?

MILDMAY

Mr. John Scheiffle of Strarford visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. Fred Scheiffle here last week.

Privates Chester Gowdy and Leo Herringer were given a formal reception last Thursday evening at Mr. J. T. Kidd's home and presented with addresses and purses of money.

Messrs. John and Wm. Vollick of con. 8 shipped 23 head of fat cattle to Toronto on April 6th. 19 of them averaged 1090 lbs each.

Rev. J. S. Burn went to Waterloo this week to attend the annual conference of the Evangelical Association.

Mr. Michael Fisher has moved into his residence on First St. which he purchased from Mr. P. D. Diesemer.

Mr. Joseph Filsinger of con. 4 held an auction sale last Friday and everything sold at good prices. Mr. Solomn Bilger who purchased this farm moved on to it right away. Mr. Filsinger intends to occupy it this summer.

Mr. Thomas Bickling of con. 13 is another member added to the long list of Ford owners as he purchased a 1918 Ford touring car from L. and K. last Friday.

Mr. H. Kalbfleisch purchased a new car from his brother Mr. Ed Kalbfleisch and delivered the same this week.

LOST—One golden hour set with sixty diamond minutes. No reward is offered for it will be found next Autumn.

Mildmay Spring Show was well attended last Thursday and this shows the interest taken in stock and grain by the farmers of this township.

The funeral of Jos. Dosman took place on Monday to Formosa R. C. cemetery.

RIVERSDALE

Mr. Albert Green visited his sister, Mrs. Robt. Chatreau, on Sunday.

A few from here spent an enjoyable evening last week at Jos. Carter's.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick O'Hagan visited friends at Chepstow on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Benninger of Ayton spent Sunday with friends here.

Mrs. Jno Cassidy entertained a few ladies to a quilting last Tuesday.

Misses Winnie and Bell Abbett visited friends near Bervie last week.

Mr. Herb Carter of Greenock was busy cutting wood in this vicinity last week.

Misses Mary and Annie Loftus who were visiting relatives at Owen Sound have returned home again.

OTTER CREEK

The snowstorm hasn't matured. Will it come? We are having lovely weather but a few warm showers would greatly improve some of the fields of fall wheat.

Mr. Nelson Yost and wife of Hanover paid a visit to the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dippel on Sunday.

Seeding has started in good earnest in our locality. Some of the first to sow are: Messrs Walter Jasper and Edward Fennell. The ground is working up very good.

CARGILL

Next Sunday evening Rev. H. P. Storey will preach on The War and the Second Coming of Christ.

Cargill is getting more like Detroit every day since the Ford Agency came here. One has to look both ways now before crossing the road or he will get a bump.

Capt. H. Loughleen of the C. A. M. C., London, is home for a few days prior to joining the Royal Flying Corps in Toronto.

Mr. W. D. Cargill is away on a trip to the coast.

Mr. Jos. Schuett, Sr., has sold his farm on the town line and after having an auction sale will move to Cargill.

Quite a number from here attended the Ball in Eden Grove last Friday and had an enjoyable evening.

Most of the farmers in this district are through ploughing and are ready to seed.

Rev. Mr. Wittich of Arnprior visited his son, Mr. Ed. Wittich and his daughter, Mrs. P. Hunstein, for a few days.

Don't forget the Minstrel Show in Aid of the Red Cross on Friday night. You will sure have a laughable time.

The Cargill Patriotic League just closed a sewing contest which ran for one month and during which time they made the following articles: 251 pairs of sox; 173 day shirts; 143 surgical shirts, 125 pyjama suits and 468 stretcher caps, the total value of the above being $1315.75. The captains of the sides were Mrs. Thos. Chisholm and Mrs. W. M. Cameron, the latter's side winning by 300 points.

Messrs Jim Garland and Arthur Johnston are giving a taffy party next Monday night at the former's place. The public are cordially invited. An admission fee of 25 cents will be charged which will go to the Red Cross.

FORMOSA

Farmers are busy at seeding now.

Mrs. Frank Oberle and family moved to Formosa last week.

Quite a number from this vicinity attended the funeral of J. D. Kuntz, at Kitchener.

Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Zettel returned to their home after spending a few days at Kitchener.

The funeral of Jacob Dosman, of Mildmay, took place to the R. C. Cemetery here last Monday.

Mrs. Joseph Mosack of Chicago returned to her home after attending the funeral of her mother, Mrs. Lehmann.

Richard, son of E. G. Kuntz, had a narrow escape from death while driving home from Mildmay. The horse got frightened and threw him out of the rig. He was badly injured but is improving fine.

Alex. Meyer bought a fine driver last week. Now he will raise the dust like a motor car.

Chris. Weiler moved in his house near the flowing well. Chris. is taking it easy and feels quite contented there.

PINKERTON

At the regular meeting of the Red Cross the following motion of sympathy was passed:

That we, the members of the Pinkerton Red Cross extend our most sincere sympathy to Mrs. Pinkerton in her sad bereavement.

In Mr. Pinkerton's death, the whole community has sustained a real loss. He took an interest in many circles and in each was sincere, always willing to help others without regard for himself. When the Red Cross Society found a real friend, always ready to help us in any possible way. But the loss to the community is slight with that of Mrs. Pinkerton and her family. They have lost a kind and loving husband and father.

This motion is quite inadequate to express our sentiments but we hope that it will in a slight degree express to Mrs. Pinkerton our deep feeling of sympathy.

The Mystic Tea which was held in the C.O.F. Hall on Monday night, and under the auspices of the Red Cross proved a decided success in every way. A very dainty lunch was served at the twelve tables and a large crowd was present. After the lunch, a programme of musical selections and speeches were given and a feature of the evening was the presentation by the Greenock Council of a $10.00 gold piece to Pte. Ross Woods, a returned and wounded soldier. The proceeds amounted to over $82.00

DUNKELD

Mr. Abell sr. is seriously ill with hardening of the arteries.

Mr. William Barry, a veteran of the Great War, is down from New Ontario and is spending some holidays at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Wm Barry.

Quite a few of our youth and beauty took in the entertainment at Eden Grove on Friday evening.

Mr. Joseph Schuett sold his his farm on the South Line last week and intends holding an auction sale of his stock and implements shortly.

Mr. Eddie Burnside laid up with a severe attack of la grippe.

Mr. G. H. Ross of near Port Elgin was a caller in the burg on Saturday.

Mrs. M. Chance, visited over the week-end with her son R. J. Clancy in Walkerton.

Mr. W. J. McNally of Walkerton was here the latter end of the week on Military business.

Mr. William Schuler is under the weather with blood poisoning in his hand.

Mr. J. Buchbinger has been sawing out for the neighborhood cutting wood for the farmers of this vicinity last week.

GLAMIS

Don't forget to move your timepieces.

Spring work in the order of the day.

Quite a number from here attended the Mystic Tea and entertainment in Pinkerton on Monday evening and report a good time.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Allan J. Bell, on Sunday, April 14th, 1918, a son. Congratulations.

Mr. Charles McKinnon has left our burg to reside in Ripley.

Mr. and Mrs. James Brown and family of Paisley spent Saturday evening and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stevenson.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gilchrist and son of the 18th con. Greenock, were Sunday visitors at Joseph Wrightson's.

Charles Harper left last week for Niagara Falls to work. On his arrival there the military authorities had him enlist. Charlie's many friends here wish him every success.

Thomas Colwell arrived home from Northern Ontario last week.

Frank McLennan is engaged at McLean Bros. on 10th con.

The Red Cross Workers will be packing goods on Thursday 25th. All goods are requested to be in for shipping.

Mr and Mrs. Norman McLeod, who have been living in Niagara Falls, have moved their household effects to Arch Ross' place on 2nd con. Bruce where they will work the farm.

Mr Groves resumed his mail service on Monday. All welcome him back on the job. He has been confined to his home the past few weeks.

We are sorry to report that Mrs. J. K. McLennan is still seriously ill.

In some of our other local papers (in Glamis news) last week a cow reported to have died is still quite alive and has no intentions of dying. The item was somewhat previous.

A very pleasant evening was spent at the home of Mrs. McIntosh and son Mr. David McIntosh near Glamis on April 11th. when a few of their friends and neighbors gathered to spend a social evening and make the following presentation and address. The Chair was very fittly occupied by the Rev. Mr. Reith of Glamis. The address was read by Mrs. Reith, the presentation made by Mrs. Wright and Miss Elsie Webb. After Mrs. McIntosh thanked all very kindly, the evening was spent in speeches and good Scotch music, both vocal and instrumental. A dainty luncheon was served by the ladies. After which all joined heartily in singing Auld Lang Signe, when each departed to their respective homes, hoping yet to spend many social evenings at Mrs. McIntosh's home.

To Mrs. McIntosh
and Mr. David McIntosh

Dear Friends,

We, a few of your friends and neighbors, feeling that a fitting opportunity had had presented itself, have met to express our kind regards for you both and our sincere appreciation of the neighborly spirit you have lived and labored upon this farm.

The announcement that you were having a sale of your stock and implements was interpreted in some quarters as meaning but one thing, namely, that you were about to move from our neighborhood. We are glad that we have reason to believe that this is not the case. But the knowledge that you were giving up farming operations in our midst, and the supposition that you might be leaving us, has brought forcibly to our minds, the large place you held in our affections and the magnitude of the loss we would sustain if you were to go away.

We think to-night of the years as they have passed with sunshine and shadow their joys and their sorrows. You have rejoiced with us, and our hearts go out in gratitude to you for all your help and sympathy expressed in so many ways. And now since you will be relieved of the more arduous duties, we hope and pray that you both may be spared in health and strength to enjoy for many years the result of your labours, and find much joy and happiness in the fellowship of your friends. As a slight token of our affectionate regard and good wishes for you, we ask you Mrs. McIntosh to accept this shawl, bedroom slippers, and purse, and ask you Mr. David McIntosh to accept this Bible, tie and pin and box of stationery.

Signed on behalf of your friends and neighbors.

Mrs. Robert Wright,
Mrs. George Webb

April 11th, 1918.

BRANT TP. COUNCIL

Brant Council Meeting, April 8th 1918

The Municipal Council of the Twp. of Brant met on Monday the 8th day of April. Members all present. Minutes of last meeting read and declared correct.

Bowand—Johnston—That By-law No. 907 A. D. 1918 be amended by appointing Peter Weber Pathmaster instead of Frank Wilhelm in road Div. No. 2, Wm Sickel instead of A. V. Cooke in No. 28 Geo. Childs instead of Alex. Waechter in No. 30, John Wilken instead of Mac McNevin in No. 38, John Brough instead of Thos. Carder in No. 82.—Carried.

Gregg—Findlay—That the Reeve and Clerk issue orders on the Treasurer for all accounts passed at this meeting of Council.—Carried.

Accounts as follows:—

John Clancy, refund of taxes re Mrs. Powers by error	4 19 32
Marino Rody, sheep killed by dogs	20 00
Joseph Munk, valuating sheep	1 00
Peter Fischer, road to gravel pit	1 00
Gottlieb Klages, ploughing snow roads	21 00
L. B. B.	1 50
Miss M. McCoy, grant to Red Cross Society, Cargill	50 00
Florence E. Lamb, grant to Red Cross Society	50 00
Miss Eva Fortune, grant to Red Cross Society, Vesta	50 00
Mrs. Harold Cormick, grant to Red Cross Society, Ellen Gown	50 00
Frank Lang, repairing 6th con.	16 50
Ben Whitehead, repairing roads	3 50

Johnston—Bowand—That this Council do now adjourn to meet on Monday the 27th day of May as a Court of Revision and for general business, Court of Revision to commence at 1 o'clock p. m.—Carried.

M. A. McCallum,
Clerk.

Culross Tp. Council

Town Hall Teeswater April 8th

Council met to-day, members were all present except Mr. Keffer.

Minutes of last meeting were read and sustained—Carried.

Moved by Jas. Thompson Sec. by Jno. S. Armstrong. That as the world is calling loudly for food at the present time, and the Department of Agriculture is advising the Townships to organize for the purpose of production, that we appoint the School Boards in each locality to organize and have the matter attended to, and we authorize the clerk to notify all parties concerned and to do it as soon as possible—Carried.

Armstrong—Thompson. That there has been complaints made with regard to the Bell and Sittler drain overflowing and flooding the surrounding land. That we appoint the Reeve to go out and investigate and have it remedied as soon as possible—Carried.

Thompson—Armstrong. That a the Reeve has received estimates from the different Bridge Companies as to the cost of a steel bridge. Their estimates seem to be very high. That we erect a wooden bridge of good sound cedar timber with cement abutments and to have it built this summer. The bridge is at lot 28 Con. 8—Carried.

McPherson—Cass. That as the contracts of the bridges on the 14th and 15th Con at lots 22 and 25 are now nul and void as they were not completed in the time specified—Carried.

Thompson—Armstrong. That the rate for unperformed Statute be put at $2.00 per day instead of $1.50—Carried.

FINANCE

Peter Kritz 45 yds. gravel	$2.25
Gordon Melvin work surveying	11.50
Printing Co.	3.00

Finance report was read and adopted The Council then adjourned to meet again on May 20th as a Court of Revision and for general Business.

Chas. Button,
Clerk.

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Seventeen



By BOOTH TARKINGTON

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(Continued from Last Week)

impression was the finest and sweetest understood. They won't hurt her at all, Willie."

This deliberate misinterpretation of his motives made it difficult for William to speak. "Do you think," he began hoarsely, "do you think"—

"They're so small too," Mrs. Baxter went on. "She probably wouldn't be sick if she ate them all."

"My heavens!" he burst forth. "Do you think I was worrying about"— He broke off, unable to express himself save by a few gestures of despair. Again finding his voice, and a great deal of it, he demanded: "Do you realize that Miss Pratt will be here within less than half an hour? What do you suppose she'd think of the people of this town if she was invited out expecting decent treatment and found two-thirds of the cakes eaten up before she got there and what was left of 'em all pawed over and chewed up lookin' from some wretched child?"

"Now, Willie," said Mrs. Baxter gently, "you'd better go up and brush your hair again before your friends come. You mustn't let yourself get so excited."

"Excited!" he cried incredulously. "Do you think I'm excited? Ye gods!" He smote his hands together and in his despair of her intelligence would have flung himself down upon a chair, but was arrested halfway by simultaneous loud outcries from his mother and Jane.

"Don't sit on the CAKES!" they both screamed.

Saving himself and the pan of wafers by a supreme contortion at the last instant, William decided to remain upon his feet. "What do I care for the cakes?" he demanded contemptuously, beginning to pace the floor. "It's the question of principle I'm talking about! Do you think it's right to give the people of this town a poor name when strangers like Miss Pratt come to visit—"



"Don't sit on the CAKES!"

"Willie!" His mother looked at him hopelessly. "Do go and brush your hair. If you could see how you've mussed it you would."

He strode from the room.

Jane looked after him placidly. "Didn't he talk funny?" she murmured.

"Yes, dear," said Mrs. Baxter. She shook her head and uttered the enigmatic words, "They do."

"I mean Willie, mamma," said Jane. "If it's anything about Miss Pratt he always talks awful funny. Don't you think Willie talks awful funny if it's anything about Miss Pratt, mamma?"

"Yes, but"—

"What, mamma?" Jane asked as her mother paused.

"Well, it happens. People do get like that at his age, Jane."

"Does everybody?"

"No, I suppose not everybody; just some."

William returned violently to the doorway, his hair still tousled, and, standing upon the threshold, said sternly:

"What is that child wearing her best dress for?"

"To please you. Don't you want her to look her best at your tea?"

"I thought that was it!" he cried, and upon this confirmation of his worst fears he did increased violence to his rumpled hair. "I suspected it, but I wouldn't 'a' believed it! You mean to let this child—you mean to let"— Here his agitation affected his throat and his utterance became clouded. A few detached phrases fell from him: "Invite my friends—children's party—ye gods!—think Miss Pratt plays dolls"—

"Jane will be very good," his mother said. "I shouldn't think of not having her, Willie, and you needn't bother about your friends. They'll be very glad to see her. They all know her except Miss Pratt, perhaps, and—"

Mrs. Baxter paused; then she noted suddenly, "By the way, haven't I seen somewhere that she likes pretending to be a little girl herself?"

"What!"

"Yes," said Mrs. Baxter, remaining calm, "I'm sure I've heard somewhere that she likes to talk baby talk."

Upon this a tremor passed over William, after which he became rigid. "You ask a lady to your house," he began, "and even before she gets home before you've even seen her, you pass judgment upon one of the—one of the noblest"—

Mrs. Baxter laughed, and then, probably a little out of patience with him, she gave way to that innate mischievousness in such affairs which is not unknown to her sex. "You see, Willie, if Miss Pratt pretends to be a cunning little girl it will be helpful to Jane to listen and learn how."

William uttered a cry. He knew that he was struck, but he was not sure, now or where. Again he dashed from the room. Near the open front door he came to a sudden halt, and Mrs. Baxter and Jane heard him calling loudly to the industrious Genesis: "Here! You go cut the grass in the back yard and, for heaven's sake, take that dog with you!"

"Grass awready cut roun' back," responded the amiable voice of Genesis. "Cut all 'at back yo'd 'a mawnin'."

"Well, you can't cut the front yard now. Go around in the back yard with that dog."

"Nemmine 'bout 'at back yo'd: Ole Clem ain' trouble nobody!"

"You hear me?" William shouted. "You do what I say at once!"

Genesis laughed gayly. "I got my grass to cut. Who pay me my wages? 'At's my boss. You' ma say, you git all 'at lawn mowed b'fo' sundown.' No, suh! Nee'n' was's you' bref on me, 'cause I'm gut all my time good an' took up."

Once more William presented himself tatefully to his mother and Jane. "May I just kindly ask you to look out in the front yard? I want you to look at Genesis."

"I'm familiar with his appearance," said Mrs. Baxter. "Why in the world do you mind his cutting the grass?"

William groaned. "Do you honestly want guests coming to this house to see that awful old darky out there and know that he's the kind of servants we employ? Ye gods!"

"Why, Genesis is just a neighborhood outdoor darky, Willie. He works for half a dozen families besides us."

"Yes," he cried, "but a lady that didn't live here wouldn't know that! Ye gods! What do you suppose she would think? You know what he's got on?"

"It's a sort of sleeveless jersey he wears, Willie, I think."

"No, you don't think that!" he cried, with great bitterness. "You know it's not a jersey! You know perfectly well what it is, and yet you expect to keep him out there when—when one of the—one of the noble—when my friends arrive! And they'll think that's our dog out there, won't they? When intelligent people come to a house and see a dog sidling out in front they think it's the family in the house's dog, don't they?"

William paced the room. "Ye gods! What do you think Miss Pratt will think of the people of this town when she's invited to meet a few of my friends and the first thing she sees is a nigger in his undershirt? What'll she think when she finds that child's eaten up half the food, and the people have to explain that the dog in the front yard belongs to the darky?

"And prob'ly she wouldn't believe it. Anybody'd say they didn't own a dog like that! And that's what you want her to see before she even gets inside the house! Instead of a regular gardener in livery like we ought to have and a bulldog or a good Airedale or a foxhound or something, the first things you want intelligent people from out of town to see are that awful old darky and his mongrel scratchin' fleas and like as not lettin' 'em get on other people!"

"Willie!"

Mrs. Baxter managed to obtain his attention. "If you'll go and brush your hair I'll send Genesis and Clematis away for the rest of the afternoon. And then if you'll sit down quietly I'll"—

"Quietly!" he echoed. "I'm the only one that is quiet around here!"

"There, there," she said soothingly. "Go and brush your hair, and change your collar, Willie. It's all wilted. I'll send Genesis away."

"Collar," he muttered.

"Change it!" said Mrs. Baxter, raising her voice. "It's wilted!"

He departed in a dazed manner.

Passing through the hall, he paused abruptly, his eye having fallen with a sudden disapproval upon a large, heavily framed, glass covered engraving, "The Battle of Gettysburg," which hung upon the wall near the front door. Undeniably it was a picture feeble in decorative quality. No doubt, too, William was right in thinking it an unworthy of Miss Pratt, as were Jane and Genesis and Clematis. He felt that she must never see it, especially as the frame had been chipped and had a corner broken, but it was more pleasantly effective where he found it than where in his nervousness he left it. A few hasty jerks snapped the elderly green cords by which it was suspended; then he laid the picture upon the floor and with his handkerchief made a curious labyrinth of avenues in the large oblong area of fine dust which this removal disclosed upon the wall.

Pausing to wipe his hot brow with the same implement, he remembered that some one had made allusions to his collar and hair, whereupon he sprang to the stairs, mounted two at a time, rushed into his own room and confronted his streaked image in the mirror.

CHAPTER VIII.

At Home to His Friends.

AFTER ablutions William found his wet hair plastic and easily obtained the long, even sweep backward from the brow, lacking which no male person, unless bald, fulfilled his definition of a man of the world. But there ensued a period of vehemence and activity caused by a bent collar button. The day was warm, and moisture bedewed him afresh. Belated victory no sooner arrived than he perceived a fatal dimpling of the new collar and was forced to exchange it for a successor.

Voices from below, making polite laughter, warned him that already some of the hidden party had arrived, and as he completed the fastening of his third consecutive collar an ecstasy of sound reached him through the open window—and then, oh, then he began to tremble. It was the voice of Miss Pratt, no less!

He stopped for one heartstruck look from his casement. All in fluffy white and heliotrope she was, a blond rapture floating over the sidewalk toward William's front gate. Her little white cottony dog, with a heliotrope ribbon round his neck, bobbed his head over her enfolding arm. A heliotrope parasol shielded her infinitesimally from the amorous sun. Poor William!

Two youths entirely in William's condition of heart accompanied the glamorous girl, while Miss Parcher appeared dimly upon the outskirts of the group, the well known penalty for hostesses who entertain such radiance. Probably it serves them right. Miss Pratt's voice came clearly as the chiming of tiny bells, for she spoke whimsically to her little dog in that tinkling childlike fashion which was part of the spell she cast.

"Darlin' Flopit," she said, "wake up! Oo tummin' to tea potty wis all de frowed ups. I'ceitus Flopit, wake up!"

His heart melting within him, William turned from the angelic sounds of the window. He ran out of the room and plunged down the front stairs. And the next moment the



William Was Seated Upon the Prostrate "Battle of Gettysburg."

crash of breaking glass and the loud thump-bump of a heavily falling human body resounded.

Mrs. Baxter, alarmed, excused herself from the tea table, round which were gathered four or five young people, and hastened to the front hall, followed by Jane. Through the open door were seen Miss Pratt, Miss Parcher, Mr. Johnnie Watson and Mr. Joe Bullitt coming up the walk, laughing and unaware of the catastrophe which had occurred. And a little distance from the foot of the stairs William was seated upon the prostrate "Battle of Gettysburg."

"I slid," he said hoarsely. "I carried it upstairs with me"—he believed this—"and somebody brought it down and left it lying flat on the floor by the bottom step on purpose to trip me. I stepped on it, and it slid."

"Get up, Willie," Mrs. Baxter urged, and then she beheld ruins other than the wrecked engraving. She stifled a cry. "Willie, did the glass cut you?"

He felt himself. "No'm."

"It did your trousers. You'll have to change them. Hurry!"

Some of William's normal faculties were restored to him by one hasty glance at the back of his left leg, which had a dismantled appearance. A long blue strip of cloth hung there, with white showing underneath.

"Hurry!" said Mrs. Baxter. And, hastily gathering some fragments of glass, she dropped them upon the engraving, pushed it out of the way and went forward to greet Miss Pratt and her attendants.

Upward William sped unseen and came to a breathless halt at the top of the stairs.

As it were in a dream he heard his mother's hospitable greetings at the door, and the little party lingered in the hall, detained by Miss Pratt's discovery of Jane.

"Oh, tweetums toetums ickle dirl!" he heard the ravishing voice exclaim. "Oh, toetums ickle blue sash!"

"It cost a dollar and eighty-nine cents," said Jane. "Willie sat on the cakes."

"Oh, no, he didn't!" Mrs. Baxter laughed. "He didn't quite!"

"He had to go upstairs," said Jane. And as the stricken listener above smote his forehead she added placidly, "He tore a hole in his clothes."

She seemed about to furnish details, her mood being communicative, but Mrs. Baxter led the way into the "living room." The lull was vacated, and only the murmur of voices and laughter reached William.

William leaned upon the banister railing and thought thoughts about Jane. For several long, seething moments he thought of her exclusively. Then, spurred by the loud laughter of rivals and the agony of knowing that even in his own house they were monopolizing the attention of one of the noblest, he hastened into his own room and took account of his reverses.

Standing with his back to the mirror, he obtained over his shoulder a view of his trousers which caused him to break out in a fresh perspiration. Again he wiped his forehead with the handkerchief, and the result was instantly visible in the mirror.

William began a feverish examination of the garments hanging in a clothes closet. There were two pairs of flannel trousers which would probably again be white and possible when sponged and pressed. Beside them hung his last year's summer suit of light gray.

Feverishly he brought it forth, threw off his coat and then, deflected by another glance at the mirror, began to change his collar again. To quicken the process he decided to straighten the bent collar button. Using a shoehorn as a lever, he succeeded in bringing the little cap or head of the button into its proper place, but his final effort dislodged the cap from the rod between it and the base, and it flew off into space.

Here was a calamity. Few things are more useless than a decapitated collar button, and William had no other. He had made sure that it was his last before he put it on that day; also he had ascertained that there was none in, on or about his father's dressing table. Finally, in the possession of neither William nor his father was there a shirt with an indigenous collar.

At first he did not realize the extent of his misfortune. Of course William searched his dressing table and his father's, although he had been thoroughly over both once before that day. Next he went through most of his mother's and Jane's accessories to the toilet, through trinket boxes, glove boxes, hairpin boxes, handkerchief cases, even through sewing baskets. Utterly he convinced himself that ladies not only use no collar buttons, but also never pick them up and put them among their own belongings. Jane, arriving at his locked door upon an errand, was bidden by a thick, unnatural voice to depart.

"Mamma says, 'What in mercy's name is the matter?'" Jane called. "She whispered to me, 'Go an' see what in mercy's name is the matter with Willie, an' if the glass cut him, after all, an' why don't he come down.' An' why don't you, Willie? We're all havin' the nicest time!"

"You g'way!" said the strange voice within the room. "G'way!"

"Well, did the glass cut you?"

"No! Keep quiet. G'way!"

"Well, are you ever comin' down to your party?"

"Yes, I am. G'way!"

Jane obeyed, and William somehow completed the task upon which he was engaged. Genius had burst forth from his despair. Necessity had become a mother again, and William's collar was in place. It was tied there. Under his necktie was a piece of string.

He had lost count of time, but he was frantically aware of its passage. Agony was in the thought of so many rich moments frittered away upstairs while Joe Bullitt and Johnnie Watson made hay below. And there was another spur to haste in his fear that the behavior of Mrs. Baxter might not be all that the guest of honor would naturally expect of William's mother. As for Jane, his mind filled with dread. Shivers passed over him at intervals.

It was a dismal thing to appear at a party, and that his own, in last summer's suit, but when he had hastily put it on and faced the mirror he felt a little better—for three or four seconds. Then he turned to see how the back of it looked—and collapsed in a chair, moaning.

He had worn these clothes on the previous Saturday, and, returning from a glorified walk with Miss Pratt, he had demonstrated a fact to which his near demolition of the wafers this afternoon was additional testimony. This fact, roughly stated, is that a person of seventeen in love is liable to sit down anywhere. William had dreamily seated himself upon a taboret in the library without noticing that Jane had left her open paint box there. Jane had just been painting sunsets. Naturally all the little blocks of color were wet, and the effect upon William's pale gray trousers was marvelous, far beyond the capacity of his cost to conceal.

Collar buttons and children's paint boxes—these are the trolls that lie in wait!

The gray clothes and the flannel trousers had been destined for the professional cleaner, and William, rousing himself from a brief stupor, made a piteous effort to substitute himself

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The men of Ripley raised $700 for the Women's Red Cross Society of that village.

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Canadian farmers paid over two million dollars in taxes on farm implements during the last fiscal year.

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Mr. Lorman Bueblow left last week to work in the rope-making plant which has been set up by Beatty Bros., Fergus.

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Sharkskin is one of the new kinds of leather being brought into use for making footwear. Some of the fellows who lost in the big real estate campaign before the war are wondering if the sharks who sold them western horizon town lots are to be skinned.

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Something Worth While

The time when merchants their advts in the local papers once a month or once every three months is past and gone. Walkerton merchants have something new and worth while to offer the public through the Telescope every week and it will pay you well to study their announcements.

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Motor Car Licenses

An increase of 10,000 motor licences for the three months of this year ending March 31st, over the same period a year ago is the record at the parliament buildings where there is every indication that motor driving in Ontario this summer will be greater than it has ever been. In two days more than 5,000 applications were received through the mails.

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Youthful Jesse James

Detective Schuler of Brantford arrested George Wilson a boy of 10 years of age who is alleged to have been a terror to all other boys and the leader of a gang a la Jesse James. Wilson had in his possession a 38-calibre six-shooter also an amateur set of tools for burglary, and he is said to have placed handcuffs on other boys and placed them on the railway tracks, in order to impress them upon his "kultur." The police intend to clean up the gang of would-be robbers.

Speed the spade.

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Chesley butchers start a strictly cash system on May 1st.

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The pork packers predict a decline in the price of pork. There'e plenty of pork. There'a plenty of room for a good drop.

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Storing chickens and eggs for market advances and letting them rot is on a par with sending plugged shells to our fighting soldiers.

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A Jewish member in the House of Commons reminded his fellow-members that the Jews had first instituted day light saving at the time of Joshua, when that leaderbade the sun to stand still so that the Israelite hosts should have light to complete the destruction of their enemies.

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Mr. Fred Brislin returned last week from Cargill where he conducted the local barber shop for a few weeks.

A representative of the A. R. Williams Machinery Co. of Toronto looked over the old machinery in the Saddlery Hardware building last week and the firm will probably make the town an offer.

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Mailing Newspapers Overseas.

A new postoffice regulation now permits newspapers and periodicals to be mailed in bundles of not more than ten to England at the rate of 1c per 4 oz. or fraction thereof, and to France or to other fronts in bundles of not more than ten at the rate of 1c per 2oz. or fraction thereof, or in bundles at parcel post rates not to exceed 7 lbs.

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Accounted For

A youngster had been permitted to visit a boy friend on the strict condition that he was to leave there at five o'clock. He did not arrive until seven and his mother reached for the whip. "Do you expect me to believe" said she, "that it took you two hours to walk a quarter of a mile? Now, sir, will you tell me the truth?

"Yes mamma," sobbed the boy, "Charlie Wilson gave me a tortoise and I was afraid to carry it—so I led it home."

When a man tells a woman that he understands women he is at once classified as an easy mark.

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Mr. Buffam Accountant at the Merchants Bank, who has been a patient in the Bruce County Hospital for some time is able to be about again.

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An Illinois woman has her husband's wooden leg, and has asked the police to find the rest of him. As he left with $150 she is anxious about his return.

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"The Canadian boys are behaving better than the boys who remain at home, in spite of all the evil things said about them. There is evil but the percentage is less than in civil life." Thus spoke Rev. John Neil, Moderator of the General Assembly of Canada, who visited the trenches and soldier camps in behalf of the Presbyterian church in Canada.

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Beginning June 1, the banking hours in Canada will probably be made 9.30 to 2.30 instead of 10 to 3 o'clock as at present, the proposed change being based on the shortage of man power in the banks and the necessity of doing something to facilitate the clearing up of the day's routine. However, an amendment to the Bank Act will be necessary before the change can be made, as the Act fixes the hours at which the banks must remain open for the public convenience.

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A Sheep Instead Of Dog

In many parts of Canada there are hundreds of useless dogs which not only necessitate a waste of food, but are deterrent to the keeping of sheep. It has been estimated that the food consumed by these dogs is worth about $34. per dog per year. The food consumed by six dogs would be enough to feed one Belgian orphan. A sheep can be purchased for the cost of a dog. It is just as good a pet and in addition will yield $6. worth of wool yearly, and $10 worth of meat when killed, as against a merely nominal killing value on dogs in case their hides are turned into gloves. The replacement of dogs with sheep would prevent wastage of a large amount of food, and would add greatly to the food supply.



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There are three kinds of farming—extensive, intensive, and pretensive.

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Now that Spring is here again, don't kill the snakes. Snakes destroy more mice than rats do.

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Ontario is nominally bone dry, but there is a good deal of moisture in the cellars here and there.

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Teacher—What is ignorance, Tommy? Tommy—Ignorance is when you don't know anything and somebody finds it out.

✣

He was warned against the woman,
She was warned against the man
And if that wouldn't make a wedding.
Why, there is nothing else that can.

✣

In the year before the war the United States imported toys to the value of $9,084,000, of which $7,719,000 worth came from Germany Last year the Republic made its own toys, and had $3,000,000 to export. The toy trade is not likely to be regained by Germany.

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Henry Ford is engaged in turning out "tanks" for the American army. They are much smaller than the British tank carrying a driver and a machine gun operator only. We always did think Henry's piston rings would be all right when he started tanking up.

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Ontario will plant 1,000,000 acres more in cereals and cultivated crops this spring; Quebec 600,000 and the Maritime Provinces, 400,000 acres extra. The farmers in Eastern Canada are called upon to plant five acres per farm extra. 400,000 farmers in Eastern Canada can save the situation.

✣

Have you noticed how the good old friendly habit of shaking hands is passing? We are losing that splendid old practice of a hearty handshake when meeting friends. Has the war caused all this, or are we so much interested in our own affairs, that we haven't got the desire, or the time? Let us make haste slowly when we are doing away with the old practices which tended to cheerfulness and friendliness. About the only person we see give a good handshake is Mr. Justus Holm.

✣

Shocking.

An elderly lady of very prim and severe aspect was seated next a young couple who were discussing the merits of their motor-cars.

"What color is your body?" asked the young man of the girl at his side, meaning of course the body of her motor.

"Oh, mine is pink. What is yours?"

"Mine," replied the man, is brown with wide yellow stripes."

This was too much for the old lady. Rising from the table, she exclaimed: "When young people come to talking each other the color of their bodies at a dinner-party, it is time I left the room."

"Everybody works but father," won't do any more since the new edict prohibiting idleness was passed.

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John F. Stevens appeals to "stand by the Russians." The Chicago Herald remarks that "they won't stand still long enough for any body to stand by them."

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One of those arm chair farmers at Ottawa, who is employed in sending our articles to educate producers, was asked why he did not go farming himself, as he appeared to know all about it. He replied: "Great guns, I can't afford to; I have to do something to support my family." He probably knows something about farming after all.—Forest Free Press.

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A brave soldier having received from England an anonymous gift of socks, entered them at once, for he was about to undertake a march. He was soon grey to the most excruciating agony, and when, a mere cripple, he drew off his footgear at the end of a terrible day, he discovered inside the toe of the sock what had once been a piece of stiff writing paper, now reduced to pulp, and it appeared in bold feminine hand the almost illegible benediction: "God bless the wearer of this pair of socks."

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While repairing the roof of Philadelphia's city hall Andrew Lashinsky was suddenly hauled toward the earth by the breaking of a scaffold 160 feet from the ground. Some 60 feet down a rope with a noose in the end of it hung from another scaffold. In his swift descent one of Lashinsky's flying legs went into the noose and drew it tight, checking his flight with a jerk. When he could collect himself, he swung back and forth until he caught hold of the edge of a window, whence fellow-workmen pulled him to safety.

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"I WAS RAISED ON A FARM."

(W. L. S. in Weekly Sun.)

Why is it that so many men, not now engaged in farming, when given audience begin by saying, "I was raised on a farm?"

There is no compliment to the audience in such a statement, nor is there in it evidence of ordinary horse sense on the part of the speaker. The statement means either one of two things—that the speaker was too great a dub to succeed at farming or else that he abandoned the farm for a job by which he thought he could make an easier living. Where the former is the case a man has no business to inflict what he is pleased to call his ideas on any one; where the latter holds true an impertinence is shown in the assumption that the man on the platform proposes to speak down to the level of intelligence of those who cannot hope to reach his lofty mental stature.

For my part, whenever I hear a man begin with "I was raised on a farm," I feel an almost overpowering desire to reach for the nearest brick-bat or pitch-fork.

"Agnes married a self-made man, did n't she?" "Yes, but she has compelled him to make extensive alterations."

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Two London girls were found in a Chinese laundry at St. Thomas. The Chinaman was warned that he must not let a woman pass behind the counter. Another was fined $2 and costs on a charge of having procured girls for immoral purposes. If he had procured five dollars' worth of goods from a London store he would at least have been "sent down" for six months. Justice is a funny thing.

Druggist—How did you find that hair destroyer I sold you a fortnight ago? Henpecker—Great! My wife can't pull my hair fast enough to keep up with it.

✣

The Eightieth Company of United States Marines, on duty "somewhere in France," holds the record for war risk insurance. The company is insured for $2,545,000. Of the 255 men in the company 254 were insured for $10,000 each, which is the maximum amount permitted by the Government The 255 man is insured for $5,000.

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Ladies !

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Lost

A Quebec robe on Friday between Gordon Ritchie's and James Fink's west of Bentinck. The finder will be rewarded on returning same at Patrick's Grocery.

Took A Stroke

Mr. C. A. Fox, jeweller, took a paralytic stroke while at work in his store yesterday morning. At last reports Mr. Fox's condition was still serious, but hopes are entertained for his recovery.

Garden Party and Band Concert

On Friday, June 21st, at the home of W. T. Ellis, Durham Road, Brant, under the auspices of the Prospect Hill Union Soldier's Aid. Good program. Admission 25 cts children 10 cts. Proceeds devoted to the Soldier's Aid comforts.

Walkerton Nine Wins

The Walkerton ball-tossers journeyed to Chesley on Saturday for a return game and again covered themselves with glory winning the second contest by 12 to 6. Wes Russell, C; G Henderson P; Walt Smith, 1 b; H Chisholm, 2 b; B Wesley, S S; N Wilton, 3 b; E Moore, l f; Art McCartney, C; B Rogers, r f.

Childrens Aid Workers Meet

Mr. H. W. Elliot, Children's Aid Inspector, left yesterday morning to attend the, Annual Convention of the Children's Aid Society at Toronto at which all the Inspectors for Ontario will be present. The session will be of more than usual interest as it is the 25th anniversary of Mr. J. J. Kelso's connection with the work and a presentation is to be made to the worthy founder of the Society. Sir John Gibson is also a guest of honor at the gathering. Mrs. Elliot accompanied her husband and will spend a few days with friends in the city.

Played At Kincardine.

The "Elgin Comes To Stay" company of Walkerton players put on their production at Kincardine last Friday night to a crowded house. The audience was most appreciative. After the show the members were invited to the home of Mr. J. J. Hunter publisher of the Kincardine Reporter, where supper was served before starting on their long homeward drive. Mr. Mc-Barney and his company can't say too much for the hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Hunter and the many kindnesses shown by the good people of Kincardine. The Company has now completed its "barnstorming" and certainly deserves credit for its efforts in a good cause. Above all expenses, they have raised for the Bruce County Hospital over $300 and for the Red Cross in the three towns they have played in over $200.

Flying in Egypt.

Elliot Dixon, who is flying in the Imperial Air Service somewhere near the Sahara Desert writes his parents that it is warm enough in Egypt just now to fly in one's shirts sleeves. He has seen the pyramids but was not particularly impressed.

Mr. Vogan's Funeral.

The funeral of the late J. W. Vogan took place from the family residence, Durham St. on Friday afternoon Rev. C. W. Cosens, pastor of the Methodist Church conducted the service, assisted by Rev. J. W. Sanderson and Rev. D. McLennan. The pall-bearers were:—Messrs. E. H. Sheffield, Thos. Dixon, A. E. Sherrington, R. E. Truax M. P. H. Bietsch, H. McLay. Among those present from a distance were:— Mrs. A. H. Dowling of Young, Sask.; Mrs. W. G. Steele, Calgary; Mr. and Mrs. David Vogan and Mr. and Mrs. David Hicks of Gorrie; Mr. Robert Vogan of Toronto, and Miss M. Plewes of Oakville.

A Red Cross Calf

A calf with a Red Cross on its side, the rest of the animal being nearly all white, was recently born in the herd of Mr. Richard Garland, an old Bruce boy, now of Medicine Hat. Mr. Garland generously turned it over to the Red Cross and the Red Cross calf is now earning money for patriotic purposes. Particulars were received here through a letter written by Mrs. Garland to her sister, Mrs. Thos. E. Williams of Katrime, Man. she stating that the calf, which was donated to a local Red Cross Society, was put on exhibition in a tent for one day and raised $50 for the Red Cross. The fund orders to send him to Great Falls and St. Paul and it is likely that the Red Cross calf will likely be all over the country on its worthy errand.

George Rife Dead.

Walkerton friends learned with regret of the death at Long Beach, California, on June 3rd., of George Rife, a former well known resident of this town. Mr. Rife was a tailor and sewing machine business here for many years, being for sometime in partnership with his brother, Mr. S. A. Rife. He was an enthusiastic bandsman and led the 32nd Batt'n Band when it organization was in its prime. Fourteen years ago Mr. Rife removed to Brandon, Man. where he has since resided. He had been ill quite a few years and at the beginning of last Winter the family went to California in the hope of benefiting his health. At first he seemed to be getting better, but about two months ago he took a turn for the worse and became very weak, passing away on Monday. The late Mr. Rife leaves to mourn his loss, his wife and daughter, Miss Marjorie, who were with him in California, his elder daughter, Mrs. Stanley Jackson of Winnipeg and several brothers and sisters. The funeral took place at Long Beach, California, on June 5th.

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NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Eight local pages.

City Dairy Ice Cream bricks at Mrs. Stead's.

For the best farm [illegible] to Ramsay's Shoe Store.

Mrs. P. Miller of Kinloss is visiting friends in Toronto.

Mrs. Tschirhart spent Sunday at her home in Formosa.

Misses Lillie and Emma Bilger spent Friday at Mildmay.

Miss Holder of Toronto spent last week with old friends here.

Mr. Ed. Musack of Preston spent the week-end at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Schwindt motored to Hanover Saturday evening.

Mr. William Yates is C. O. F. delegate to Grand Lodge at Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Beninger and family spent Sunday at Enniskillen.

Regal on your shoes means quality in them, sold at Ramsay's Shoe Store.

John Obleiser is back from the West visiting his aunt Mrs John Waechter.

Miss Shouldice of Calgary is visiting her friend, Mrs. W. R. Patersons.

Mrs. Herring of Hanover spent a few days with her parents at Formosa.

Miss Helen F. Brown of Chesley is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. H. Patterson.

Miss Corinne Batte of Guelph is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Batte.

Mr. Alex. Grant is still very ill. His many friends wish for his speedy recovery.

Women's White Canvas high laced shoes $2.50 $3.00 $3.75 at Ramsay's Shoe Store.

Cadet Gordon Pfohl of the Royal Air Force, Toronto, spent the week-end at his home.

The Walkerton Baptist and Christian Sunday School are holding their annual picnic on July 1.

Mrs. Doherty of Teeswater is on a few days visit to E. T. Gibson's and friends in town.

Miss Henrietta Wintrs of Enniskillen spent a few days last week with relatives here.

Mr. Robert Russell is showing signs of improvement these days although still suffering considerably from scurvits.

Mr. Russell Wiles accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Reinsbottom and Miss Lydia Weller motored to Teeswater Sunday.

Mrs. W. D. Hamilton of Hammond Rd., arrived here Monday and will spend the summer with her sister, Mrs. John McLean.

Miss Pauline Clapp, nurse-in-training at the Hospital for Sick Children, Shuldaysday with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. E. Clapp.

Mr. W. R. Barnett, Post Master of Paisley and Mrs. Barnett motored here on Sunday and spent the day with the former's sister, Mrs. Crompton.

I have a 4hpd power stump puller which has only cleared a few acres. Most satisfactory puller on market and in excellent condition. Greatly reduced price. E. C. Manchee, 123 Bay St., Toronto.



Miss Farrel of Wiarton is visiting Miss Nellie Bryce.

Mrs. G. H. D. Martyn is expected home from Toronto this week.

Cumdonette Shoes need no breaking in Sold at Ramsey's Shoe Store.

Miss Ida Fehrenbach spent the week-end with friends at Hanover.

Mrs. J. Miller of Riversdale is going to Toronto to visit her daughter for a week.

Mr. George Yaeck spent Sunday at the home of Mr. Vernon Duerr, Formosa.

Mr. Wm. Edwards of Ripley spent a few days visiting his uncle, Mr. Robert Irwin.

Take home a City Dairy Ice Cream brick. You can get them at Mrs. Stead's.

Miss Mabel Garner is visiting her sister, Mrs. Milton Ball at Hanover this week.

Women's White Canvas Oxfords, high heels and low heels at Ramsey's Shoe Store.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kelp of Port Elgin spent Sunday with relatives here and at Hanover.

Mr. Andrew Ditner, the Chepstow cattle-dealer, was in Buffalo on business the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Russel returned home from Toronto where he has been taking treatment.

Mrs. Frank Lang of Brant is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Graf.

Mr. Herb. Henning of Hanover was operated on at the Bruce County Hospital last week for hernia.

Mr. W. M. Shaw is in Montreal attending a meeting of the Can. Manufacturers Association.

The many friends of Mr. Alex Fehrenbach will be glad to learn that he is able to be about again.

Miss Vera McPhadden of Mount Forest was the guest of Miss Gertrude Oberle on Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Kischner and children of Brant spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hesch.

Mr. Thesker, former accountant of the Merchants Bank here, now of Sarnia spent Sunday with friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Paterson and the latter's brother, Mr. Walter Brown of Chesley motored to Guelph on Sunday.

Mr. Armond Whitehead B. A. of Toronto spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Whitehead.

Mr. Eric and Miss Annie Hesch motored up from Kitchener to see their brother Leander who is home on leave.

Mrs. Willard Palmateer of Mount Forest spent a few days of last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Oberle.

Mr. Harvey Craig spent the week-end with his parents Mr. and Mrs Wm. Craig, returning to Hamilton on Tuesday.

Mr. H. Addis had the misfortune to fall and hurt his side while working on the railroad. He will be laid up for some time.

Miss Annie Lambertus of the Stratford Business College is on a week's vacation to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Lambertus.

Rev. J. F. Reycraft of Mount Bridges brother-in-law of Mrs. Lorne A. Reid has been appointed Chaplain in the Royal Air Force.

Mr. Matthews, organ expert of Toronto was here the past week overhauling pipe organs at the Presbyterian and Methodist churches.

Grapples are here, several crates received. Speak quickly if you want some. Prices as low as can be expected. Goode & McKay.

Mrs. M. Goetz and sister, Miss Barbara Martyn, left on Monday for Milwaukee to visit their three sisters, who are in a convent there.

"The Hatchet" is out, chopped prices on peas, tomatoes, peas and corn. There never was a time when a dollar had so much purchasing value.—Buy now Goode & McKay.

We extend congratulations to Bros. J. A. Johnston of Mildmay on attaining the dignity of dadhood. Johnston is, they say, tips the scales at 11½ lbs. Chip off the old block, alright.

Fancy fresh vegetables, arrivals every day, just now we have new cabbage, cooking onions, green peas, hot house cucumbers, tomatoes and cauliflowers,—prices as [illegible] Goode & McKay.

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Expected Home Soon.

Art Farrar son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Farrar, is expected home shortly from England. Art has had several operations as the result of severe wounds and has been invalided home.

Children's Aid Canvas

The people of Walkerton will have an opportunity to help in a worthy work on Monday, June 24th, when members of the Children's Aid Committee will make a canvas of the Town. $500 is the objective. This is the first Canvas in the County and Walkerton, it is hoped will lead on in such away as to furnish a worthy example to the municipalities in Bruce.

Opening Photo Studio

Mr. T. Donahue of Tweed, is coming to Walkerton this week to open a photo studio in the premises formerly occupied by the late F. J. Fraser photographer. Mr. Donahue has had many years experience in all branches of photography and we understand is throughly up-to-date in his methods. Mr. Donahue is a middle-aged man with a grown-up family. In fact, has one son in France and another about to leave for Overseas. He has leased both stores of Miss Bruce's block and will enlarge the photo studio. Mr Donahue is also familiar with moving picture work and is negotiating with Mr. A. E. Attwood for the lease of Movieland.

Appointed Town Engineer

Many Walkerton friends will be glad to hear that Lieut. Fred B. James intends remaining in town and opening an Engineers office here. Mr. James was appointed Town Engineer on Monday night. He has also been appointed Supt. of the engineering for the reconstruction of the Southampton dam by the Saugeen Power Co., and has other appointments in view. Mr James possesses high qualifications in his profession, having had over 30 years experience in England and Canada. He was for several years a County Engineer in England and since coming to Canada has had important experiance at Winnipeg, where he was the engineer in charge of a number of large construction schemes including reinforced concrete buildings to the value of four million dollars and one of the largest grain elevators at Fort William.

County Court Sitting

The June Session is on at the Court House this week. Judge Klein on the bench Four Civil Cases are on the docket. In the case of Chris. Hetherington of Culross against Ezra Sitler regarding the purchase of a horse which afterwards died, a great many witnesses were heard. Judgment was given in favor of Sitler, who was represented by O. E. Klein, Barrister Clark of Mt. Forest, appearing for the plaintiff. At time of going to press the case of McPhail vs. Nichols were on. This is an action brought by Laughlin McPhail, a farmer of Bruce Tp. to recover the value of seven head of cattle alleged to have been poisoned by some substance purchased as epsom salts from the defendant, John S. Nichols, a merchant of Paisley. Schnurr vs. Dossman, both of Carrick, in an action which arose over a dispute in the purchase of a cow, the plaintiff claiming that the animal which was sold by his wife belonged to him. John Procknow vs. Wm. Leifso, formerly of Brant, but now of Sask., in a suit to recover $200, by the plaintiff to be due him in wages.

Death of Mrs. F. Kimble

Mrs. F. Kimble, who had been confined to the Bruce County Hospital for seven weeks as a result of fracturing her hip, passed away on Sunday morning. Pneumonia which set in about the middle of the week was immediate cause of her demise. It was just seven weeks to the day since her late lamented husband passed away after a brief illness. The fact that both husband and wife were living and enjoying the best of health two months ago furnishes but another instance of the uncertainty of life. Mrs Kimble, whose maiden name was Rosanna Rowland, was born at Surtingham, Norfolk, England, 64 years ago and came to Canada with her late husband in 1885 settling at once at Walkerton and had resided here ever since. Fred Kimble of Winnipeg and Mrs. (Sergt.) Winters of Walkerton are only son and daughter. The funeral was held on Tuesday afternoon, being conducted by Rev. C. W. Cosens, pastor of the Methodist Church of which the deceased was a member. At her expressed wish the same friends acted as pall-bearers who bore her late husband to his last resting place seven weeks before. They were:—Messrs T. Hyslop, R. Bryce, J. H. Hunter, E. Walford, W. Taylor, E. H. Sheffied.

Charlie Bryce Lands.

Word was received yesterday that Charlie Bryce, son of Mr Robert Bryce who has been in a hospital in England for many months with severe wounds, had landed at Halifax.

Public Notice.

All persons, male or female, of the ages of 16 years and over (no age limit), who desire to take advantage of registering prior to Registration Day on June 22nd, may do so by calling at the Post Office at Walkerton, answering the necessary questions, and signing the registration card, on any day during the week commencing June 17th —Geo. D. MacKay, Registrar.

Eli Gets There

Mr. E. Myles, our local furniture dealer, is one man who doesn't need to worry about the competition of mail order houses as he is able to give the public a service which the mail order houses can't begin to touch. For example on Monday, a customer living on the Owen Sound line came in on the noon C. P. R. train and ordered an outfit of furniture. Mr. Myles undertook to deliver it the same day and with the help of his motor trailer delivered the goods at the customer's home forty miles from Walkerton early in the evening, just a few hours after the customer had left home to go shopping. The customer was thus able to see the goods, personally selected them, got articles that thoroughly suited him, and at prices that could not be equalled in the larger city stores.

Mr. Rankin Appointed Principal

The Public School Board has appointed Mr. Thomas Rankin principal for the coming year at $1025 the same salary as his predecessor. Mr. Rankin was for 29 years Principal of Port Elgin public schools and has an excellent record as a teacher. Latterly he has been living retired but came here at Easter to supply the term from Easter to summer holidays owing to Mr. Willoughby's resignation. Mr. Rankin supplied here also on a previous occasion and has given such good satisfaction that the Public School Board feel they have been very fortunate in obtaining his services for the coming year. Although a long time in the work Mr. Rankin does not consider himself an old man. Indeed it is probable his best years in the teaching profession are still ahead of him.

Want "Something for Nothing"

There is an old adage that you can't get "something for nothing" in this world. But it is surprising how many people are looking for "something for nothing from the local newspapers. These people lose sight of the fact that the only and one means of making a living the publisher has is selling advertising space. Costing as it does more to produce all local papers than the subscription price, every cent of profit must come from advertising. And every line in the paper costs the publisher something. It represents a financial outlay in the same way that a lb of sugar costs a grocer money. It is the ware that the publisher in the role of merchant has to sell. Publishers make poor beggars and as a rule pay their way as they go, subscribing in cash to patriotic movements, charity and church quite as liberally as other classes in the community. It is therefore at times amusing and other times somewhat tiresome to note the persistency with which unthinking people endeavour to get the publisher's best wares without paying for them.

Street Lighting Contract Expires

The five year contract made by the Town with the Walkerton Electric Light and Power Co. for street-lighting in 1913 expires on July 1st. At the regular Council meeting on Monday night a committee composed of Mayor Johnston and the street lighting committee consisting of Chairman F. W. Lippert, Reeve Douglas and Coun. Pletsch were named to look into the matter of street-lighting, meet the local power company and report. If the Hydro Electric Power Co. had kept faith with the people of Walkerton, the local power plant would be operated to-day by hydro but Hydro has delayed until the Town finds itself with an expired contract on its hands. When Hydro is going to come it is an uncertainty. But what the citizens would wish to avoid now is the renewal of the contract for a fixed term which would mean a further excuse for delay in getting hydro in. In view of the stand taken by the rate-payers on the hydro by-law, such action by the Council would of course be out of the question. We believe that the Town's interests are in good hands and that the Committee will find the local power company willing to make reasonable terms in arranging for a temporary continuation of the present lighting service.

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DO FARMERS MAKE MONEY?

(Guelph Mercury)

Does a farmer know whether he is making money or losing it? If he's making money, is he getting enough to carry the investment he has tied up in his "plant," and allow for his own wages? Would it be of any advantage to a farmer to know how much he was making or losing in a year?

These are questions that readily suggest themselves after hearing the address of Mr. A. Leith, who has charge of the farm management department on the staff of the O. A. C. His paper was given at the annual meeting of the Experimental Union, and showed a very great deal of computing in the work of preparation. His matter was intensely interesting, principally because it was new to a good many of those present, and also because it touched, in its conclusions, a thing most dear to all farmers and city men alike, the size of the bank account.

Mr. Leith, and those working with him, took the township of Caledon. This, itself lends a peculiar local interest to the investigation, that township bordering on the township of Erin in our county of Wellington. In a number of cases the information desired was hard to secure because the farmers would not give it to them. In such a case the only course open would be to pass on. In many cases it was only by considerable questioning that the information was secured. There were certain outstanding expenditures that the agriculturalists could give right off such as the outlay for binder twine, machinery etc.

On sixteen farms of 85 acres, or under, the figures show that the average capital invested was $7,132; the number of crop acres worked by a horse was 15, the number per man was 44, and the labor income was $702. By labor income, Mr. Leith explained, that he meant what a man really earned after allowing 5 per cent. on his invested capital. Not a very handsome amount surely.

It is interesting to note that as the size of the farms increased, the results seemed to be more satisfactory. On five farms of from 150 to 190 acres the number of acres per horse increased from 16 to 25, and per man from 44 to 68. The labor income one would be expected, also showed a decided increase. Take the 150 to 189 class. The labor income is given as $1,629. The capital is placed at $14,652. If Mr. Leith allowed 5 per cent. on this it would amount to practically an additional $730, which would bring his earnings up to about $2,429.

Another point that may have been generally overlooked—certainly it would not occur to many people not engaged in agriculture—was the disadvantage the small farmer was laboring under by reason of the fact that his non-productive capital was relatively much larger than the man with the bigger farm. The figures showed that in the 85 acre class the average capital was $7,132, and of this amount $4,317 was productive capital, or practically 60 per cent. while in the 150 to 189 class the average capital was $14,652, of which $10,129, or 69 per cent. was productive capital. In other words the small farmer had practically ten per cent. more unproductive capital than the large farmer.

Of course there are bound to be exceptions to these figures. There are small farmers who will be away above the figures given by Mr. Leith. On the other hand there will be others below them. It is averages that he gives—the good with the bad, and the thrifty with the shiftless. It is an interesting study and one that will no doubt more and more occupy the attention of the agriculturists of this and other provinces.

A millionaire merchant says: "My success is probably due to the fact that at night I stored my mind and during the day I mind my store."

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Let there be no mistake about it. All persons of sixteen and over, male or female, must register on Saturday, June 22nd. If you have reached the allotted span of years and several score over and able to go to the nearest registration booth you must do so. If you are too old and feeble then registrars will be sent to you, but you must register. To neglect to do so will mean a fine of one hundred dollars and imprisonment for any term not exceeding one month.

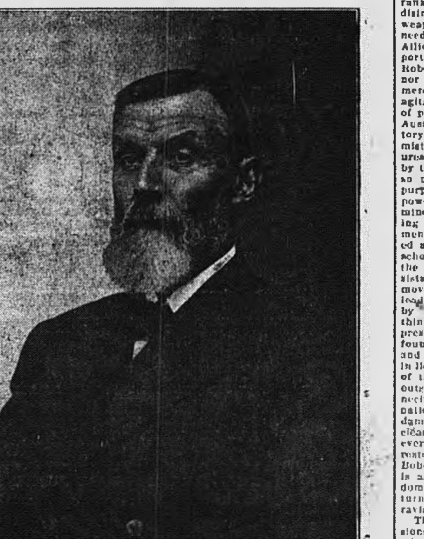
LETTER FROM FRANCE.

Trooper Max Wilson writes his sister, Mrs Lorne A. Eedy from the Front:—

So far I have rather enjoyed my experience in France. There is lots of sport of one kind and another. We hunt the Hun and we hunt rats, mice and lice—absolutely no peace. We are always after something. The mice and rats in the dugouts are something scandalous. One day while I was asleep one big rat took a can opener and opened my tin of bulky beef and ate it and just left me the can. You can hang things on a wire from the ceiling and they will actually get it.

This little old France is surely a pretty country but I don't think I would care to make my home here just at present. The Germans are liable to drop a shell in and move your house for you most any time. If you ever start a war though, come over here with it. This country is just naturally made for fighting in and I don't think the people would mind a bit, they're so used to it.

I saw a bunch of U. S. soldiers the other day. It is the first time I have seen the Sammies in bulk form. A bunch of them came to our camp for a bath and they sure needed it. That is authentic state with all of us though over here and we never miss an opportunity of getting on a bath parade. We have always a kind of vague hope that the seam squirrels will be a little less plentiful on the clean clothes they have us than on the ones we take off. It is just a toss up though. They fumigated our blankets to day and that causes much discussion as to whether it makes our small friends more lively or stupifies them. I have a theory of my own.



DANIEL KNECHTEL

Veteran Furniture Manufacturer who is preparing a fine Public Park to present to the Town of Hanover.

I believe that they breed in that fumigation but don't like it, so immediately a bunch of blankets go through they take that as their excursion train and all leave home also never to return.

One thing we have been informed of by General Curry is that if we are killed we don't die but just step into immortality. Still I have no desire to become immortal just at present, pleasant as it must be. I would much sooner the old Hun became immortal than me. This little old world looks pretty good yet.

We have nice little corrigated iron huts to sleep in this place made out of three pieces of roofing. I don't mean that there are only three pieces to the whole but that it just takes three pieces to make one part of the walls and roof. Of course you are always wild by looking for a place to hang something but nothing doing. Everything has to find a place on the floor. There is naturally an awful conglomeration of legs arms and equipment when we all get in.

I was teasing a little French girl about her red hair (you seldom see one with red hair) and she swore at me in real good Canadian cuss words. I was quite startled but I don't suppose the child knew what she was saying and of course I had to laugh at her so I suppose she'll do it again.

The Princess Pats gave the 45th a nice concert the night before last all comedy and it was pretty good. They have a good concert party. You would be surprised at the amount of talent there is in the army anyhow.

We had two baseball games to-day. We play indoor baseball out doors. Can you understand that it is something like the inside in or outside out outside inside inside out. It is very simple now I have explained what I mean. The game is much better than outdoor baseball for people who are not experts and it doesn't require much room. Any little old clear space will do.

We have sixteen platoons in the battallion and each platoon furnishes a team so we expect to have quite a strong competition before Fall in our spare time as a kind of change from the other sports mentioned above.

A fellow by the name of Slim Galbraith(little Willie) who is six foot three and weighs one hundred and forty pounds and sleeps with me. I used to know him in Strathmore. He claims that he could make Bairnsfather's fortune if he could just see him. Poor Slim has hard work to get a coat to fit him his arms stick out about a foot and he always claims they are freezing. Naturally he isn't a very hot bed fellow but he is a natural born comedian and no matter what he has to tell you about he tells it in such a way that everyone has to laugh. I will have to quit this very interesting letter pretty soon as it is getting late. However I will be able to go to bed quite satisfied that I have told you all about the war.

My old friend Buck (Buckingham) is in the next platoon so I am not with him but see him every day and we manage to spend quite a bit of our spare time together. Buck has got to the stage where he takes the war quite seriously which is a big mistake for there are really lots of very amusing things happening all the time.

THAT UNQUENCHABLE SPIRIT

Lt-Col. J. J. Fraser, D. S. O., Walkerton, has the greatest admiration for unquenchable spirit of Thomas Atkins.

"You cannot fraze him" he says. He is as quick with his wit as he is with his bayonet. Sarcasm is his long suit. He makes a burlesque of his own wounds as well as of the German artillery which caused them."

A soldier was brought into the dressing station from a compound fracture of the leg. Asked how it happened, he said "Well, Sir, it was this way; I was leaning up against a German barrage enjoying a cigarette when the barrage suddenly lifted and I fell into a shell-hole and broke my leg."

Col. Fraser tells of a German prisoner who because he could speak English fluently was quite a "mainare" to the Colonials. One day an Australian asked him whom the Germans regarded as the best fighters on the Western Front. Without a moment's hesitation, the German replied "The 1st. Canadian Division, the 3rd. Canadian Division, and the New Zealanders." He probably was not in the humor to lend bouquets to the Australian.

A Canadian military man who has seen service overseas says there is a good deal in what the German said about the Canadians. This is his explanation;

"The 1st Canadians were made up of the fare-devils eager for the fray, so eager they were afraid they would not reach the front in time. Among the 2nd Canadians were men who enlisted believing that the war would be over before they reached the front. The 3rd. Canadians was made up of men who were driven into the fight by a sense of duty. They realized the war was bound to come. They knew the seriousness of it. They reached the brutal nature of it. They had no illusions when they reached up."

Bohemians Now Aspire To Sever All Connection With Austrian Empire

THE war has brought to light, from time to time, some odd political situations. For instance, Austria, moved by the desire for Balkan conquest, has been subjugated by Germany while the two remain nominally allies in a war against right and justice. Furthermore, as she wars against the enemy outside her gates, Austria finds still more dangerous enemies within, in the shape of those Slav nationalities of the Dual Monarchy whom she has vainly endeavored to take to her cruel heart. At that heart lay the sharp, piercing point of a brutal despotism against which they have been thrust. But those nationalities have refused to be sacrificed; their statesmen and people rise in protest; their soldiers mutiny and desert to the enemy; and their civilian compatriots in other lands arm and join the Allies on the fighting fronts. The Slavs seek and are determined to have their national independence, and to-day there is, without doubt, among the twenty-odd nations now linked in the great crusade, that, at the peace table, the claims to national organization and liberation of the peoples dwelling within the Austro-Hungarian empire must be satisfied, if a permanent peace is ever to be established.

It is notable that Lord Robert Cecil, British Minister of Blockade, has not only publicly recognized this factor in the international problems of the war, but has expressed himself in sympathetic terms concerning the Czech national movement. There is no longer any hesitation, in allied ranks, about the need of politically disintegrating Austria as a powerful weapon in winning the war. That need now determines in part the Allies' active policy, so that it is important to emphasize, as did Lord Robert, that neither the Bohemian nor the Jugo-Slav movement is merely the product of an artificial agitation on the part of a handful of politicians and literary men. The Austrian has read the lessons of history too well ever to make such a mistake. The recent Austrian measures of repression of Bohemia, whereby the country has been divided into so many arbitrary districts, for the purpose of placing a preponderating power in the hands of the German minority, show that the German ruling elements take the Czech movement as a serious political blow aimed at Austrian imperialism. That a scholar like Dr. Masaryk is to-day the head and front of Bohemian resistance is proof less of an academic movement than of a determination to lead the Bohemian cause to victory by the enlistment of the clearest thinkers of the country. Bohemia presents an organized people prepared in earnest. Austria knows it and dreads the consequences. There in lies the significance to the Austrian of the writing on the wall. To the outsiders, looking on at the life-or-decline struggles of this small Slav nationality amid its political Gotterdammerung, the writing is equally clear-cut and convincing. More than ever it becomes apparent that the restoration of liberty of action to the Bohemian, as to the rest of the Slavs, is as necessary to the world's freedom and material welfare as time to return to France and Belgium of their ravished lands.

The Bohemian political representations, as already pointed out, constitute an attempt to secure for the German minority that official power which would outweigh their present inferiority in numbers. Formerly there was one stadtholder or lieutenant-governor, appointed for the whole country; now there are in addition what Dr. Masaryk has termed twelve "pashas," appointed from Vienna, who by administering all the patronage, will hope to break up the power of the Czechs, destroy the Czech majority in the Vienna Reichsrat, and finally bring about the total dismemberment of Bohemia. The Austrian Reichsrat, it is plain, is to be Germanized through and through, so that it will be unable to raise even a finger against the policy of the Government. Austria is determined to preserve outwardly the semblance of a happy, harmonious family, when Parliament meets again, and to see that Pan-Germanism has its day. Such disintegration faces the country, and the twelve "pashas" policy, the answer to that Italian-Slav agreement and support which may yet make of Austria a mere geographical term, may after all have come too late.

Sauerkraut and Pretzels.

Just as many Germans are to-day anxious to prove that they were born in Alsace and are more French than German, so are the manufacturers of sauerkraut and pretzels endeavoring to prove that these foods are not Germanic in origin. A large pretzel company declares that a historian states that the pretzel is of Roman origin, and that the name is probably some Roman derivation from the middle Latin "brachillum," a little arm, compared to the Italian "bracciatello," a baked article similar to the pretzel. Another authority says that in the early Christian church the pretzel was a gift of the priest to the children, a reward for learning prayers, and that the form of pretzels suggests folded hands.

Population of the World.

In 1787 the population of the earth, according to Busching, was about 1,000,000,000; in 1800, according to Fabri and Stein, only 900,000,000; in 1833, according to Stein and Horschelman, 872,000,000. In 1868 Dietrici estimated it at 1,266,000,000 and Kolb, in 1865 at 1,220,000,000. According to the latest calculations the earth is inhabited by 1,400,000,000 happy (?) human beings.—New York Tribune.

AIRPLANE ACCIDENTS.

Fear Is Rarely Experienced In Actual Flights.

The loss of life in airplane work in war is so heavy that it is important to diminish to the utmost the accidents which occur during training, which is costing so many Japanese beginners so dearly. The first step, obviously, is to find out what are the causes of accidents. In a London medical journal an analysis has just been made of the causes of accidents in the case of 9,000 flights involving 4,000 hours' flying, by the students of an airplane school. Out of the 9,000 flights there were 58 crashes, or one in every 156 flights. A crash is defined as such an accident as involves the removal of the airplane to workshops for repair or rebuilding. In the 58 crashes, 16 airmen were injured, which is equivalent to one pupil injured in 560 flights. Almost all the accidents were due to error of judgment. This was the case in 42 cases out of 58. Then came seven cases in which the pupil lost their force owing to brain fatigue, one of airplane defect, and four in which the cause was unavoidable. Under the headings "fear" and "physical illness"—two causes of airplane accidents—there are no cases. It seems that fear is rarely experienced in actual flights, the mind being too much occupied and concentrated. Fear is seldom experienced in a degree sufficient to disturb flying. "Many, however, confess to a sense of danger lurking somewhere at the back of the head, but say that it rarely, if ever, asserts itself." As to physical illness, cold and fatigue sometimes produce faintness or stupor. There have been faintings from high altitudes or wounds. Two pupils suffered in the air from attacks of malaria. One had an epileptic fit. —The New Easte

Petrograd's Scourge.

That typhus should be reported on the increase in Petrograd is not surprising to the Lancet (London), which reminds one that typhus has long been prevalent, mildly at least, in Petrograd. Now, however, with the Government disorganized, refugees crowding in, and a general breakdown in sanitation agencies of Russia, naturally typhus will come back, concludes this journal. Yet it need not:

"With sanitation typhus fever gradually disappeared from Britain and more advanced countries; practically, exanthematic typhus in England may be said to be an extinct disease. But it is otherwise in Russia, and particularly in Petrograd, where personal and domestic hygiene is little practiced. When personal uncleanliness, infestation by lice, overcrowding, and other insanitary conditions are aggravated by shortage of food and other necessaries, as well as by the withdrawal of skilled medical and sanitary supervision, it is little wonder that a disease like exanthematic typhus has been able to increase and multiply. In the absence of a competent and responsible health authority to enforce appropriate preventive measures, including the isolation of the sick in hospital and destruction of body vermin, the present epidemic will probably continue for some time.

"There is, therefore, the dismal prospect immediately before the people of Petrograd that there will be a considerable increase of physical suffering to many of them, with a high proportion of fatal results, from a pestilence that is easily preventable if the teachings of modern medicine are followed."

China's Gains From the War.

China stands to gain far more than she might lose by the war. The balance is almost wholly in her favor. In it are to be reckoned her hope of release from the staggering indemnities inherited from the Boxer trouble, probable relief from foreign resolutions that keep her import duties at an unprofitable level, restoration of sovereignty over territorial concessions wrested from her in her greatest hours of weakness, more generous co-operation in developing her natural resources, and a more certain guarantee of her democracy and her political integrity.

Participation in the war gives China a double leverage for the attainment of the last named of these potential benefits. It will operate both internally and externally. The recent monarchical restoration of Gen. Chang Hsun served to emphasize the lack of cohesion that threatens China within. It was followed by contigued rumblings of southern secession, which persisted up to the moment of declaring war on Germany. At any time China might have burst into the flame of a civil strife between the radical south and the reactionary north. The lacing of a national enemy should be, as always, a powerful agent for quieting civil internal dissension and for putting China's quarreling patriots shoulder to shoulder. The external safeguard of the Chinese democracy resides, of course, in the benevolent protection assured by the family of allied nations.—Carroll K. Michener, in Review of Reviews.

Ten Burglars Arrested.

Berliner Tageblatt, Monday, February 11, 1918: "The detective force of Berlin has succeeded in tracing a gang of ten burglars in Moabit and has arrested most of them. The burglars generally worked in the larger towns of the neighborhood. They sold in Berlin the booty, consisting for the most part of provisions, such as coffee, of which several hundredweight was found in their possession. Equipped with revolvers and the most up-to-date burglar tools, they perpetrated their latest burglary in Kottbus, where they thoroughly ransacked, among others, the apartment of the military commander of the town.

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FORMER GREENOCK MEN

Both Father and Son Meet Violent Deaths Within Two Weeks of One Another

The family of Henry Tucker, who formerly lived on the Chamber's farm, Greenock, about six miles west of Walkerton, has been twice stricken by death in a violent form during the past month. On Sunday, May 19th, a son, George H. Tucker, was mysteriously murdered near Toronto. On May 29th, the father, Henry Tucker was fatally injured in a runaway accident and died three days later.

The manner of Mr. Tucker's death was as follows:—A farmer's team got frightened while standing in front of the flour mill at Orangeville and ran away. Mr. Tucker ran out and tried to stop them and fell. It is thought the hub of one of the wheels struck him on the forehead.

From the time Tucker was admitted to the hospital no hopes whatever were held out for his recovery. His skull was so badly fractured that it was impossible for him to get better. An operation was performed and a portion of the skull which pressed on the brain was removed. At times Tucker regained consciousness and recognized members of his family. Mr. Tucker had attended a number of the evangelistic services that are being held in the Baptist church and professed conversion. Deceased leaves a widow, two sons and three daughters to mourn his death.

The son, George H. Tucker who was brutally murdered on Sunday night May 19th, was a member of a C. P. R. bridge building gang. He was killed by his assailant with a blow of a stiletto as he lay dozing in a bunk in a boarding car, which stood on the Roman Stone Company's siding on the outskirts of Weston.

Now that the packers are forcing down the price of hogs will they be equally obliging and force down the price of ham and bacon? The consumer would like to see the good thing passed around.

Pte. Cole, known in the West as the Saskatchewan giant, stands seven feet three inches in his stockings, and wears a No 13 boot. Private Cole enlisted at Moose Jaw, early in the war. He has taken as pal the shortest man in his battalion. His extraordinary stature attracted the attention of the King, who stopped his horse to enquire about him.

Rod and Gun for June

Fishing and Canoeing in Algonquin Park, The Record of a Cruise on the Kawartha Lakes, Bear Hunting on Peace River, On the Trail of Ogarse, A Day on the Bras D'Or Lakes are some of the contents of the June issue of Rod and Gun now on the newsstands. The Guns and Ammunition department this month is of special interest containing as it does a carefully written and practical article by one who has been "over there" on Sharpshooting in the Trenches. Every prospective soldier should read this "article for it tells the soldier how to shoot to kill, and this is what it is needed if we are to win, this war. There are other articles in this section worthy of note and the Fishing Notes section is up to its usual standard. Rod and Gun, the magazine of outdoor life in Canada is published by W. J. Taylor, Limited at Woodstock, Ont.

LETTER FROM JOE CAIN.

Mrs. John J. Cain had an interesting letter on Friday from her son, Pte. Joe. Cain, who has been ill with trench fever and was recently removed from Francaste a hospital at Cardiff, Wales Joe writes:—

Just a short note to say that I have landed safely in England and am in dock for some time with trench fever. It acts like rheumatism. I was up for a couple of days when I was in the hospital in France but I could hardly walk ten feet and my temperature went up and I was forced back to bed where I have been ever since and on milk diet. I saw several boys of the 160th Bruce Batt'n in March but I have seen very few of the old boys who have seen more of it. I don't want you to worry about me. I will be all right and am getting well looked after. I have just seen two Canadians in the hospital besides myself and they both say this is a lovely city. I am the only one left now without a scratch in my section and was when we left Belgium. They were nearly all killed with the exception of three wounded, leaving me the only one out of some twenty men and a corporal since I went to France. The ones that were killed went all in one night and I and a chum had to return to camp alone, after fixing up the wounded and getting them to a dressing station. We very often had to sleep with our clothes on and them wet and muddy. That is one cause I think of the sickness now. I don't want you to worry. We will win in the end and will bring glory to the Land of the Maple by deeds of valor and steadiness.

NEWSY HAPPENINGS IN BRUCE

Latest styles of Wedding Stationery printed from new type at the Telescope.

Southampton Town Council passed a resolution asking permission to appoint a magistrate.

If a man should keep liquor in his barn it would be regarded as an unlawful place. If he should keep it in his stomach it would be regarded as "within the law."

Customer. "Look here! Isn't that a hair on the butter?" Waiter: "Yes, sir, a cow's hair. We always serve one with the butter to show that it isn't margarine."

Indications are that the 100,000 men authorized to be raised under the Military Service Act will be secured from the first class called, and that, in consequence, it will not be necessary to draft married men.

There is nothing to prevent a man making wine for his own use whether from dandelions, grapes or any other article, provided he does not sell the same if it is over 21 per cent. proof spirits. After Dec. 31 next, under the order-in-Council of the Federal Parliament, it will become illegal to manufacture.

Twice Sorry

Twice in the same day a Toronto lady turned the garden hose on her neighbor. Quite unintentional. A mere accident. The first time, she was sorry. The second time she was sorry again—very sorry indeed—and begged pardon. But the victim was angry, and used language. The Magistrate fined the lady of the hose $1 and costs.

Lizzie Tramped On Him

What might have been a serious accident occurred on Tuesday afternoon in front of the Murphy House at Fergus. A traveller attempted to crank his car with the machine in gear, and it threw him down and ran over him. He was taken out from under the car by several who were near with his clothing torn and his body bruised. Fortunately the wheels did not pass over him, or the results would have been more serious.

On the Dear Old Farm

A farm hand who had worked hard in the fields from dawn until darkness day after day, and had been obliged to finish his chores by lantern light, went to the farmer at the end of the month and said:

"I'm going to quit. You promised me a steady job of work."

"Well, haven't you got one?" was the astonished reply.

"No" said the man, according to The Boston Transcript, there are three or four hours every night when I don't have anything to do except to fool my time away sleeping.

Chesley has appointed a new band leader, Sergt. John G. Galpin of Park Hill at a salary of $300

There can be no questioning the fact that Canada's big milling companies have made lots of dough out of flour during war times.

Thornbury council has passed a traffic by-law, by which all drivers are to keep to the right side of the street, or face a $50 penalty for violation of the law.

A dentist declares that the tendency of the tongue to exaggerate is shown by the fact that a small cavity in the teeth invariably seems very large to the tongue.

The Department of Agriculture are sending out advice as to raising chickens. Good advice to parents in towns and cities is to keep the "chickens" off the streets at night.

All school teachers must now take the oath of allegiance. No teacher will here after be granted a permanent certificate, unless a British subject by birth or naturalization.

A Scottish lady in Rome writes that the Italians are much interested in the Highlanders, and says she has been asked if is true that it is true that it is lucky to touch them. On the contrary many a man has found that it is most unlucky to touch them.

A million dollars' worth of food is reported to have been destroyed in Montreal in fifteen months ending April 1st., according to Drs. Hood and Boucher, of the local food department. The food consisted of meat, vegetables and fruit which had been in storage and had rotted.

Walkerton buyers are paying 65 cents a pound for unwashed wool, taken as it comes, without selection or rejections. Four years ago, just before the outbreak of the war, wool of the same quality and condition was worth here seven cents a pound. In other words, wool to-day is bringing a little more than nine times as much as it brought in the spring of 1914.

Colors Back to Bruce

Major Moffat who was the officer commanding the 160th Battalion when it was disbanded writes on May 9th to the Mayor of this town that he is having the colors which were so generously donated by him and Mrs. Halliday, returned to Bruce County Council for final disposition. The Brass and Bugle Band instruments and colors have been fully insured before being returned. The colors were deposited in Brambolt Parish Church when the 160th went Overseas.—Chesley Enterprise.

For convenience in spelling and pronouncing Edward John Finkbeiner of Toronto, has changed his surname to Fraser by deed poll at Osgoode Hall

It is rumored that many of the non-essential industries will be closed this summer for a month or two and the men sent to work in the harvest fields.

One member of Parliament would shift the tax from tea to gasoline. With gasoline at 20 cents a gallon in the States and 34 to 37 cents in Canada there is a slight suspicion that some one has already shifted a tax.

No gypsies are to be permitted to pursue their wanderings about Ontario this summer, the order that everyone must work being due for strict enforcement, and horse-trading and fortune-telling not being rated as work.

Martin Allen and F. Beatty were fined $15 and costs each for being in an intoxicated condition. They had visited a friend and had partaken of a decoction of the friends making, with the above result. According to the evidence, the stuff they drank was made of parsnips boiled to a pulp, mixed with yeast cakes, molasses and water and it evidently had some kick in it.—O. S. Sun

A new angle in the Prohibition Act has been revealed since the Dominion Order-in-Council making it illegal to transport alcoholic beverages came into force. The public have been aware that it was illegal to transport liquor from one province to another, but now the discovery is made that in strict terms of the Act it is illegal to move it from a building in which it may be stored to another building. Therewith reserve supplies of liquor, if the Act is strictly enforced, must continue to occupy their present homes until the stock is exhausted or risk running foul of the law if they move to another house.

Might Weaken the Flem

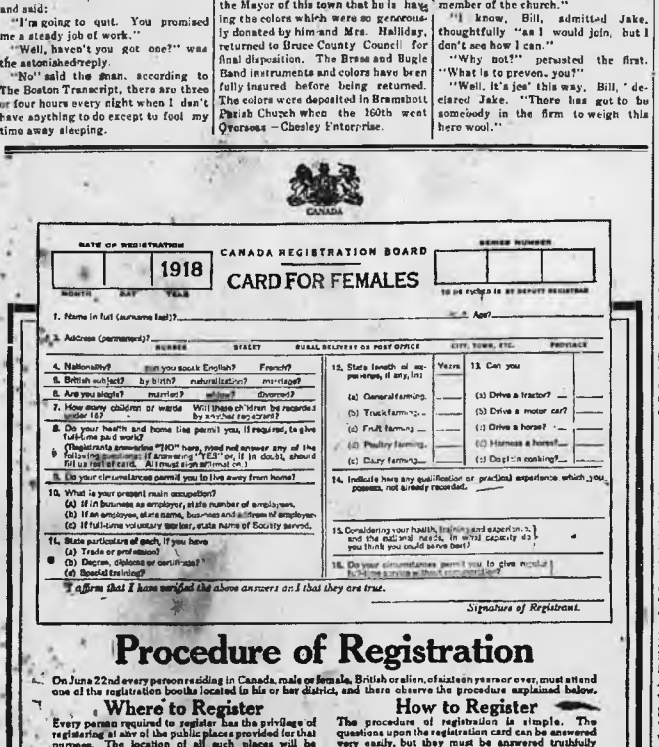
Two brothers once ran a store in a small Western town, where they had quite a large trade in wool on barter. One of the brothers became converted at a revival and urged the other to follow in his footsteps.

"You ought to join, Jake," said the converted one. "You don't know how helpful and comforting it is to be a member of the church."

"I know, Bill, admitted Jake, thoughtfully "an I would join, but I don't see how I can."

"Why not?" persisted the first. "What is to prevent you?"

"Well, it's jes' this way, Bill," declared Jake. "There has got to be somebody in the firm to weigh this here wool."



Procedure of Registration

On June 22nd every person residing in Canada, male or female, British or alien, of sixteen years or over, must attend one of the registration booths located in his or her district, and there observe the procedure explained below.

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Study the questions carefully so that you will be able to answer them promptly when registering. If you have any special qualification, or feel that your services would be more beneficial to the country in some other line of work, say so.

While all are compelled to register on Registration Day, it is not contemplated by the Government to force the sick, feeble and aged to turn out. If such persons will notify the Registrar prior to June 22nd of their inability to attend at a place of registration, an effort will be made to register them at home, provided the request is reasonable and justified.

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Pte. Leander Hesch of London Sundayed at his home here.

No man should object to thick soles, as the objection will soon wear away.

Will it be part of the duty of the Food Inspector to sample the various vintages in the cellars of the opulent, and testify to their character and quality? In that case, while the job may be tedious, it will not be dry.

Mr. Peter Weis of Hanover fell from a ladder stretched across a creek in the vicinity of the Ball Furniture Co.'s factory on Saturday last breaking his left leg near the hip. As he is 87 years of age his condition is somewhat critical.

Mr. Henry J. Diebel, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. John Diebel, of Hanover met instant death at Elora as a result of being run over by a Grand Trunk car. Deceased had been working with the G. T. R. bridge gang for a couple of months and in attempting to climb up between two cars while they were in motion, he slipped and fell between them, and the car wheel passed over his chest. He expired almost immediately.

Cheats the Blackbirds

A South Ward resident assures us that the crows or blackbirds won't bother the corn if the seed is first dipped in coal oil, the same applies to mangold and beet seeds. This method, our informant says, has been tried and proved for many years.

Saw Nelson's Flagship

Bombardier Louis Dippell, who has been recuperating from typhoid in England writes home that he visited Portsmouth on leave recently and saw some interesting sights visiting among other places the historic flagship of Admiral Nelson. Louis reports that he is steadily gaining strength.

Spotten May Run

Opposition may be offered to Dr. Case, of Dungannon, the Conservative nominee for North Huron. Rumor names George Spotten, ex-mayor of Wingham, who tied Dr. Case at the nominating convention, and lost by the chairman's vote, if no Liberal is put up. The agreement as to war-time election contests going by acclamation is said not to apply to this contest, as the late member did not die, but slid into a cosy office as postmaster at Wingham. Mr. Spotten published a two-column declaration of war, in which he scores the machine for his defeat at the convention.

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Makes no diff'rence time o' day,
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If he's sick, or feelin' blue,
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Ask Bill Selby how he is,
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While he says he's "feelin' fine!"

Ol' Bill Selby's full o' grit,
Though he never brags of it;
Takes things cool as cool kin be;
Has a smile for you an' me.
Never growls about his work,
Never thinks to loaf or shirk,
Never answers with a whine,
Allus says he's "feelin' fine!"

We have seen him hobblin' round,
Nigh bent over to the ground,
Victim of the ager, too,
Workin' for the well-to-do.
Fingers cramped an' cold inside,
But chock-full o' grit an' pride.
Ask him how he is to day,
Ol' Bill Selby teaches me
What a feller orter be;
'Sted o' grumpin' round like some,
Makin' all the world feel glum,
Nursin' aches we never had,
Makin' ev'rybody sad,
We should brace ourselves a bit,
Make a show of havin' grit;
An', like Selby, never whine,
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OUR TOWN COUNCIL

Deals With A Multitude of Matters At The Regular Monthly Session On Monday Night

The Town Council held its regular monthly meeting Monday night and dispersed of quite a grist of business.

Those present were:—Mayor Johnston, Reeve Douglas, Couns. Pletsch, Vogan, Lippert, Truax, George.

Communications

Mr. F. B. James applied for the position of Town Engineer, stating that he expected to locate permanently in Walkerton.

R. M. Beemer, C. P. R. Agent, applied to have rebate of $3.91 on freight, which had been rebated by mistake, returned to him.

Mr. Littlejohn, City Clerk of Toronto, invited the Council to join in a petition for the abolition of the Dominion Senate. Do some of the Councillors expect to reach the Senate some day? Anyway they turned the petition down. It was filed.

Town Clerk Collins called attention to the fact that the street lighting contract expires July 1st. Referred to Street Lighting Com.

Mrs. Chris. Gateman wrote the Council that she had been unable to use the Town water for three months last winter as the pipes leading into her place were frozen and asked for rebate. Referred to Waterworks Com.

By-laws No. 1175 and 1176, providing for the laying of sidewalks 4 ft. wide on the east and west sides of Yonge St. over the Bridge, were given the necessary formal readings.

Chief Ferguson reported $5.50 police court fees for the month of May.

The Finance Committee, Coun. F. W. Lippert Chairman, recommended the payment of a number of small accounts. Also recommended that the Chief be given a list of all citizens not having their closets in shape as required by the by-law, the Chief to notify them at once to comply.—Carried.

Wm. Yates For Fire Chief

The Fire & Water Com., Reeve Douglas Chairman, recommended that Mrs. Gateman's request for a rebate be granted; that as the Committee could not get a recommendation from the Fireman as to whom they wanted for Chief, that as the resignation of Chief Alex George, presented at the last meeting be accepted, and Wm. Yates be appointed Chief at a salary at $25. Carried.

The Property Committee, Coun. Harry Truax Chairman, recommended that $1500 fire insurance be placed on the Canada Saddlery building and $500 on the machinery and contents; that the offer of $300 received through A. R. Williams Co. for the drop hammer be accepted. Carried,

A. R. Williams Co. of Toronto, who have the selling of the Canada Saddlery plant for the town, reported that they had an offer of $300 for the 600 lb. drop hammer. As the hammer cost only $300 in the first place and was partly broken, this is considered a good offer.

Coun. Lippert suggested that the small stuff at the Saddlery plant be removed to the Town Hall for safe keeping.—Agreed.

The Streets Committee, Coun. Geo. Lettner chairman, recommended that the scheme to build a sidewalk between Messrs Petteplace's and Searle's residences be dropped as there were not sufficient signers.

The Street-lighting Committee, Coun. F. W. Lippert chairman, recommended that the Mayor and the Street-lighting Committee meet the Walkerton Electric Light and Power Co re the expiring of street lighting contract and report to the Council at a later date.—Carried.

Couns. Truax and George moved that Mr. F. B. James be appointed Town Engineer under the Water Courses Act.—Carried.

Couns. Lippert and Vogan moved that the Town Engineer be handed Mr McDowell's report on water course (east of river) through Walker property and that he check same over and make award on matter.—Carried.

Reeve Douglas brought up the matter of citizens using the town water for washing their autos. People who do this, he said, use as much water as 15 ordinary families and they ought to pay extra for it.

Other members expressed the opinion that not much car-washing was done by private owners.

Coun George said that as there is sufficient water works revenue to pay debentures, running expenses and everything, the man who uses a pump is getting fire protection for nothing That means that the water works rates are too high.

Town Clerk Collins said that while the water works revenue to-day paid everything, there had been 15 to 20 years when there was a deficit which had to be met by the tax-payers. Now for the first time, the system is self-sustaining

Val. Schurter, the popular principal of Chepstow School, and son of Township Treasurer M. M. Schurter of Greenock, left on Thursday for London to report for military service.

SGT. TED WILHELM HOME

First of Seven Walkerton Boys In Mortar Battery To Make Canada—Tells How Ed. Eidt Won D. C. M.

Another of Walkerton's "splendid men" who have played heroes' parts on European battle fields returned home on Friday night in the person of Sergt. "Ted" Wilhelm, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Wilhelm. Of the seven Walkerton boys of the 10th. Trench Mortar Batt'y which has been in the thick of it the past two years, Ted is the first back to Canada. Four of the seven now sleep in heroes graves in France, and two are still on the firing line. The seven boys are:— Leith Russell, Evesits Truax, Ed Eidt Chester Cunningham, Alvin Wilton, Roy Oberle, Ted Wilhelm.

Ted "got his" at Passchendaele on October 29th, 1917. A jagged piece of shrapnel from a bursting shell went through his right fore-arm One of his companions was killed by the same shell and another seriously wounded. The cords and muscles of his arm were badly shattered by the shrapnel and the bone injured. After seven and a half months treatment Ted has some slight use of his hand again and he hopes in time to get it back to a fair degree of usefulness.

To the Telescope Ted. was good enough to describe the gun the Battery uses. The trench mortar which is operated by three or four men, is a wicked weapon, better in its line than anything the Germans have. It takes a three inch shell about fifteen inches and weighing 10 lbs and throws it at the rate of 50 to 60 a minute. Its ordinary range is from 250 to 500 yards but it has now been perfected to work up to 900 yards. The gun is operated from the front line and the havoc that 50 or 60 shells a minute creates in an enemy trench is more easily imagined than described. There are 8 guns in a battery, a battery being attached to an infantry brigade. At Vimy Ridge the 10th. Trench Mortar Battery which the Walkerton boys belonged were throwing about 800 shells a day from each gun. This so attracted the attention of the enemy that it was impossible to keep the gun pits, so hot was the return fire. Our boys then operated the guns from shell holes entirely having no overhead protection.

The Trench mortar shells are timed to explode in 12 seconds. Occasionally they misfire and are laid aside. Ted tells of one occasion when a shell misfired after it was timed to explode. It was then that Ed Eidt who was handling the gun, showed the stuff he was made of by warning all the boys to duck and then carrying the shell out and pitching it out of danger before it exploded. The only man wounded was Ed himself, who got a scratch wound from the flying shrapnel. Ed did the very same trick the next day. And it was for this heroic conduct that he was awarded the D. C. M

Ted spent seven months in England at the Epsom Hospital where four to five thousand Canadians are in various stages of recuperation. He reports that he was used fine in the hospitals and speaks highly of the medical devices that are being invented by British Scientists for the wounded. Ted will report at London on the 21st. and will likely undergo further treatment for some time before receiving his discharge.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. Thomas Coates and family wish to express their sincere thanks to their many neighbors and friends for their great kindness during their bereavement.

BORN

McKAY—In Walkerton, on Friday, June 7th, 1918, to Mr. and Mrs. N. C. McKay, a son.

BRIDGES—In Mildmay on June 1st, to Mr. and Mrs. Fred. A. Bridges, a daughter.

POLLARD—At Winnipeg General Hospital, on May 31st to Pte. (Rev.) and Mrs. Alfred Pollard (nee Hattie Williams formerly of Walkerton) a son.

DIED

FLETCHER—In Greenock, on Friday, June 7th, Maria Jane Fletcher, aged 63 years.

KIMBLE—At Bruce County Hospital Walkerton, on Sunday, June 9th Miss Roxanna Kimble, relict of the late Frederick Kimble, 84 years, 2 months 8 days.

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TOWN AND DISTRICT

Mrs. Adam Graf spent Saturday in Deemerton.

Mrs. Charles Wright of Hanover spent Tuesday in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Rahn of Hanover, motored to Walkerton on Tuesday.

Mrs. Murray of Chepstow spent Friday with her sister, Mrs. Adam Graf.

Rev. A. W. Shepherd of Leamington will occupy Knox Church pulpit next Sabbath.

Mr. Wm. Lamont of Malcolm spent Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Stevens.

Mrs. George Welsford of Paisley attended the funeral of Mrs. F. Kimble here on Tuesday.

Mr. Edward Kelly left on Tuesday for Windsor, where he will visit his daughter, Mrs. Percy Zavits.

S. S. No 3 Carrick will hold their annual picnic in Mr. John Hogg's bush on Tuesday afternoon, June 27th.

The flume at Truax's mill burst during Sunday night occasioning the shutting down of the factory for a day.

Sheriff Jermyn, who is in town for County Court, was accompanied from Wiarton by Mrs. Jermyn, who will spend a few days in town.

Mr. H. H. McKague, a traveller who visited Walkerton for many years, as representative of a Toronto Stationary concern, died on Sunday.

Miss Mary Fischer of Carlsruhe who has been visiting her sister Mrs. George Henninger had her tonsils removed on Monday by Dr. Sinclair.

Mrs. Vanderburg, daughter of R. E. Hueghan, whose husband died recently arrived here this week from the West and will set up house-keeping with her father.

Mrs. Best left this week on a few days' visit to friends at Guelph, and her daughter Mrs. James Ferris at Toronto prior to leaving on a trip to the West.

Mr. James Moffat, an old and well known resident of Teeswater, passed away on Saturday. A number from this section attended his funeral on Monday.

In justice to your pocket book and yourself you cannot afford to miss this opportunity for the next two weeks. Matches 7 cts. a box—3 for 20 cts. Goode & McKay.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Williams and Misses. Nellie Bryce, Myrtle Farrow and Mae Poole motored to Mildmay and attended the funeral of Mr. Williams' niece, Miss Alice Berry.

Surgeon Prob. Wilbur Cryderman who returned home recently after three years service Overseas has been advised by medical authorities to spend the summer resting quietly at home as the best means of restoring his wonted good health.

Mr. Gilbert Hettrick of Greenock has bought a new Chevrolet car.

Miss Cappie Spence of Southampton is visiting her friend, Miss Pauline Clapp.

Chief Ferguson and family motored to Wingham on Sunday and spent the day with friends there.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harrison and family and Miss Janet Kenny motored to Shelburne on Friday and returned on Monday.

Mrs. McBurney, who is removing from Whitby to make her home with her son, Mr. W. H. McBurney is expected here next Monday.

Messrs Frank, Ambrose and Jack Lang of Brant, accompanied by Mr. Jack Rudolph, motored to Kitchener and spent the week-end there.

Contractor Robt. Trench has completed the slating on the lower part of the R. C. Church spire and has brought a steeple jack from Toronto to complete the job.

Of course, you won't miss Port Elgin's Dominion Day Celebration. Big program of races. Concert at night. Come to the lake town for Monday July 1st.

Mrs. Edward Diss has bought Mr Adolph Mosack's residence on Victoria St. She will obtain possession in the Fall when Mr. Mosack and family purpose removing to Preston.

Mrs. Wilford Ritchie, who has been recuperating from the effects of the auto accident at the home of Mrs W. G. Ritchie of Paisley, has arrived home. She is now able to walk with the assistance of a cane.

Mr. Kevo, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Groove and family and Miss Minnie Boyers of Listowel motored here on Saturday to visit Miss S. Siebuhn who is still suffering from the dog-bite. They also visited other relatives in town.

Mrs. Stauffer and her son, Mr. Millard Stauffer of Toronto were visitors in town the past week. Walkerton friends will be glad to hear that Mrs. Stauffer intends making her home here if she can secure a suitable dwelling.

Two Walkerton lads, Tom Etherton and Reg. Harrington have applied for admission to the British Navy and went down to Toronto on Tuesday to be examined. The boys are about 16 years of age and both are the sons of soldiers Overseas.

Mr. Sam Carter the well-known parliamentarian from Guelph was in town on Monday. Mr. Carter is District Supt. for the Registration and is visiting the various Counties under his jurisdiction. In South Bruce, Mr. Geoge D. McKay has the organization practically complete already and has a splendid board of workers co-operating with him throughout the Riding. In Walkerton the Registration will be handled by the I. O. D. E.

Miss Elsie Clendenning is in the Hospital with a bad attack of sore eyes.

Mr. J. J. Schumacher is at Mosford and other points on business this week.

Mr John Lippert of Chepstow went to the Hospital on Tuesday to undergo a serious operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Inglis attended the funeral of the latter's cousin, Miss Alice Berry at Mildmay on Sunday afternoon.

Master Irvin Inglis, who has been engaged with Mr. W. J. Richardson during the summer vacation, is laid up this week with a sore back as the result of a fall from a waggon.

Mr. Bethel, a former Walkerton citizen, now living in London England has, it is reported, joined the home guard for science in England. Mr. Bethel's health has been poor since returning to the Old Land.

Angus McKenzie, one of the oldest inmates of the House of Refuge, passed away on Friday in his 81st year. He had been bed-fast for nearly three years Schility was the cause of his disease. He had no immediate relatives.

The old post office, one of the landmarks of Walkerton, which was purchased recently from Miss McCormick, by Mr. Ed. McKelvie, South Line, was torn down this week. The timber will be used by Mr. McKelvie in the building of a new house on his farm.

"Walkerton Soldiers Overseas Auxiliary" is the new name of the local "Soldiers Aid" organization which has done such magnificent work the past three years for the Walkerton boys Overseas. The change was made to conform with new government regulations.

Lost Valuable Mare

Irwin Bros. lost a valuable mare and its colt one day last week The mare, Bella McGee, was one of the big thoroughbreds imported from Michigan lately. She was the dam of one of the Black-Black stallions.

Mrs. McIntosh and son, Angus, of Lucknow, visited her brother, Dr. W. A. Hall this week.

Mr. Hugh Montgomery of Ennistillen who has been very poorly, was reported to have taken a turn for the worse the past week.

Still Keen To Fight

Pte. George Craig, who has been in a hospital in France recovering from wounds, writes home to his parents Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Craig that all his wounds are better but one which is still painful. He expected to be operated upon before leaving the hospital for an ailment which he has had for years, in order to get back to the firing line.

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LIVE NEWS OF NEIGHBORING VILLAGES AND COUNTRYSIDE

Happenings of the Week Collected for the Readers of The Telescope by a Staff of Wideawake Correspondents

PINKERTON

Senator Donnelly met with a very painful accident on Saturday afternoon. He was assisting in setting the sawmill in order when his hand was drawn into a gulley with the result of his losing part of his thumb and two fingers.

Among the young men in this district who have been ordered to report at London are, Harry Mutrie, Elmer Reid, Willie Keyes, Melville Reid, Geo. Wilson, and William Knox.

Rev. Jas. Gale occupied the pulpit at Elmwood and Malcolm on Sunday. The Sunday previous he preached at Hyde Park near London.

Miss Jessie Pinkerton spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. Alf. Fiddis at Ailsa Craig.

The local lodge of the C. O. F. attend divine service in the Anglican Church here on Sunday afternoon. There will be no service in the Presbyterian Church.

Lieut. Harold Pinkerton of Toronto spent a few days at his home here.

Anniversary services will be held in the Presbyterian Church here on Sunday, June 23rd. Rev. Mr. Crangton of Palmerston will occupy the pulpit morning and evening.

OTTER CREEK

(Intended for last week.)

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Hutton of Bruce attended the raising at Mr. Harry Hickling's.

A number from here attended the funeral of the late Charles Wendt of Mildmay.

Mr. Harold Jasper returned from London where he reported for Military Service.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schultcis and daughter of Mildmay were visitors at Mr. J. Bell's on Sunday.

Mr. Wilfrid Gross was a visitor in Hanover on Sunday last.

Miss Lillian Ickmeir was a visitor at John Pfohl's of 14 con. on Sunday.

Miss Mildred Pfohl, teacher at Owen Sound visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] over the holiday.

Mr. Clifton and Miss Alta Gress were visitors at their sister Mrs. Wesemlar's of the 4th con., Carrick, on Sunday.

A number from here attended the big barn raising at Mr. Daniel Eckert's on the sixth concession of Carrick.

Mr. and Mrs. George Smith of Ayton were visitors at Mr. David Gress' on Sunday.

RIVERSDALE

Mrs. Robt Hall and children returned to their home in Stratford after visiting her mother here.

Frank Valad and Vincent Petteplace left Monday for London where they have to report for service.

Mr. Albert Dietrich and James Collison along with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Becking left Saturday for a motor trip to Port Huron.

Mrs. Hudson of Teeswater spent the week-end with her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Brown.

Quite a few attended the party at Joe Valad's last Wednesday night. All report a good time.

Messrs Katz and Shapiro were busy buying wool in this vicinity last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Valad and Mr. and Mrs. Nick O'Hagan motored to Owen Sound on Saturday.

Rev. Mr. Bradley of Teeswater occupied the pulpit of the Presbyterian church here last Sunday.

Mrs. Stewart and two children, of Mornington, are visiting the home of her father, Mr. Wm. McDonald.

EDEN GROVE

A presentation that was well attended took place and a purse containing $27.00 given to Wilbert Watson and the same to Charles Stewart both of whom are called to the colors. In reply to the address the young men in a few graceful flowery fluent words thanked those present for the friendly spirit shown by the gift (what a liar I'm getting to be) and the dance was renewed in the kitchen, the card games recommenced upstairs and the gossips never stopped in the parlor.

Tom Desmond and Jack Rouney were the champions of the euchre series—if you accept their word for it. I believe they skunked big Bill and Bob but of course neither side signed—'twas a most religious game. Just to crow a little—I might add that Andy and I beat 'em and are willing to do it again.

Sandy Gallinger has a full crew (License Inspector please note) under the [illegible] and control of Jim Killen at [illegible] the devil with the old [illegible] this week. Since John and Dick Kerry agreed to lend a paw to the job, Sandy expects to finish three months earlier than he formerly figured on which will make it about April 1st. two thousand and two.

Tell any happening that amuses you to the G. T. R. Agent at Pinkerton.

Harold Scott, Jack Desmond and Dan O'Reilly were home over the week-end.

MILDMAY

BORN—On June 8th, to Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Johnston, a son. Congratulations.

The marriage of Miss Isabella Ringerger to Mr. Joseph Kloepfer of Chepstow took place here on Friday morning. On Saturday morning the happy young couple left on a honeymoon in the States.

Mrs. Max Wendt spent the week-end with her daughter, Mrs. Hartley Jarvis at Toronto.

It is with great regret that we chronicle the death of Miss Alice Berry which occurred on Friday morning at 5 o'clock after a lengthy illness. The funeral took place on Sunday afternoon to the Evangelical cemetery and was largely attended. The funeral services were held at the house and were conducted by Revs. Gehl and Patterson. Miss Berry will be greatly missed from this community as she was possessed of a cheery, sunny disposition which coupled with her fine christian character was a great influence for good. We extend out sympathy to the bereaved family.

Pte. Elmo and Jack Schnurr, and Ed. Weiler of Carling Heights, London and Pte. Geo. Eggert of the Canadian Engineers, Bedeskville, spent Sunday with friends and relatives here.

The Y. P. A. of the Evangelical Church held a Rally sheet on Sunday evening. Miss Kate Schwalm spoke on the various activities of the Y. P. A. and Mr. I. Knechtel spoke on Prayer. Several duets and choruses were pleasing additions to the program.

Mr. Ed. Wittich, Mr and Mrs. Peter Hunstein and Miss Tabitha Hunstein of Cargill were visitors in town over Sunday.

Mr. Ed. Knechtel and family of Hanover spent Sunday with Mildmay friends.

A large meeting of the farmers of Carrick was held in the Town Hall, Tuesday night, June 4th, to appoint delegates to attend the Convention of Farmers at Toronto. Mr. Philip Gress of con. 14 gave a spirited speech which was much applauded.

CARGILL

R. A. Fowlie and two children are visiting in Whitby.

Tony Rousseau sold his McLaughlin touring car and has purchased a runabout.

The Bowling Tournament held here on June the 3rd was very successful, over sixty-five dollars being turned over to the Red Cross Society.

Miss Verna Loughleen a visiting her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Loughleen.

Rev. Hagger, successor to Rev. J. L. Hemer of the Anglican church, occupied the pulpit in the English church on Sunday.

Miss Iona Taylor of Brussels returned home this week.

A severe electrical storm passed over the village on Tuesday evening.

Mr. Gilbert Hettrick has purchased a new Chevrolet touring car.

The Fords are still coming. Four more new ones were brought up from London last week.

The farmers around here evidently are not thinking of getting any help for the harvest as there are no applications going in for help to the Government.

The G. T. R. station in the Grove is the only new thing put there in years. The station agent was the last.

Report of S. S. No. 2 Brant and Greenock, for month of May. Pupils marked * missed one or more examinations.

5th. Class;—Lottie Crawford, Nellie Scharbach.

Entrance Class:—Tom Powers, Florence Hettrick, Vera Lambertus John Clancy, Lillian Grainger, Dewstow Martin.

Sr. IV;—Loretta Schuett, Ear Rensburn.

Jr. IV:—Clara Pegelo, Jennie Martin, Genevieve Meyers, Margaret Hood, Anna Hood, James Powers, Hazel Thompson*, Frank Clancy*.

Sr. III;—Molly Kyle, Ethel Rensburn, Bill Streeter, Norman Shuett, Willie Bester, John Powers, Marjorie Mawhinney, Matilda Scharbach.

Jr. III—Joe Scharbach, Mary Clancy Willie Wurn*, Jimmy Young, Pearson Elder, Wilfred Pegelo, Francis Mahoney, Dick Streeter, Trimble Baillie, Louis Hogf. Iris Crawford. Mildred Grainger.

Sr. II—Mary Schuett. Mary Schuett, Grace Kyle, Wilberteen Mawhinney, Wesley Rensburn, Frank Hanson, Billie Hood

S. J. Mathers, Teacher.

Jr. I—Alvin Hetzler, Sam Martin, Ross Mawhinney, (Oscar Schnurr, Wilfred Schuett) Willie Young,

Sr. I;—John Meyer, Marguerite Thompson, Harriet Grice, Edna Bester, Howard Taylor.

Jr. —Leslie Hettrick, Donald Cargill, Mike Power, Gladys Grice, Willena Hetzler.

Sr. Pr.—Florence Scharbach, Lily Crawford, Edna Pegelo, Merlin White. Attendance 22.

J. L. Allan teacher.

GREENOCK

Alex J. Kraemer, our popular wagonmaker, who has been drafted for military service, was pleasantly surprised before leaving for London last week, when Bert L. White, Jacob Schuster, and H. L. Hawthorne, called on him and on behalf of the neighbors presented him with a handsome wrist-watch, at the same time extending to him best wishes for success in his errand Overseas and a safe return.

WESTFORD

Mr and Mrs. Steve Scharbach and Miss Susie and John Purvis spent Sunday afternoon at D. Murray's

Mr and Mrs. George Kreamer and family motored to P. Linehan's last Sunday.

Mr and Mrs. Warren of Marmora Ont. visited at Peter Murray's last week

Mr and Mrs. Thomas Percy of Glamis called on friends here last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker of Wingham visited their uncle Mr. T. Fallon last week.

Charlie Wall attended the races at Kincardine on Thursday.

BORN—On May 31st. to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Stanley a son.

Mr and Mrs. Haldenby gave a dance on Friday night in honor of their two sons Wm. and George and their cousin Wilbert Haldenby who have donned the khaki and are about to join their unit at London.

BRANT

MAPLE HILL SCHOOL REPORT
April and May

Entrance—A. Burrell, P. Sickel, L. Brockelbank, R. Harnock.

Sr. IV—M. Pinkney.

Sr. III—A. Schilling, D. Walker, G. Pinkney, C. Leach.

Sr. II—L. Schilling, G. Harnock. A. Pinkney.

Jr. II—O. Pfohl.

E. M. Teeple, (Teacher.)

S. S. NO. 4, BRANT
May

Jr. IV—Reiva Tanner, Ruth Krueger, Jean Lowe, Lola Tanner, Minnie Schwandt, Viola Lippert, Lillian Litt.

Sr. III—Wilfred Keip, Morgan Woods

Jr. III—Edyth Smith, Grace Kirstine, Allen Tanner, Beulah Woods, Elmer Woods, Esther Schwandt, Oscar Tanner.

Sr. II—Burns Kirstine, Clinton Lippert, Earl Litt.

Jr. II—Hugh Kirstine, John Allardyce.

Jr. I—Lawrence Keip, Dorothy Tanner, Gordon Tanner. Roy Tanner, Joseph Litt, Josephine Litt, Elmer Fritz, Madeline Lippert.

Jr. Pr.—Edna Schwandt. Howard McKelvie.

A. Pr.—Rose Kirstine, Laura Krueger, Herbert Litt, Victor Tanner, Lieta Juergens.

Absent for some examinations:—Lola Tanner, Lillian Litt, Viola Lippert.

J. E. Hamilton, Teacher.

Sr. I—E. Fisk.

Sr. Pr.—V. Little, M. Schilling, D. Sickel, E. Pfohl, M. Fisk.

Jr. Pr.—A. Brockelbank, C. Cunningham, R. Burrell, M. Fisk.

HANOVER

Mrs. H. H. Miller who was in Toronto when she learned of the death of her son Fraser at the Front arrived home Tuesday. She was accompanied from Toronto by her son, Mr. Moore A. Miller of Weyburn Sask., and her daughter, Mrs. W. E. Adams and two children of Vancouver, B. C.—Hanover Post.

Mr. Daniel Knechtel bought five acres of land from Mr. Harry Badertscher, situated north of the Hanover Portland Cement Co.'s power house and south of the Saugeen River, and is spending considerable money fitting it up for a park. The place is a pretty natural rotunda, and when it is cleaned up, the trees trimmed, the stumps pulled out and plowing and levelling done it will be a real beauty spot. Mr. Knechtel has put up a building for the use of picnic parties and will have an auto road built. Work of improvement is still in progress and will be for some time. "Knechtel Park" will ultimately, we understand, be deeded to the town and in the meantime the citizens of Hanover will have the opportunity of using it, holding picnics there etc.

The meeting called in the interests of improving the Hanover cemetery was largely attended. Mr. D. Knechtel acted as chairman. A vote was taken as to the advisability of employing a permanent caretaker and it was carried unanimously. A new set of rules and regulations was passed. An assessment of $2 a year on a full plot and $1 on a half plot will be made to meet the cost of employing a caretaker and other expenses.

Tenders For Two Arch Bridges

SEALED TENDERS addressed to Read Superintendent of the Co. of Bruce, Port Elgin, Ont. will be received up to 2 p. m. of Friday June 21st, for two reinforced concrete arch bridges, one on the Durham Road at lot 50, Greenock Tp. and one over Pine River on Goderich Road between Kincardine and Amberly. An accepted Bank Cheque payable to Treasurer of the Bruce for $ ... tender must accompany each tender, which will be returned in case of non-acceptance and retained as security for due performance of accepted. Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the Superintendent, and if given. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

D. J. Reid, Supt. Port Elgin Ont.

R. McDowall C. E. Bd. Supt. Port Elgin Ont. Owen Sound, Ont.

TENDERS FOR COAL

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A Tale of Youth and Summer Time and the Baxter Family, Especially William

By

BOOTH TARKINGTON

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the anyhow, an' he took a case knife he'd sharpened—an' *he cut a lady's head off with it!*"

Mrs. Baxter screamed faintly.

"An' he got hung, mamma! If you don't believe it you can ask One Eye Beljus. I guess he knows. An' he sold this suit to One Eye Beljus when he was in jail, mamma. He sold it to him before he got hung, mamma."

"Hush, Jane!"

But Jane couldn't hush now. "An' he had that suit on when he cut the lady's head off, mamma, an' that's why it's haunted. They cleaned it all up except a few little spots of it!—

"Jane!" shouted her mother, "you must not talk about such things, and Genesis mustn't tell you stories of that sort!"

"Well, how could he help it if he told me about Willie?" Jane urged reasonably.

"Never mind! Did that crazy ch—Did Willie leave the baskets in that dreadful place?"

"Yes'm, an' his watch an' pin," Jane informed her impressively. "An' One Eye Beljus wanted to know if Genesis knew Willie, because One Eye Beljus wanted to know if Genesis thought Willie could get the $3.60, an' One Eye Beljus wanted to know if Genesis thought he could get anything more out of him besides that.

"He told Genesis he hadn't told Willie he could have the suit, after all. He just told him he thought he could, but he wouldn't say for certain till he brought him the $3.60. So Willie left all his things there, an' his watch an'—"

"That will do!" Mrs. Baxter's voice was grave. "I don't want to hear any more!"

Mrs. Baxter went hurriedly into William's room and made a brief inspection of his clothes closet and dressing table; then she strode to the window and called loudly:

"Genesis!"

"Yes'm!" came the voice from below.

"Go to that lumber yard where Mr. William is at work and tell him here to me at once. If he declines to come tell him"— Her voice broke oddly. She choked, but Jane could not decide with what emotion. "Tell him—tell him I ordered you to use force if necessary! Hurry!"

"Yes'm!"

Jane ran to the window in time to see Genesis departing seriously through the back gate.

"Mamma"—

"Don't talk to me now, Jane," Mrs. Baxter said crisply. "I want you to go down in the yard, and when Willie comes tell him I'm waiting for him here in his own room. And don't come with him, Jane. Hurry!"

"Yes, mamma." Jane was pleased with this appointment. She anxiously desired to be the first to see how Willie "looked."

He looked flurried and flustered and breathless, and there were blisters upon the reddened palms of his hands. "What on earth's the matter, mother?" he asked as he stood panting before her. "Genesis said something was wrong, and he said you told him to hit me if I wouldn't come."

"Oh, no!" she cried. "I only meant I thought perhaps you wouldn't obey any ordinary message"—

"Well, well, it doesn't matter, but please hurry and say what you want to, because I got to get back and"—

"No," Mrs. Baxter said quietly, "you're not going back to count any more shingles, Willie. How much have you earned?"

He swallowed, but spoke bravely. "Thirty-six cents. But I've been getting lots faster the last two hours, and there's a good deal of time before 6 o'clock. Mother"—

"No," she said. "You're going over to that horrible place where you've left your clothes and your watch and all those other things in the two baskets, and you're going to bring them home at once."

"Mother!" he cried, aghast. "Who told you?"

"It doesn't matter. You don't want your father to find out, do you? Then get those things back here as quickly as you can. They'll have to be fumigated after being in that den."

"They've never been out of the baskets," he protested hotly, "except just to be looked at. They're my things, mother, and I had a right to do what I needed to with 'em, didn't I?" His utterance became difficult. "You and father just can't understand, and you won't do anything to help me"—

"Willie, you can go to the party," she said gently. "You didn't need those frightful clothes at all."

"I do!" he cried. "I got to have 'em! I can't go in my day clo'es! There's a reason you wouldn't understand why I can't. I just can't!"

"Yes," she said, "you can go to the party."

"I can't either—not unless you give me $3.24 or unless I can get back to the lumber yard and earn the rest before"—

"No!" And the warm color that had rushed over Mrs. Baxter during Jane's sensational recital returned with a vengeance. Her eyes flashed. "If you'd rather I sent a policeman for those baskets I'll send one. I should prefer to do it—much—and to have that rascal arrested. If you don't want me to send a policeman you can go for them yourself, but you must start within ten minutes, because if you don't I'll telephone headquarters. Ten minutes, Willie, and I mean it!"

He cried out, protesting. She would make him a thing of scorn forever and soil his honor if she sent a policeman. Mr. Beljus was a fair and honest tradesman, he explained, passionately; also the garments in question, though not entirely new nor of the highest mode, were of good material and in splendid condition.

Unmistakably they were evening clothes and such a bargain at $15 that William would guarantee to sell them for twenty after he had worn them this one evening. Mr. Beljus himself had said that he would not even think of letting them go at fourteen to anybody else, and as for the two poor baskets of worn and useless articles offered in exchange, and a bent scarf-pin, and a wormout old silver watch that had belonged to Great Uncle Ben—why, the $10.40 allowed upon them was beyond all ordinary liberality. It was almost charity.

There was only one place in town where evening clothes were rented, and the suspicious persons in charge had insisted that William obtain from his father a guarantee to insure the return of the garments in perfect condition. So that was hopeless. And wasn't it better also to wear clothes which had known only one previous occupant, as was the case with Mr. Beljus' offering, than to hire what chance hundreds had hired? Finally, there was only one thing to be considered, and this was the fact that William had to have those clothes.

"Six minutes," said Mrs. Baxter, glancing implacably at her watch. "When it's ten I'll telephone."

CHAPTER XVII.

Youth and Mr. Parcher.

AND the end of it was, of course, victory for the woman—victory both moral and physical.

Three-quarters of an hour later she was unburdening the contents of the two baskets and putting the things back in place, illuminating these actions with an expression of strong distaste in spite of broken assurances that Mr. Beljus had not more than touched any of the articles offered to him for valuation.

At dinner, which was unusually early that evening, Mrs. Baxter did not often glance toward her son. She kept her eyes from that white face and spent most of her time in urging upon Mr. Baxter that he should be prompt in dressing for a card club meeting which he and she were to attend that evening.

William retired to his own room, where he lay upon his bed in the darkness. He heard the evening noises of the house faintly through the closed door—voices and the clatter of metal and china from the faraway kitchen, Jane's laugh in the hall, the opening and closing of the doors. Then his father seemed to be in distress about something. William heard him complaining to Mrs. Baxter, and, though the words were indistinct, the tone was vigorously plaintive.

Everything was quiet now. The open window showed as a greenish oblong set in black, and William knew that in a little while there would come through the stillness of that window the distant sound of violins. And as he lay on his dreary bed his thought of brightly lighted rooms where other boys were dressing eagerly, faces and hair shining, hearts beating high—boys who would possess this last evening and the "last waltz together," the last smile and the last sigh.

Now arrived that moment he had most painfully anticipated, and dance music drifted on the night, but there came a tapping upon his door, and a soft voice spoke.

"Will-ee?"

With a sharp exclamation William swung his legs over the edge of the bed and sat up. Of all things he desired not he desired no conversation with or on the part of Jane. But he had forgotten to lock his door. The handle turned, and a dim little figure marched in.

"Willie, Adelia's goin' to put me to bed."

"You g'way from here," he said hastily. "I haven't got time to talk to you. I'm busy."

"Well, you can wait a minute, can't you?" she asked reasonably. "I had to tell you a joke on mamma."

"I don't want to hear any jokes."

"Well, I had to tell you 'this one 'cause she told me to. Oh!" Jane clapped her hand over her mouth and jumped up and down, offering a fantastic silhouette against the light of the open door. "Oh, oh, oh!"

"What's matter?"

"She said I mustn't, mustn't tell that she told me to tell! My goodness! I forgot that! Mamma took me off alone right after dinner, an' she told me to tell you this joke on her a little after she an' papa had left the house but she said, 'Above all things,' she said, 'don't let Willie know I said to tell him.' That's just what she said, an' here that's the very first thing I had to go an' do!"

"Well, what of it?"

Jane quieted down. "Said you beat what a fuss papa was makin' when he was dressin' for the card party!"

"I don't care if"—

"He had to go in his reglar clo'es," whispered Jane triumphantly. "An' this is the joke on mamma: You know what papa that let Jane dress suit 'way out? Well, mamma thinks that tailor must think she's crazy or somep'n, 'cause she took papa's dress suit to him last Monday to get it pressed for this card party, an' she guesses he must of understood her to tell him to do lots besides just pressin' it. Anyway, he went an' altered it, an' he took it 'way, 'way in again. An' this afternoon when it came back it was even tighter'n what it was in the first place, an' papa couldn't begin to get into it!

"Well, an' so it's all pressed an' et'ything, an' she stopped on the way out an' whispered to me that she'd got an upset over the joke on her that she



"Why, it's layin' right on her bed this very minute!"

couldn't remember where she put it when she took it out o' papa's room after he gave up tryin' to get inside of it. An' that," cried Jane—"that's the funniest thing of all! Why, it's layin' right on her bed this very minute!"

In one bound William leaped through the open door. Two seconds sufficed for his passage through the hall to his mother's bedroom, and there, neatly spread upon the lace coverlet and brighter than coronation robes, fairer than Joseph's holy coat, it lay!

As a hurried worldling in almost perfectly fitting evening clothes passed out of his father's gateway and hurried toward the place whence faintly came the sound of dance music a child's voice called sweetly from an unidentified window of the darkened house behind him:

"Well, anyway, you try an' have a good time, Willie!"

Jane's friendly but ill chosen "anyway" had touched doubts already annoying him. He was certain to be late to the party—so late, indeed, that it might prove difficult to obtain a proper number of dances with the sacred girl in whose honor the celebration was being held.

But as he hastened onward his spirits rose, and he did reply to Jane, after all, though he had placed a hundred yards between them.

"Yes, and you can bet your bottom dollar I will too!" he muttered between his determined teeth.

Spellbound groups of uninvited persons, most of them colored, rested their forearms upon the rail of the Parchers' picket fence, offering to William's view a silhouette like that of a crowd at a fire. Beyond the fence bright forms went skimming, shimmering, wavering over a white platform, while high overhead the young moon sprayed a thinner light down through the maple leaves to where processions of rosy globes hung floating in the blue night.

Yonder—somewhere in the breath taking radiance—danced his queen with all her court about her. Queen and court, thought William, and nothing less exorbitant could have expressed his feeling.

A sense of picturesqueness—his own picturesqueness—made him walk rather theatrically as he passed through the groups of humble onlookers outside the picket fence. Many of these turned to stare at the belated guest, and William was unconscious of neither their low estate nor his own quality as a patrician man about town in almost perfectly fitting evening dress. A faint, cold smile was allowed to appear upon his lips, and a fragment from a story he had read came momentarily to his mind—Through the gaping crowds the young Augustan noble was borne down from the Palatine, scornful in his jewelled litter." * * *

An admiring murmur reached William's ear. "Oh, oh, honey, look at'em long tall suit! 'At's a rich boy, honey!"

"Yessum, so! Bet he got his pockets pack' full o' twenty dollah gol' pieces right dis minute!"

"You right, honey!"

William allowed the coldness of his faint smile to increase—to become scornful. These poor sidewalk creatures little knew what seethed inside the alabaster of the young Augustan noble! What was it to them that this was Miss Pratt's last night and that he intended to dance and dance with her, on and on?

Upon one of the posts of the gateway there rested the elbow of a contemplative man, middle aged or a little worse. Of all persons having pleasure or business within the bright inclosure he was that evening the least important, being merely the background parent who paid the bills—Mr. Parcher.

One subject was preoccupying both Mr. Parcher and William, their two views, though again founded upon one thought, had no real congeniality. The preoccupying subject was the imminence of Miss Pratt's departure. Neither Mr. Parcher nor William forgot it for an instant. No matter what else played upon the surface of their attention, each kept saying to himself underneath: "This is the last night—the last night! Miss Pratt is going away—going away tomorrow!"

The unuttered words advanced tragically toward the gate in the head of William at the same time that they moved contentedly away in the head of Mr. Parcher, for Mr. Parcher caught sight of his wife just then and went to join her as she sank wearily upon the front steps.

"Taking a rest for a minute?" he inquired. "By Georgs, we're both entitled to a good, long rest after tonight! If we could afford it we'd go away to a quiet little sanitarium in the hills somewhere, and"— His staring eyes followed the movements of a stately young form entering the gateway. "Look at it!" said Mr. Parcher in a whisper. "Just look at it!"

"Look at what?" asked his wife.

"That Baxter boy!" said Mr. Parcher as William passed on toward the dancers. "What's he think he's imitating—Henry Irving? Look at his walk!"

"He walks that way a good deal lately, I've noticed," said Mrs. Parcher in a tired voice. "So do Joe Bullitt and"—

"He didn't even come to say good evening to you," Mr. Parcher interrupted. "Talk about manners nowadays! These young"—

"He didn't see us."

"Well, we're used to that," said Mr. Parcher. "None of 'em sees us. They've worn holes in all the cane seated chairs, they've scuffed up the whole house, and I haven't been able to sit down anywhere downstairs for three months without sitting on some dam boy. But they don't even know we're alive! Well, thank the Lord, it's over—after tonight!" His voice became reflective. "That Baxter boy was the worst until he took to coming in the daytime when I was downtown. I couldn't have stood it if he'd kept on coming in the evening. If I'd had to listen to any more of his talking or singing either the embalmer or the lunatic asylum would have had me, sure! I see he's got hold of his daddy's dress suit again for tonight."

"Is it Mr. Baxter's dress suit?" Mrs. Parcher inquired. "How do you know?"

Mr. Parcher smiled. "How I happen to know is a secret," he said. "I forgot about that. His little sister, Jane, told me that Mrs. Baxter had hidden it, or something, so that Willie couldn't wear it, but I guess Jane wouldn't mind my telling you that she told me, especially as they're letting him use it again tonight. I suppose he feels grander'n the king o' Siam!"

"No," Mrs. Parcher returned thoughtfully, "I don't think he does just now." Her gaze was fixed upon the dancing platform, which most of the dancers were abandoning as the music fell away to an interval of silence. In the center of the platform there remained one group, consisting of Miss Pratt and five orators, and of the orators the most impassioned and gesticulative was William.

"They all seem to want to dance with her all the time," said Mrs. Parcher. "I heard her telling one of the boys half an hour ago that all she could give him was either the twenty-eighth regular dance or the sixteenth 'extra.'"

Nothing could have been more evident than William's difficulties. They continued to exist with equal obviousness when the group broke up in some confusion after a few minutes of animated discussion. Mr. Wallace Banks, that busy and executive youth, bearing Miss Pratt triumphantly off to the lemonade punch bowl, while William pursued Johnnie Watson and Joe Bullitt.

"Now you look here, Johnnie," William said vehemently, "and you listen too, Joe! You both got seven dances apiece with her, anyway, all on account of my not getting here early enough, and you got to"—

"It wasn't because of any such reason," young Mr. Watson protested." "I asked her for mine two days ago."

"Well, that wasn't fair, was it?" William cried. "Just because I never thought of sneaking in ahead like that, you go and"—

"Well, you ought to thought of it," Johnnie retorted, jerking his arm free of William's grasp. "I can't stand here gabbin' all night!" And he hurried away.

CHAPTER XVIII.

Miss Boks.

"JOE," William began, fastening more securely upon Mr. Bullitt —"Joe, I've done a good many favors for you, and"—

"I've got to see a man," Mr. Bullitt interrupted. "Lemme go, Silly Bill. There's somebody I got to see right away, before the next dance begins. I got to! Honest I have!"

William seized him passionately by the lapels of his coat. "Listen, Joe. For goodness' sake can't you listen a minute? You got to give me"—

"Honest, Bill," his friend expostulated, backing away as forcefully as possible. "I got to find a fellow that's here tonight and ask him about some thing important before"—

"Ye gods! Can't you wait a minute?" William cried, keeping his grip upon Joe's lapels. "You got to give me anyway two out of all your dances with her! You heard her tell me your self that she'd be willing if you or Johnnie or"—

"Well, I only got five or six with her and a couple extras. Johnnie's got seven. Why'n't you go after Johnnie? I bet he'd help you out, all right, if you kept after him. What you want to pester me for, Bill?"

William swallowed, and, increasing the affectionate desperation of his clutch upon Mr. Bullitt's lapels, "Joe," he began huskily—"Joe, if I'd got six reglar and two extras with Miss Pratt the last night here, and you got here late, and it wasn't your fault—I couldn't help being late, could I? I

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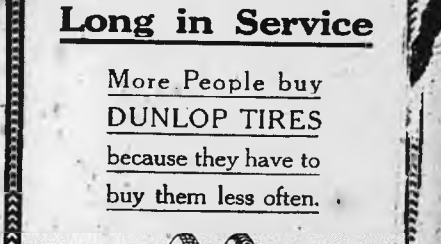


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TOWN AND DISTRICT NEWS

Mr. George Ernest of Brant spent Sunday at Mr. John Crawford's.

Miss Mabel Crawford of Toronto is visiting her mother, Mrs. J. Crawford.

Miss Mary Fischer of Carlsruhe is visiting her sister Mrs. George Semmger.

Mrs. Michael Uhrig and children left on Saturday on a visit to friends in Wiarton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Thine of Brussels were here over Sunday visiting at Miss Etsell's.

Mrs. George Lambertus is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Geo. Frank, east of Millerman.

Miss Edith Etherton had her tonsils removed at the Bruce County Hospital last week.

Mrs Crompton, who returned to town recently, has taken the Flat over Moreland.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Cain returned on Wednesday last from a week's visit at Shallow Lake.

Miss K. McCormick, Mrs. Harry Stephan and Mary left on Thursday on an extended visit to the West.

Rev. and Mrs. C. C. Rock and Mrs. Athlie Thompson attended the Baptist Association at Tiverton last week.

Mr. J. Connolly of Toronto motored to the home of Mr. John Crawford and Miss Maie Crawford will motor back with him.

Mr. George O'Neil accompanied by his sister, Miss Florence O'Neil and their cousin, Miss Margaret Dale Sundayed at Chepstow.

Bruce County Council will hold its June Session at Southampton June 17th

Do your banking in the morning when there is more time. You will find it much more convenient.

If you have a son or friend in the W. O. R. at London, send him a copy of the local paper. It will help him to keep from getting homesick.

The Hamilton Herald makes a good suggestion, that the Department of Militia hire some good newspaper man who can write clear English, to put the recent military orders in such shape that ordinary people can know what they mean. It also thinks that a condensation of the multitudinous food regulations would be helpful and most people will agree to both these suggestions.

Housekeepers who are anxious about their preserves for next winter may take comfort. The Food Board announces that there will be sufficient sugar in the Country for the preserving and canning season, and that the maximum fruit and vegetable crops that can be produced in this country will be taken care of, so far as the sugar supply is concerned. To make sure of this, however, strict conservation will be necessary in the meantime.

The Ontario exchange says, "With this year The Advocate enters upon its 31st year of publication, and although still in the best of health, its existence is now being threatened owing to its entire staff being ordered to the front within a few months." Another exchange asks the public to excuse its general appearance for they have already lost five men through enlistment, and the foreman who is now a boy of 16 years of age. The farmer is not the only man who has lot of fun in running his business.

The new taxes doubles the price of of matches.

Fergus merchants are organizing a union delivery.

The Niagara Synod, meeting at Hamilton, raised the minimum stipend to $1,000, to increase $100 for the next two years.

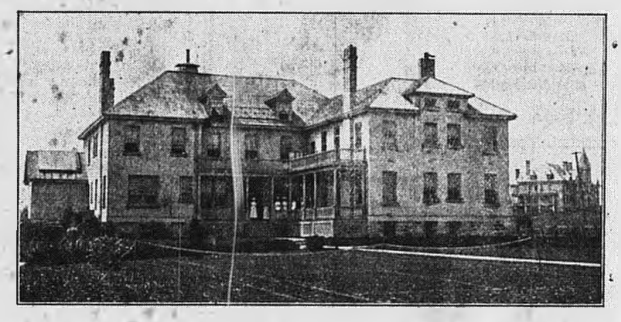
Two Methodist churches and a Presbyterian church, Peterboro, have made arrangements for holding union services for July and August.

The Grand Trunk has issued a circular to the men advising them that the families of all employees who have been drafted for military service, will be granted passes over any part of the system.

The other day the Toronto police found a fellow offering to sell whisky at $8 a bottle, and getting his price. The memory of the editor of the Orillia Packet runs back to the time when a bottle of the same size was filled from draught for ten cents. Per Centra, quinine then sold at $5 or $6 an ounce, and once since has dropped as low as 25 cents. Unfortunately quinine is a most unsatisfactory substitute for bottled joy.

"BUD" sends the following clipping as a stop-gap: A man ran into a physician's office in St Joseph, Mo., the other day and said a man had swallowed a two-foot rule and was dying by inches. The doctor said that was nothing as he had a patient once who swallowed a thermometer and died by degrees. Two patients chipped in, one saying it reminded him of a fellow in Texas who swallowed a revolver and went off easy, and the other said he had a friend in Manitoba who drank a quart of applejack and died in good spirits.

BRUCE COUNTY HOSPITAL



A summary of the Annual Report of this Institution appears in another column of this week's Telescope.

The Dominion Government has set apart June 30th as a day of national humiliation and prayer.

A gentleman winked at a bright little boy on the Lewiston car the other day. The youngster tried to return the salute, but both eyes persisted in shutting. "Mamma," he finally said to the nice-looking woman by his side, "wink at that man."

Ontario motorists may now drive in twenty-six States in American Union without paying any extra license fee. Orders in council have been passed by the Government providing for reciprocity in auto licenses with Colorado and Nebraska. Under the reciprocity arrangement motorists from these States are permitted to stay in Ontario for thirty days without a license, in return for a similar privilege to Ontario motorists.

Pleasant To Take

"The ancients believed that kissing a pretty girl was a sure cure for headache," says an exchange. After all, there is nothing like the old-fashioned remedies.

Called Person Returns

One of the curious side results of the war is seen in the return of colored waiters to hotels in New York and other big northern cities. Time was when most of the large hotels, not only in the Northern States but in Canada as well had colored waiters. During the last 10 years or so these had been steadily disappearing, but they are coming back now following upon the withdrawal of European waiters to fight in the armies of their respective countries. Not only are negros coming back as waiters, but they are, in Canada, appearing as train hands and, in Toronto, as motormen or conductors on the street railway.

The man that has a thing to sell,
And goes and whispers down a well
Is not so apt to collar the dollars
As he that climbs a tree and hollers.

A Problem For The Editor

To the Editor of the Telescope:—"Would you please tell me the best way to take dirt out of a gasoline tank in an automobile?" We must say that we have tried various ways and one at least was most successful. Turn the car over completely up side down, crawl into the opening at the top of the tank (which will then be at the bottom) and with a whisk thoroughly dust the interior. Another way is to take a vacuum cleaner of small size and hold it over the tank. If one day's operation is not a success keep it up till you are tired.

May Bar Dandelion Wine

Home brewers of dandelion wine are liable to be charged with a breach of the Ontario Temperance Act, says License Inspector J. E. Keenleyside, of London. While the wine, when first made is not strong, it is stated that age gives it the kick so much appreciated. Mr. Keenleyside says it has been known to possess as high as 20 to 50 per cent proof spirits, and as the limit is 2½ per cent. the inspector asserts this and all similar drinks which test over the 2½ per cent are banned. There is no special reference to these home-made wines, but they are covered by the Act, the inspector interprets.

KISS HER

If with your wife you can't agree,
Grab her, place her on your knee;
Kiss her as she wildly squirms.
Soon you'll find she'll come to terms.
Be a cave man, seize your mate
If she shows you signs of hate;
Let her scratch, let her bite,
But kiss her, boy; it is your right."

May Abolish Exams.

Hon. Dr. Cody, the newly appointed Minister of Education, bids fair to win exceeding popularity with boys and girls. It is said he is not in favor of "exams," and may order their abandonment. He holds that the "nightmare of examinations" which perennially casts a gloom over the school child should be done away with and that examinations should be mollified. A truer result of the child's ability can be formed he thinks, by taking the average work of the term during which minor tests will, of course, be set, than by the imposing of examinations which frighten many of the children and whose examiners aim rather to find out what the child does not know rather than that what he does.—Stratford Herald.

A Tragic Event

It was a town girl—and the same sad story that, alas, has often been told, and checkered many a young life which had its beginning in sunshine, surrounded by luxury and the wealth of the world. Her eyes were now wild and staring, her face was flushed and her hands were nervously working. She was a deeply troubled and injured woman and we hear her saying: "Oh, cruel one, you have injured the very foundation of my being! Day by day you have tortured me, and yet I could not bear to give you up. When we first met, how your ease and polish attracted me! When you became my own, how my friends envied me. But your understanding is too small for my large soul. You are opposed to my advancing myself. You have injured my standing in society. If we had never met I might have walked in peace. So now begone! We part forever!" There was a moment's convulsive breathing, a gritting of teeth and a sharp sigh. It was all over. By a supreme effort she had pulled off her new shoe.

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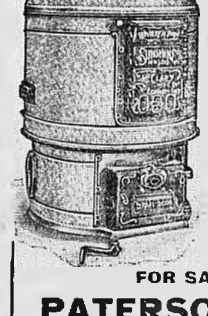
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Chintzes have not lost favor. They are used more today than ever for side drapes, cushions, utility box covers and a dozen other things. Then too, the colors are prettier than ever before. Splendid materials at 45c, 60c, and 85c per yard.

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Outing time will soon be here and the average boy uses his home just for meals and a place to sleep. So he needs: Khaki Bloomers, 50c, 75c, and $1.25. Khaki Shirts, $1.00, and $1.25. Cotton Jerseys in Khaki, Navy, White and Grey at 50c.

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We have an immense variety of New Summer Parasols in all the prevailing shades and black. Some distinctly new styles in the lot. $1.25, $1.50, $1.75, $2.00 to $6.00.

We received this week a wonderful lot of Ladies' New Sheer Blouses and Summer Waists in soft summer Silks, Voilles, Georgette Crepe and Silk Crepe. Colors are Black, White, Peach, Sky, Pink, Flesh, Maise, and many pretty combination colors. They are simply lovely in material and style. Come in and see them before they are picked over.

FRIDAY **Bargain Days** SATURDAY

We have the largest and best selection of Men's and Boys' Panama and Straw Hats in our history. We have some at specially attractive prices in these on Friday and Saturday. See west window.

Also a big line of Misses' and Children's Outing Hats, Straw, Silk and Wash Hats. Clearing prices on Friday and Saturday.

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NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Mrs. Harry Geisler returned home from Toronto on Monday.

Mr. Dan Ernest of Brant has a three legged calf which is a week old.

Mr. Louis Siegfried of Markdale was in town on Monday and returned with a load of furniture with E. Myles.

Miss Juletta Ernst spent over Sunday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Ernest near Chepstow.

Mrs. Hugh Dixon and daughter Blanche of Stratford are visiting the farmers parents Mr. and Mrs. Albert Batte.

Mr. Alf Weber and Miss Amelia Weber and two friends motored to Riversdale on Sunday and spent the day with friends there.

Mrs. and Mrs. George Bingleman returned to their home at Simcoe after a weeks' visit with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Smith.

Mr. R. Stafford's household furniture which has been stored here, was shipped on Monday to North Bay where Mr. Stafford is manager of the Hydro Electric System.

Misses Cow-Bell Lullaby

The old adage that what is food for one is poison for another is well illustrated by an incident which came to our attention this week. A Gibson St. citizen made such a fuss about his neighbor's cow-bell keeping him awake at night that the neighbor had it removed from his co-bossy so that the irate one's slumbers might be undisturbed. Another indignant neighbor now appears in the offing with the complaint that he misses the merry tinkle of the bell around mid-night. It soothed his tired nerves and lulled him to blissful repose. But now he can't sleep, so he says and he spends hours trying to woo Morpheus, alas in vain. Insomnia is making him thin. He is down to 180 lbs. already. He claims that if the owner of the bell has a heart he will allow it to tinkle as of yore and spare him the horror of more sleepless nights.

A Life Well Spent.

The death took place at Mildmay on Friday, June 7th, of Miss Alice Berry, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Berry, aged 43 years and 2 months. Miss Berry had been poorly all winter but got up and dressed herself every day until Thursday last. On Friday morning she secured release from suffering, passing peacefully away. At the age of fifteen her mother lost her eyesight so that the care of the home and the raising of three small brothers fell on her and an older sister. She was one who tried to make her life count for good in the world. Her church work was not confined to the Methodist body. For seven years she was a teacher in the Presbyterian Sabbath School. She was a worker in both church and home as one minister emphasized at her funeral, and in church, home, and community she was a general favorite. Miss Berry was a niece of Mr. Henry Williams of Walkerton and a cousin of Mrs. Albert Inglis. The funeral was conducted on Sunday by Rev. Messrs Patterson and Guild.

Dr. R. J. Wilson of Palmerston was in town Tuesday.

Mart. Taggart of town has been transferred to St. Marys Junction as relieving operator.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Huether and Mrs. Howard Todd motored up from Guelph for the week-end, bringing back Mrs. Todd sr., who visited at Guelph during the session of Conference.

Mr. Harvey Brocklebank motored to Staynor on Sunday to see Mrs. Brocklebank, who took ill while on a visit to her sister Mrs. Johnston. Mrs. Brocklebank was removed to Collingwood Hospital on Monday.

Saw Air Raid.

Pte. Bert Hoover writes his father from England that he is enjoying his first leave in Old London. He witnessed a German air raid in the Metropolis. Bert stuck to the street throughout the raid. He saw one man struck on the head with a flying bit of shrapnel. He has been somewhat crippled with rheumatism since landing in England but has been able to stay with the training so far.

Removing To London

Mr. John Ward, who conducted the Walker House for a number of years, and since prohibition has conducted a grocery and butcher shop, is closing up his business and removing to London where he purposes running a grocery. Mr. Ward was born at St. Marys and resided for a number of years at Lucan near London where he was in the cattle business as he is going back to the section where he has spent most of his life. We wish him every success in his new undertaking.

Patterson—Crampsin

A very pretty wedding was solemnized on Wednesday, May 22, at high noon at the home of Mr and Mrs. Abe Crampsin, Griswold, Man., when their eldest daughter Alberta Mae, granddaughter of Mrs. Pearl Stevens, Walkerton, was united in marriage to Mr. George T. Patterson son of Mr. and Mrs. G. Patterson, Griswold. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Royle. The bride entered the drawing room on the arm of her father to the strains of Mendelssohns wedding march, played by Miss Mildred Stevens, of Hartney, Man., cousin of the bride. The bride was daintily attired in a gown of white silk crepe de chene. Her veil of tulle was caught with a wreath of orange blossoms and carried a bouquet of bridal roses and maiden hair fern. Both bride and groom were unattended. After the ceremony a buffet luncheon was served to about forty guests. Later Mr. and Mrs. Patterson left for Winnipeg, midst showers of confetti and good wishes, where a short honey moon was spent. The bride travelled in a suit of Russian Green Gabardine. The coat opened over a blouse of shell pink crepe de chine. Her hat was a becoming model of white georgette crepe. The bride and groom were the recipients of many handsome presents which showed the esteem both held in the community.

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Get our prices on Floor Oilcloths and Linoleums.

Big stock of all kinds of Men's and Boys' Straw Hats just in.

Boys' Blue Jerseys with Red Trimming at 50c.

Men's Balbriggan Summer Underwear, Sizes 32 to 42.

Ladies' Waists

Ladies' White Voille Waists in newest styles ranging from $1.50 to $3.50.
Ladies' White Middies with and without fancy trimming at from $1.00 to $1.90.

Pure Food Grocery

Below we quote some of the Specials in Groceries for this week:
Best Quality Black Teas, in bulk at 50c. and 55c. a lb.
" Japan " " at 40c. lb.
Choice Pink Salmon, Good Quality at 40c. a tin.
Fresh stock of Corn, Peas and tomatoes.
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Bleached and unbleached table linens.

A showing of ladies' and men's tweed coats.

A full stock of groceries.

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Girl Wanted
For general house work to go to London. Best wages. Enquire at Telescope.

For Sale
Summer cottage, 6 rooms, electric light, fire-place.—Apply to R. M. Lowry, Port Elgin, Ont.

Taken To Hospital
Mr Andrew McLean, who has been ill with heart trouble, was taken to the Bruce County Hospital on Sunday.

Hurt By A Fall
Mrs. Thomas Hyslop sustained injuries by a fall in the backyard on Friday last which confined her to her bed ever since.

Injured By Fall
Miss Agnes Warren had the misfortune to slip and fall on the sidewalk Tuesday evening, twisting the muscles of her ankle. It is hoped that she will be able to walk again in a few days.

Died Suddenly
A former Walkerton lady, Mrs. Hendrick, who as Miss Mary Atchison was well-known and highly regarded as a school-teacher here a few years ago, passed away very suddenly at her home at Medicine Hat one day last week.

Return July First
Dr. and Mrs. Lane of New York who have been visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. McCrum, will return home the first of July, when the Doctor will report for duty at Washington with the U. S. Medical Corps. He has already visited France during the past year on a special mission for the medical authorities.

Children's Aid Canvass.
Next Monday canvassers of the Children's Aid Society will wait upon the citizens of Walkerton for contributions to this worthy work. $500 is the objective. This is the first canvas in the County and it is hoped that the County Town will lead off in such a way as to finish a worthy example to the other municipalities of Bruce.

Young Doctor Signs Up
Wallace Cunnigham, son of John Cunningham of Greenock has passed his final examinations in Medicine at the University of Toronto and is now an M. D. Wallace, who is at present House Surgeon at the General Hospital Toronto, has signed up with the Army Medical Corps and expects to go Overseas shortly.

Arrived From Whitby
Mrs. McBurney arrived from Whitby on Monday evening, and will reside with her son, Mr W. H. McBurney, who has leased Mr. Truax's new red brick residence on Gibson St. Miss Maud Wilkes, a sister of the late Mrs. (Judge) Barrett came from Whitby with Mrs. McBurney and will visit here for a few days before proceeding to Southampton.

Don't Forget
The Garden Party at W. T. Ellis' on Friday evening, June 21st. Come and bring your wife and best girl to hear the Hanover Brass Band.

Accepted For Navy
The two Walkerton lads, Tom Etherton and Ray Harrington, who applied for admission last week to the British Navy, were accepted and reported for duty at Toronto on Monday.

Stump Pullers
One only hand power, slightly used but in excellent condition. Only reason for selling is that every stump on farm has been pulled. Write quickly. E. O. Monchee, 123 Bay St., Toronto.

Home from West
Mr. John D. Little of Brant arrived home on Saturday from the West where he has been since last Fall. Mr. Little's many friends will regret to hear that his health has not been at all good of late.

For Bible Society
Rev. Mr. Fisher, Bible Society Agent will preach at the Baptist Church Sunday morning, and Methodist Church at night. On Monday night he will give a lecture with lantern views in Baptist Church. Collection in aid of Bible Society.

Lawn Social
A lawn social will be held on Wednesday June 26th under auspices of Solwy Branch of the Preparedness League for Soldiers Comforts on the lawn of Mr. Ed. Connors, Solway. A good program and other amusements will be provided. Ice Cream and refreshments will be sold. Admission 25 cents, children 15 cents

Public Reception
The Preparedness League has arranged a public reception to-night (Thursday) at 8 p. m. for three of our returned heroes, Surgeon Wilbur Cry (Corman R. N.), Sergt. Ted Wilhelm and Pte. Charlie Bryce. Charlie has not arrived home yet but is expected before the reception. He landed at Halifax a week ago yesterday.

Broke Into Cottage
The owner of a summer cottage at Saulble Beach has complained to Crown Attorney Dixon that his cottage was broken into about the 24th. of May and a quantity of furnishings, flour, etc., stolen. He states that other cottages were also entered. Several Walkerton people have cottages at the Beach. County Constable Briggs is investigating the matter.

Bowlers Visited Hanover
Five rinks of Bowlers motored over to Hanover Tuesday night for a friendly game. Walkerton had the best of the play on the round. Skip McNab defeated Armstrong of Hanover by 5 shots. Major Henderson defeated Wright by 13 shots. Sieveright was 4 shots up on Schilling. Eidt was 2 up on Ben Zinn. G. T. Rourke was down by the narrow margin of one shot against Skip Zummuth.

NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Study the ads.

Eight local pages.

A week from Monday will be Dominion Day.

For the best farm shoes, go to Ramsey's Shoe Store.

Mrs. W. M. Shaw and children are visiting in Southampton.

Vegetable parchment printed "Choice Dairy Butter" at the Telescope.

Women's White Oxfords, high and low heels, at Ramsey's Shoe Store.

The June Session of the Bruce County Council is on at Southampton this week.

Miss Hales who has been ill for some time, has gone to the County Hospital.

A new supply of hand cultivators for the gardens just in at Sandy McCarter's.

Women's Harvard brown kid high laced shoes $5.00, at Ramsey's Shoe Store.

Miss Hazel Plant of Southampton spent Saturday at Mr. John Crawford's.

Norman Shaw, Ed. Ramsey and Nelson Lay spent Wednesday in Southampton.

Miss Florence Verity of Newmarket is visiting her sister, Mrs. Wilford Ritchie.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Jackson of Chesley were visitors at Mrs. Thos. Halladay's last week.

Rev. Dr. Harkness of Cornwall will occupy the pulpit at Knox Church next Sunday.

Regal Shoes are made up to a standard, not down to a price. Sold at Ramsey's Shoe Store.

Mrs. W. M. Shaw and children and Mrs. Norman Robertson are holidaying at Southampton.

Mr. John Illig, who has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Wagner, returned to Toronto on Friday.

Miss Mae Poole left on Wednesday on a month's visit to friends at London Northwood and Ridgetown.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Claney and sons motored to Clifford and spent Saturday and Sunday with friends there.

Have you seen it? The new Perfection three burner coal oil stove at Sandy McCarter's. A snap at $25.

Classes at the High School closed for the summer vacation on Monday. The department exams are now on.

Messrs William Van Horne and Wm. Yates left Monday as delegates for C. O. F. Lodge at Grand Lodge Session, Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Weiss and family accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. John Austedt and babe motored out and spent Sunday with Mrs. Jacob Dosmann near Teeswater.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Henderson and family, Editor Irwin of the Durham Chronicle and Mrs. Irwin, motored over from Durham and spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Pulley.

The S. S. No. 3, Carrick will hold their annual picnic in Mr. Hogg's bush on Tuesday afternoon, June 25th. A good program is being prepared, also sports of baseball etc. The local Red Cross workers will have a booth and take a collection in aid of Red Cross.

Saturday is Registration Day.

Mr. Henry Spitzig left on Monday morning for Port Dover.

Miss Maud Croswell of Port Elgin spent Saturday at Miss Etsell's.

The Junior High School Entrance Examinations commenced to-day.

Cushionette Shoes need no breaking in. Sold at Ramsey's Shoe Store.

Mr. R. M. Player has taken a cottage at Port Elgin for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Schwindt and family motored to Kitchener on Friday.

Earl and Archie Blair of Teeswater spent Sunday at J. H. Rosebottom's.

Mr. Jack McIntee of West Branch, Michigan, is visiting his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Robertson are spending a weeks' holiday at Southampton.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Player and family motored to Port Elgin at the week-end.

County Officers are investigating a case of immorality in Lindsay Township.

Mr. Frank Bolden and daughter, Miss Florence are visiting in Owen Sound.

Miss Rose La France left on Saturday for Toronto, where she has taken a position.

Adjutant Martin of the Salvation Army, London, called on friends in town Tuesday.

Miss Ethel Pettepiace has taken a position as stenographer at the Agricultural Office.

Master George Richardson of Kitchener is on extended visit to his aunt, Miss Mabel Grainger.

Mrs. Amos Leech and daughter, Miss Greta, are spending this week with friends in Owen Sound.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Freiberger spent Sunday at the home of the latter's father, Mr. Charles Baechler.

Mr. H. M. Lay went to Southampton yesterday to interview the County Council on behalf of the Hospital.

Mr. Foster, cutter at S. A. Rife & Co's, has has moved into Mr. George Bruder's house in the West Ward.

Miss Pauline Clapp, who is home from Toronto on holidays, spent the week-end with friends at Mildmay.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kaine of Guelph spent over the week-end visiting at the home of Mr. N. McIntee and Mr. John Kaine.

The Walkerton Honor Roll, designed for the Soldiers Aid Society by Mr. Boisie Farewell, has been hung in the Public Library.

Mr. and Mrs. James Whitehead and Helena and Armond left on Monday morning on a motor trip to Woodstock and other places.

Mrs. Arthur Dean and daughter Marjory are spending a few weeks' vacation at the home of her sister, Mrs. Jack Johnston.

Mrs. Albert Benninger returned from Buffalo on Friday evening accompanied by her three little nieces, who will visit here a few weeks.

Mr. T. E. Attwood will remove shortly into the residence on Durham St. recently vacated by Mr. Leeson, which he has had renovated.

Mr. and Mrs. Greenwood and son, Howard, of Palmerston were here over Sunday visiting their son Arthur, who is employed at the Egg and Dairy.

Mr. H. Pletsch motored to Owen Sound on Sunday and returned with Mrs. Pletsch and children who had been spending a few days in that town.

Mr. J. H. Wiles, Supt of the House of Refuge, left for Southampton yesterday to be present at a meeting of the House of Refuge Committee of the County Council.

Mr. H. W. Elliot will preach at the Methodist Church next Sunday morning in the absence of the pastor. In the evening Rev. Mr. Fisher, agent of the Bible Society, will preach.

To accommodate business men and others who wish to register before Saturday I shall be at the Armouries on Friday evening previous from 7.30 to 9.30 p. m. M. G. Dippell.

Postmaster Tolton paid his first visit to his office since his serious illness on Tuesday morning. Mr. Tolton is still very weak but is making good progress towards restored health.

Pte. David Mupk, who has been called to the colors, was home over the week-end. He received a five dollar gold piece from the Bruce Preparedness League also a New Testament, a song book of the Army and Navy from the Rev. Mr. Lamach.

Moved To Brant.
Mrs. Campbell and two children who have been living in the vicinity of Barrie moved here last week and have taken up residence on the farm of Mrs. Campbell's brother, Mr. Lorne Campbell, on the Durham Road, three miles west of Walkerton.

Over hauling Photo Studio
Mr. Thomas Donoahue arrived in town from Tweed last Thursday and is having the photo gallery overhauled and redecorated. The studio will be enlarged to include both stores of the Bruce Block and when the work is finished, will be quite attractive and up-to-date. Mr. Donoahue will announce his opening date next week.

Note Change of Date
The Hanover Band, speeches, and other attractions will be at the garden party given by the Tea Room girls on the armoury grounds on Friday 28th. Tea will be served from 5. 30 to 7 o'clock, the menu, Boston Baked beans, or sandwiches, salads, ice cream, strawberries, cake, brown bread and butter, tea and coffee. First and second prizes for the best decorated float and car. Procession to start at 7. 30 o'clock.

Addressed I. O. D. E.
Miss Martin of Hanover, who, owing to the inability of Mrs. Wisser to attend, represented the Walkerton Chapter of the Daughters of the Empire at their annual convention in Toronto last week, was present at the Town Hall on Tuesday evening and gave a very able report on the proceedings of the Toronto meeting, to the local chapter. Miss Martin's report was listened to with interest by a large number of ladies including some fifteen members of the Hanover Chapter who motored here for the meetidg.

Barn Raising In Town
Mr. John Bilger had a barn-raising on Tuesday night when the frame for a good-sized building adjourning his handsome new residence in the South Ward, was put into position. A barn raising inside the town limits being something of a novelty, there was a good crowd of spectators besides the large crowd of neighbors who turned out and gave a hand. Contractor Albert Marshall had everything in good shape and the work was put through in short order. Afterwards a nice lunch was served by the ladies of the household. Ed Kelly, George Fisk, James H. Hunter, Chas. Pettepiace and Jas. Walker were among the old timers on the job and needless to say, there were many yarns swapped at barn-raisings in by-gone years.

At County Court
County Court was concluded before Judge Klein last Wednesday night. The case of Schnurr vs Dossman, in which the plaintiff, claimed that a cow sold by his wife was not her property but his, was decided in favor of the plaintiff. D. Robertson K. C. appeared for Schnurr. O. E. Klein for the defendant. In the action, Procknow vs Leifso, to a suit to recover $200 claimed by the plaintiff to be due him in wages, the defendant who lives in Saskatchawn, put in a statement of defence but did not defend the action in Court. Judgment was given in favor of the plaintiff. The suit, McPhail vs Nichols, was settled out of Court, the defendant, Nichols a merchant of Paisley, agreeing to pay $500 damages for loss of seven head of cattle alleged to have been poisoned by some substance purchased as epsom salts from his store.

Succumbed To Heart Failure.
Mr. Eli Myles received the sad news by wire on Sunday that his sister, Mrs. John Johnston of Williscroft had succumbed suddenly to heart failure. She had been apparently in the best of health so that her death came as an unexpected shock to the members of the family. Mrs. Johnston, whose husband predeceased her 16 years ago lived on a grass farm seven miles north of Paisley. She lay down on a lounge before retiring Saturday night and there her lifeless form was found by her brother in-law Sunday morning. Death was due to heart failure. Mrs. Johnston, who was the only daughter and eldest in the family of the late Charles Myles of Brant was in her 59th. year. Two sons and an only daughter are left to mourn. They are: Will of Vancouver, Robt. of Clinton, and Mrs. James Dudgeon, of Williscroft. Her sight surviving brothers:—Thomas of Lyleton Man. formerly Man. Immigration Agent for Scotland; David, jeweler of Haileybury and Cobalt; Charles, manager of a large Apartment Hotel in New York City; Johnson, Supt. of Building Grain Growers Ass'n, Winnipeg; John, jeweler of Haileybury, Eli of Walkerton, Robert of St. George, B. C.; William of Bradwardine, Man. The funeral took place on Wednesday, the remains being taken to Paisley Cemetery for interment.

HOW, WHEN AND WHERE

Further Particulars for the Public Regarding Registration in Walkerton
—Everybody Above 16 Years Must Register—No Age Limit.

Have you registered yet? is the popular question these days. The wise ones are getting fixed up early to avoid the rush at the last and there has been a perpetual stream of people all week long at the public registration places.

Locally the Daughters of the Empire are handling the work for Registrar Geo. D. McKay. They are on duty at the post office every day this week. Mrs. McNamara has also written a lot of cards at the Telegraph Office. Many individual members of the I. O. D. E. who will assist on Saturday, Registration Day, have also been sworn in and are helping with advance registering.

Will Visit Factories
Further arrangements have also been made to get as much as possible of the registering cleared up before Saturday. For instance, a special Registration Committee will visit the Knechtel Factory, Truax's, Canada Spool & Bobbin Factory, County Hospital and the House of Refuge before Saturday.

Autos will Help
Motor Committees have been formed for the different wards to bring out the sick and old persons to the Registration Booths. The Motor Committees are:—Centre, Misses M. L. Havill and Agnes Warren; East and Part South, Misses M. C. McGregor and Marion Robertson; West and Part South, Misses Florence Rowland and Verna Skelton. Persons requiring the services of this Committee should phone one of the above-mentioned young ladies.

The Deputy Registrars for Walkerton are:—East Ward, M. G. Dippel; Centre Ward, Mrs. Edna Wisser; West Ward, Miss M. C. McGregor; South Ward, Mr. J. H. Wiles.

Where You Can Register
The Registration booths are:—East Ward, The Armoury; West Ward, Market Room in rear of Town Hall; Centre Ward, two front rooms in Town Hall; South Ward, House of Refuge.

In addition to the above places which will be open Saturday citizens may register before Saturday at the Post Office, G. N. W. Telegraph office, or with members of the I.O.D.E. Committee. Mr. M. G. Dippell, deputy registrar in the East Ward, has arranged to be at his booth Friday night, and the I. O. D. E. will also take registrations at the Town Hall Friday night.

Farmers or people from the surrounding country may register at any of the town booths if they wish.

It should be clearly understood that there is no age limit to this registration business. All persons of both sexes over 16 years must register.

Registrar Geo. D. McKay expects to have at least 50 per cent of the cards in South Bruce filled out before Saturday, the big day.

BRANT

No. 1.—School House, S. S. No. 1.
" 2.—School House, S. S. No. 2.
" 3.—School House, S. S. No. 3.
" 4.—Public Library, Cargill.
" 5.—School House, S. S. No. 7.
" 6.—School House, S. S. No. 11.
" 7.—School House, S. S. No. 10.
" 8.—Union School House, Elmwood
" 9.—School House, S. S. No 5.

WALKERTON

East Ward—The Armouries.
West Ward—Market Room in rear of Town Hall.
Centre Ward—Two front rooms in Town Hall.
South Ward—The House of Refuge.

GREENOCK

No. 1.—Union School House, Riversdale.
" 2.—School House, at Greenock P. O.
" 3.—Separate School, at Chepstow.
" 4.—Union School House, at Cargill.
" 5.—Forester's Hall, at Pinkerton.
" 6.—School House, S. S. No. 4.
" 7.—Methodist Hall at Glamis.
" 8.—School House, S. S. No. 4

CARRICK

No. 1.—The Township Hall, Mildmay.
" 2.—The Public School, Mildmay.
" 3.—The Stone School House, Formosa.
" 4.—Inglis School, S. S. No. 9.
" 5.—Lintz School, S. S. No. 11.
" 6.—Public School, Carlsruhe.
" 7.—The Separate School, Dremerton.
" 8.—School House, S. S. No. 2, Otter Creek.

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Children's Aid Society Is Doing A Noble Work And Making Good Citizens of To-Morrow

Through the efforts of the live and aggressive Inspector of the Children's Aid Society, the people of Bruce are being brought more closely in touch with a most important work in our midst and are beginning to appreciate the importance of this work to the community and the wonderful possibilities for good.

It is now nearly thirty years ago that Mr. J. J. Kelso, at that time a journalist on a big Canadian daily, felt the great need of something to be done for the destitute and dependent children of his country. He appealed to the government and secured its help and support. The Children's Aid Society was founded, and from a small beginning it has grown to a mighty organization that stretches over the whole of Canada.

Its aim is to place every homeless child, not in an institution, but in a Christian foster home. Many children left orphans, with no near relatives in a position to rear them, are, thru the ministrations of the Children's Aid Society, placed in homes where they are loved and cared for tenderly and enabled to grow up into useful men and women. Many a child living in an atmosphere of evil and surrounded by influences of vice and wrong has been removed to a home of righteousness and purity.

The society does not seek or desire to break up families. It believes that the very best guardians of a child are its own father and mother, but it seeks to urge and warn careless and neglectful parents to be more careful of the precious lives entrusted to their care and to make them realize their responsibilities. Only in cases where repeated and long-extended warnings have been unavailing, where human nature has sunk so low that parental instinct seems dead, is the child taken from its home.

Finding Foster Homes

The greatest care is exercised to see that the foster home to which a child is sent is a suitable one. Children born in the Roman Catholic faith are sent to Roman Catholic foster homes, and Protestant children to Protestant foster homes. The child is visited at frequent intervals by an officer of the society, and if he or she does not appear to be happy or well, investigation is made, and if necessary the child is removed. This, however, very rarely happens. The records of the society show that less than one per cent of the foster homes prove unsuitable for the children placed therein.

The society has at its head offices in Toronto the most wonderful and comprehensive filing system by which at almost a moment's notice the particulars regarding any of its children can be ascertained. Many of these records are of the most absorbing interest. For instance, one draws out "Folio 109," and finds it to contain a complete record of Mary Warren, the date of her birth, her parents' nationality, etc.

How Mary Was Saved

Mary was the child of small farmers living a few miles out of a large Canadian city. Her mother was scarcely fit to be called by that sacred name. Drink and vice had dragged her down to the lowest depths. Her step-father had a mania for cruelly ill-treating and abusing her.

A kind-hearted neighbor reported the case to the Children's Aid Society, and the superintendent at once investigated. The condition of the little girl was indescribable. She was practically destitute of clothing. Her fragile, ill-nourished little body bore many marks of her parent's brutality. She was timid, wild-eyed and, the more than twelve years old, as ignorant as any little heathen.

The law promptly took charge of the parents, and the Children's Aid Society looked after Mary. She was placed in an industrial school for girls (for in this case the child was too old and not sufficiently attractive in appearance for a foster home to be found for her), and after a few years she developed into a useful, well-trained domestic. In the folio are to be found letters from the different employers she had been with, and all speak highly of her honesty, capability and all-round satisfactoriness.

There is also a record of Mary's marriage, and right here comes a touch of romance, for Mary has been married to the son of the old farm neighbor who first brought her to the attention of the Children's Aid Society. There is a photo of the happy bridal couple. Then towards the end of the folio are letters from Mary written to the superintendent since her marriage. Such bright, cheerful letters! Telling of her happy married life, of her husband's success in business, and there are photos of her three bonny bouncing children, for tho at the age of 21 the society ceases to have any legal claim upon any of its wards, there is often a bond of friendship and gratitude between the two that lasts a lifetime. And Mary Warren's story is only one of thousands.

LIEUT. VIC. McKECHNIE

Tells of the Unsurpassed Beauties of Rural England In Letter to the Folks At Home

Lieut. Victor McKechnie, who is at present convalescing from trench fever in an English military hospital writes interestingly of sights and scenes in beautiful Derbyshire:—

Matlock Baths
Derbyshire, Eng.
May 15, 1918.

Dear Home Ones:—

The past week has been splendid, there was no rain and so I have been out of the hospital every day. The Canadian Red Cross in London have cars for the use of Canadian hospitals and Wednesday and Thursday some of us used them, both trips were perfect. We went away from the city into the parks and country. Each time we had tea in a cool comfortable place and returned in the evening and do believe the majority of the people in Canada do not even begin to realize the great work the C. R. C. are carrying on. Every Canadian in hospitals is visited by a Canadian worker, which means, to use a soldiers' phrase(one whole big bunch.) Mrs. McLaren, whose husband is Director of Medical Services for Canada, and her sister came to see us. They send us books, the home papers, flowers etc. Then they have a list of hundreds of homes everywhere through the British Isles where those on the way to recovery are royally welcome during the term of leave granted, this, and a great deal more in addition to the wonderful work of caring for the sick and wounded. There is not a single Canadian over here who can be too thankful or loud in their praise of this work. Friday I did some shopping and had a late pass. A late pass means ten and you are up on the carpet with both feet if you have to ring the bell to get in after ten. Saturday four of us, all Canadians, were sent up here from London. This hospital is for Canadian Officers and there are about 150 here. Matlock Baths although but a village is a noted place in England. It is "pocket in the hills" but a very deep pocket. We are in what was the Royal Hotel. I was told that for years before the war it was taken annually by the celebrated Vanderbilt family of New York for themselves and friends during the summer seasons. There are several acres here where the springs are, the water of which was sold for three pence a glass. There are all kinds of baths on the premises, Turkish, Thermal steam, Russian, Spray, Electrical and others as well as the Tub. A swimming bath is quite near which is fed continually by the hill springs summer and winter having a fixed natural temperature of [illegible]. I have heard several, who have visited extensively say that they [illegible] ever seen anything like the scenery. It is marvellous. The hills are over 200 ft. high and very steep and beautifully covered with green foliage and unbroken by any field or habitation. The Royal is on a miniature height. Before us are the few houses comprising the village and towering above us on the highest point on the highest hill is a great old Watch Tower. We were up there last evening and after climbing up the spiral stairway beheld a view I shall never forget. For miles and miles the numerous farms, green hills, and forests and as the sun went down, a faint hazy mist seemed to mark the dim horizon "Eternity." All around the birds were singing. I heard dozens of cuckoos and many different wild birds calling. The hotel is a great immense place wonderfully fitted up and has terraces, old oak garden bowers, gardens, tennis courts, winding paths, hedges, and within the palisade is the little village chapel, ivy covered and crumbling with age and with a single chime (which echoes from hill to hill like some living but immortal voice.) The people in the neighbourhood do everything they can possibly do for the patients. Here and there are a score of splendid trips. There is also a river and boats, fishpond with many different kinds of fish, an aviary with a great number of birds. The air is wonderfully bracing. There are very few restrictions and no duties except about twenty minutes P. T. daily. We are sent here for a change and rest, medicine and treatment are generally left behind. I will be here for a month and then have three weeks leave which I intend to spend in the Highlands of Scotland.

Victor.

BRUCE COUNTY HOSPITAL

Interesting Figures Presented To The Public in Secretary H. M. Lay's Annual Report

The Financial Report of the Bruce County Hospital which has just been issued by Mr. H. M. Lay, Sec Treas., show receipts for the year including donations, grants, and patients fees of $11,245.35 and a deficit of 285.81.

Donations from individuals the past year have been as follows:—Benton, L. C. $5; Brill, S. R., Teeswater, 5; Mary Cavin's Estate, Port Elgin, 460; Clapp, R. E., M. D., 5; Gray, Miss G., Port Elgin, 1; Izzard, D., Port Elgin, 2; Lay, H. M., 5; McKay, Geo. D., 10; McCoul, John., 5; Myles, Eli, 5; Oberle, A., 5; Purvis, John, Mildmay Fair Exhibit, 6; Pletsch, Henry, 5; Robertson, Norman, 6; Sinclair, H. R., M. D., 3; Schumacher, J. J., 5; Truax, R. E., 5.

Women's Hospital Aids contributed as follows:—Brant, for maintenance, $200.77, for endowment $32.10; Port Elgin, $19.00; Walkerton $700.00.

Municipal Councils gave:—County of Bruce, $2,500.00; Carrick Township, $10.00; Walkerton, $240.00.

The various expenditures were as follows:—Butchers' meat $526.85, Butter and Eggs 457.94, Flour and Bread 299.92, Milk 331.72, Tea and Coffee 127.60, Potatoes and other vegetables 106.17, Groceries 870.38, Drugs 320.54, Surgical and Medical Appliances 86.54, House Furnishings 255.67, Soap etc. 96.20, Fuel 1013.10, Light 302.39, Water 16.00, Ice 35.30, Salaries and Wages 2399.32, Insurance 8.99, Postage and Printing and Stationery 110.40, Contingencies 5.76, Repairs 206.49, New Equipment 184.98, Notes due and Interest 2044.10.

The free patients treated were:—

From Amabel Tp.,	3	patients,	408	days
" Brant	1	"	345	"
" Bruce	1	"	101	"
" Carrick	1	"	10	"
" Culross	1	"	365	"
" Chesley	1	"	33	"
" Elderslie	2	"	149	"
" House of Ref.	3	"	56	"
" Greenock Tp.	1	"	9	"
" Port Elgin	1	"	13	"
" Walkerton	5	"	72	"
" Outside Cty.	1	"	41	"
	22		1606	

The average cost per patient for our last financial year was $1.66 per day, making the cost to the Hospital for free patients $2666.96.

The Board of Trustees of the Hospital are—President, David Traill, 1st Vice Pres., G. Kastner Warden of Bruce, 2nd Vice Pres., A. P. Johnston, Mayor of Walkerton, Sec.-Treas., H. M. Lay, R. E. Truax, M. P., David Robertson, K. C., S. W. Vogan, L. C. Benton, Andrew Oberle, J. J. Schumacher, Norman Robertson, Geo. D. McKay, H. Pletsch, R. E. Clapp, M.D.

PUBLIC SCHOOL REPORT

Honor Roll of Pupils for the Month of May

GRADE VII

Sr. IV Honours—Bruce Hunter, Gertie Swanston (Milton McGregor, Mabel Godwin) Helen Wilson, James Rennie Pass—Claude Johnston, John Ermel, Minnie Petteplace, Marguerite Bell, Elda Searle, Francis Crawford, Albert Reichenbach, Vera Anderson.

Jr. IV Honours—Jack Knephlar, Mary Perdue, (Arthur Lee, Elmer Kolpin). Pass—Irene Harrison, Guy Ramsey, Edwin Faust, Clifford Yates, Alma Searle, Eddie Fennel, Eric Rasney.

Thos. Rankin,
Principal.

GRADE VI

Honours—Franklin Bush, Jack Van Horne, Jack McConnell. Pass—Kathleen Perdue, Kathleen Pye, Pearl Riehl, Ila Moore, Eldon Yates, Morris McCarter, Arthur Royce, Harry Myles, Willie Goode, Delbert Anderson, Grace George, Wallace Jerrome.

J. Stead.

GRADE V

Honours—Donalda Gowanlock, Doris Polley. (Rhoda Hampson, Wesley Hehn.) Laurina Procknow, Nelson Fortune. Pass—Walter Hartman, Eddie Singer, Robert Gowanlock, Verna, Anderson, Harvey Paull, Della McNeill, N. McCartney, Roy Johnston, Wallace Hunt.

M. Ross.

GRADE IV

Honours—Richard Fruin, Ruth Hunter. Pass—(E. Truax, D. George) S. Hehn, M. Dietz, (M. Shaw, H. Moore,) E. Dietsche; V. Bell, M. Appel (C. Fields, L. Mortimer,) K. Perdue, (K. Fortune, B. Orner,) C. Paull.

Agnes Warren.

GRADE III

Jr. II Honours—M. Jones, B. Cheshire, S. Anderson, E. Taylor, A. Kerney. Pass—H. George, M. Faust, G. Schwindt, P. McConnell, J. Godwin, A. Reichenbach, E. Watts, G. Wallace, P. Webb.

Sr. I Honours—M. Hunt, H. Royce, G. Hilker. Pass—C. Buehlow, J. George, A. Craig, E. Long, F. McCarter, W. Monk, B. Johnston.

A. Halladay,
Teacher.

GRADE II

First Book—Honours—D. Hynes, M. Bell, A. Leake, D. Ernst, M. Silver, G. McGregr. Pass—F. Hartman, A. Dietz.

Primer—Honours—E. Reed, F. Leeson, D. Trimble, G. King, M. Harrison H. Taylor, E. Richardon, D. Webb, R. Yates. Pass—A. Fennell, P. George, B. Trimble, S. Lewis.

W. Thompson,
Teacher.

GRADE I

Sr. Primer—Elma Binkley, Luella Procknow, Wallace Riley, Millard Fink, Donelda McConnell, Billy Bolden, Lily Polley, Eldon Knepflar, Earl Ferguson, Gladys Gibson.

Mid Primer—Mary McGregor, Borden Riehl, Homer Glebe, Eleanor Brown, Violet Bannister, Dorothy Leake, Reuben Truax, Kenneth Johnston, Irene Sargent.

Jr. Primer—Mary Threndyle, Eldred Ernest, Floyd Fennell, Jean Bell, Stanley Chesney, Erma Searle, Jack Leeson, Lorne Allen, Annie Chesney, Armand Royce.

A. D. Thompson.

Some farmers are still planting potatoes. The price is $1 a bag, while last year they were $5 to $6 per bag, for seed. Many farmers carried them over winter expecting to get a big price. They are now feeding them to their hogs, which is cheaper than grain for hog feed.

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GREENOCK TP. COUNCIL

McNab's Hotel, Chepstow, May 27, 1918.

Council met as per adjournment as a Court of Revision, all the members present, the Reeve in the chair and after taking oath of member of said Court, disposed of appeals as follows:

Thos. Yule, town plot property, Paisley, assessment reduced $500; N. A. Gemmer, Riversdale property and Lot 16 N. D. R.; assessment sustained; Jos. Cunningham, Lot 27, Con. 8, assessment reduced $100; Trustees of Sch. S. S. No. 3, against the withdrawal of Lots W ½ 9, and 7, Con. 4, and Lots 10, W ½ 12, and 13, Con. 5, from No 3 S. S.; Lot 10 Con 5 was held in Sch. S. S. No 3 as required, notice of withdrawal was not sent to the clerk. Chas Baechler, against Jas. Fisk requiring Asst. of 3 dogs. No action taken as appeal was entered too late. Wm. Annett, appeal against 2nd dog which was killed shortly after assessment. One dog struck off.

Thos. H. Purdy, appeal against the assessment of the several School Teachers on Salary. Assessments were struck off.

Wm. Oehring, assessed for S ½ Lot 4 & 5, Con 5. Changed to Alex. Oehring.

Assessment of Lots 18, 19, Con. 5, Changed from W. D. Cargill to F. A. Zettler.

Dan Cassidy placed as tenant on Mrs. Kemple's property, Riversdale.

Assessment of N ½ Lot 10, Con 12 Changed to Geo. Moffat.

Jos. Dietsch, Augustine Cassidy and Jerome Cassidy were placed on Roll as Farmers' Sons.

Symon—Gilchrist—That the Clerk be instructed to change the assessment roll in accord with the decisions of this court, and that the reeve and clerk be instructed to sign the roll as the revised and corrected assessment roll of the township of Greenock for the year 1918, and that this court do now adjourn sine die.—Carried.

Council met at adjournment of Court of Revision. Minutes of last meeting were read and adopted.

The following accounts being found correct were ordered paid:

John J. Cassidy, bal. salary as assessor $50.00, postage and etc. 3.00	$ 53 00
John A. Forsythe, Rep. S. L. 25, S. D. R.	1 00
Wm. Coumans and J. Meagher bal. expense of delegation to Ottawa	11 00
M. McIsaac, room for meeting 1.00 and special meeting April 8rd 1.00	2 00

Symon Gilchrist—That by-laws No. 572 and 573 be now read a second and third time and finally passed fixing road divisions and pathmasters.—Carried.

By-Laws duly read and finally passed.

A communication was read from the manager of the Royal Bank advising the council that banks are to discontinue accepting taxes after July 1st, 1918.

A communication was received from the Municipal Council of the township of Pickering asking Greenock council to consider an enclosed resolution.

Gilchrist—Symon—That whereas the Dominion Government, their commissions, food and other controllers, in the passing of the legislation in the regulating or in fixing the prices of commodities, advise and consult with the experts of the respective industries to be affected, therefore it is expedient that the farmers be forthwith equipped with the ablest experts in every branch of their industry, in order to aid the Government, their commissions or controllers in carrying out their necessary wartime legislation or regulation.

Be it therefore resolved that this Council approve of the holding of a convention at some centrally located point in the Province of Ontario of representatives from all the Councils of the rural municipalities, as representing the farming community, for the purpose of discussing and, if deemed advisable, of creating an organization that will have at its disposal the ablest men possible, whose duty it will be to protect the interests of the farmers in all matters affecting them whether it be legislation, transportation, arbitrary fixing of prices or otherwise, also to aid all legitimate farmers organizations in all their aims; that the cost of such organization and its undertakings could well be apportioned among the various rural municipalities of the province, according to their respective assessments; and it is suggested that such organization might be composed of the Presidents of all legitimate farmers' organizations in the province and of one representative from each rural municipality, to be appointed annually by the Council of each thereof.—Carried.

Sawyer—Campbell—That this Council do now adjourn to meet at Riversdale on Monday, the 24th day of June, for the transaction of general business.—Carried.

THOS. H. PURDY,
Clerk

The English humorist who complained that a person cannot be buried in England without showing his sugar ticket was within the truth. The sugar ticket has to be returned before a death certificate is issued, in order that no person may obtain two tickets. On the other hand, a sugar ticket is issued with every birth certificate.

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Hanover Bruiser Sues For Divorce

Tommy Burns, the ex-professional heavyweight champion scrapper, is suing Mrs. Tommy for divorce, alleging cruelty. The statement of particulars says that his wife is cruel to him and that among other acts of cruelty she practiced the vaudeville stunts of Lowie-knife experts using her devoted hubby as a target. As Tommy tried to play Jack the Giant Killer with big Jack Johnson and has signed a contract to tackle the Kaiser and his myrmonds it looks as if there is only one thing on this globe that he is afraid of tackling.

NEWSY HAPPENINGS IN BRUCE

37,896 recruits were added to the Canadian forces in May.

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Wm Halliday has got the bronze medal for small hen eggs. He brought an egg in on Thursday morning that measured 2½x3 inches. And it was not a bumming bird's egg either.—Chesley Enterprise.

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It is more than probable that the Dominion Day celebration at Mildmay will be withdrawn. It is almost impossible in these war times to arrange an attractive program of sports, and rather than present a poor program the committee decided to abandon the project.—Mildmay Gazette.

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Lieut. Melville A. Davis, son of Mr. W. A. Davis of Tara is reported to have died of wounds on May 28. Lieut. Davis was severely wounded in November of last year at Passchendaele making an amputation of a leg necessary. The wound never healed properly and after some time in English hospitals, died on May 28.

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Mr. Harry Young, who has been accountant at the Merchants Bank for the past eighteen months, left yesterday for London to join the colors. "Handsome Harry" was an exceedingly obliging and courteous official, and his removal is universally regretted. We hope he may be spared to return safely after the war is over.—Mildmay Gazette.

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Bears In Bruce.

Roy Sayles, editor of the Port Elgin Times, had a real honest-to-goodness bear story in last week's paper. He says:-Last week, in connection with the establishment of Registration places we had to visit the peninsula. On our way back from Tobermory, just eight miles this side, and just at three in the afternoon, we had passed over a good sized rattlesnake, had slackened the speed of our car because a couple of woodchucks were scampering along in front when suddenly turning a sharp corner, there squatting in the centre of the road, was a fine, big shaggy, black bear, not forty feet from us. Naturally we just slammed on the emergency brake, and expected bruin would perhaps first charge at a tire, tear a hole in it, then deal with us later. But he did neither. He just shook his head and scampered off in the bush, while we, what did we do? We put on full steam ahead. After a short distance we collected our thoughts, stopped the car and figured it out. Snakes! woodchucks! bears! Only for the fact that we had been hobnobbing with Reeve Phil Forbes, Reeve Whit Moore, Dr. Hacking and other celebrities we certainly would have believed there was something wrong with the editor. But then wasn't. We saw the bear.

Huron County Council has voted $3,000 for a Children's Shelter, one mill for Good Roads, and $24,000 to Y. M. C. A.

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Mr. C. M. Bowman, M. P. P., was home over the week end, leaving again on Tuesday afternoon for Toronto. He is enjoying his old time health again.—Southampton Beacon.

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After supervising aerial gunnery instruction in England for some time, Major William A. Bishop, V. C., D. S. O., Canada's noted fighter, has had his wishes granted and has gone to the front in command of a "circus." He is now flight commander of a super-squadron of the finest air fighters of the Royal Air Force.

Made Supreme Sacrifice



FRASER MILLER

Son of the late H. H. Miller, M. P., of Hanover, who was killed in action in France.

Anderson To Rae

Mr. Geo. Anderson, Lucknow, was in Kincardine last week. Down in North Huron they are asking Dr. Case, Dungannon, the recent choice of the Conservative convention. If Mr. Anderson decided to run his friends think he could easily win the riding. However George Spotton may run as an independent in protest against the raw deal he received from his "friends" in Wingham. If he does he will win the riding. Just what Mr. Anderson will do is a problem. If he favors Mr. Proudfoot's agreement that there shall be no contests during war, he will not run but Anderson has a streak of independence in him and may not feel bound by the leader's agreement. He made a good member while in the House, but was gerrymandered out of his seat in the redistribution.—Kincardine Reporter.

Pte. Edward Schmidt of Mildmay has been reported wounded.

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The merchants of Clifford have arranged to observe Thursday afternoons as holidays during the months of June, July and August in order to assist in increasing production.

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Robt. French entered two of his horses in the big races at Mount Clemens, Mich., last week, Chepstow Belle and Phyllis Admiral were raced, and both won some of the money.

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There is one very happy girl in our town this week, says the Southampton Beacon. Kitty Cole knit a pair of socks for the Red Cross and put her name and address in the toe of one of them. They happened to reach our own Capt. Eddie Witliscroft in Italy. He wrote her a nice letter of acknowledgement sometime ago, and this week she received from him a collar and cuff set of Maltese lace, made in silk. Keep up the knitting girls.

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Pte. Henry Leppard, a deserter who has been in hiding in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs Walter Leppard Mitchell, for the past month or so, was taken to London on Thursday afternoon last. For harboring his son Mr. Leppard appeared before Police Magistrate Davis on Thursday morning and was fined $100, and if this is not paid in one week, he would have to serve six months in the county jail. When his father was taken to the police court the young man gave himself up to the police.

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Fatal Accident In Teeswater

The residents of the village were stunned this evening (Wednesday) when it became known that a very bad accident had happened at the station about half past five, when Mr. Nelson Rivers was fatally hurt. He was busy unloading sand for foundry castings from a car when the freight came in. The train men shouted to him that he would have to move forward to let the train pass. He climbed onto the load, took the line to do so, but the horses backed a little and the train struck the load throwing Mr. Rivers forward under the feet of the horses. The powerful team he was driving became frightened and he was badly trampled with their feet. Although everything possible was done for the sufferer, medical aid was of no avail he was conscious until the end which came about two hours after the accident. Mr. Rivers was born in Carrick 50 years ago. In 1893 he was married in Kincardine and moved to Teeswater about 20 years ago. They have six children, three boys and three girls, two [illegible] married. Pearl the [illegible] for and Oliver the eldest [illegible] in London and Galt respectively.—Teeswater News.



RUPTURE IS CURABLE

Results Not Influenced by Age or Length of Time Standing, Says Expert

Rupture is not a tear or breach in the abdominal wall, as commonly supposed, but it is a stretching or dilation of a natural opening, as a J. Y. Egan of Toronto, the noted rupture appliance specialist who will visit Walkerton, Hartley House, Thursday afternoon and night Friday all day and night—14 days only—June 27th and 28th.

The "Curatus" as now used and approved will not only retain any case of rupture perfectly affording immediate and complete comfort, but is intended to assist nature to close the opening in the shortest time known. This appliance has received highest awards wherever shown, producing results without harmful injections or other aids. Mr. Egan has testimonials from our own section for inspection. If interested, call; he will be pleased to show you same without charge. See his advertisement.

The Otter Creek School section presented Thos. Smith, Seraphine Kleist, Dan Wolfe and Wm. Voigt with $5 each on Tuesday evening. These young men have all been called to the colors.

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Hepworth Gas Prospect's Good

The Northern Gas & Gasoline Co., Ltd., have again commenced drilling after a delay of ten days waiting for a shipping of casing. The well was ceased Friday last and drilling is going on very satisfactorily. The casing used is manufactured in Pittsburg especially for high pressure gas wells, and is tested to a pressure of 750 pounds to the square inch. The drill is now down 500 feet, working in the Red Medina Shale, and will likely reach the Hudson River Formation by the latter part of the week. From information gained from the drillers the prospects are exceptionally good and it is their opinion that when the Trenton formation is pierced to the proper depth a good supply of gas will be obtained.

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Kloepfer—Hinsperger

A quiet wedding took place in the Sacred Heart Church here on Thursday morning of last week, when Miss Isabel Hinsperger, youngest daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Hinsperger, was united in marriage to Mr. Jos. Kloepfer, a prosperous blacksmith of Gagetown, Mich. Rev. A. C. Montag conducted the ceremony in the presence of a very few immediate friends of the contracting parties. After the ceremony the happy young couple left by motor to spend a day with Mr. Kloepfer's parents near Chepstow, after which they motored to Gagetown. Mr. Kloepfer, who is an expert mechanic has been conscripted by the U. S. government to help build battleships and will leave this week for California to take up his new occupation. His bride was a very popular lady here, and the best wishes of her numerous friends here follow her to her distant home.—Mildmay Gazette.

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Pace—McBeath

A very interesting event happened at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John McBeath, 4th con. Elderslie, on the evening of June 5th, when their second daughter, Isabel G., was united in marriage to John A. Pace, of Bruce Tp., in the presence of about seventy guests, relatives and friends of the contracting parties. At 7 o'clock the handsome bridegroom took his place under a beautiful arch of evergreen decorated and interwoven with bridal roses, and awaited the coming of the bride. To the sweet strains of Lohengrin played by Miss Annie E. McBeath sister of the bride, the sweet and winsome young bride appeared leaning on the arm of her father, attired in a gown of white brocaded chiffon and carrying a beautiful bouquet of carnations and maiden hair fern. With the exception of little Rachel Pollock, niece of the groom, who acted as flower girl, the young couple were unattended. The bride looked beautiful as she took her place beside the groom and very modestly plighted her troth to the young man of her choice. The ceremony was conducted by her pastor, Rev. G. C. Little, B. A. After the trying ordeal which made the happy couple one, and the usual congratulations were over, the guests were invited to the spacious dining room where a dainty wedding supper was served by the hostess, Mrs. McBeath and her assistants. The tables were beautifully decorated for the occasion. The groom's gift to the bride was a pearl necklace, and to the little flower girl a gold brooch. The numerous gifts included many useful and costly articles, also a number of substantial cheques, one of which was from the bride's mother for $300. The genial host and hostess gave their guests a very enjoyable time. Those present were from Owen Sound, Aberdour, Underwood, Paisley, Gresham, Chesley and other points. The young couple will reside on the groom's farm, 8th con. Bruce, where they will be at home to their many friends after June 25th.

WALKERTON PUB. SCHOOL

Is Given the Highest Rating For Its Work by County Inspector McCool—Congratulates Board On New Appointment

"The Board is to be congratulated on securing Mr. Rankin as new principal. His work and methods are right up-to-date and will compare with the best teaching anywhere".

The above is the official comment of Inspector John McCool in his report of recent inspectoral visit to Walkerton Public School. Mr. McCool also reports on the work of the school through out in a way that must be gratifying to the Board and to the general public.

It will be noted that the highest rating, 1, is given almost throughout in the report as reproduced herewith:—

Accommodations—closet 1, water supply 1, schoolgrounds 1, school buildings 1, class rooms 1, desks 2, Blackboards 1—3, lighting 1, heating 1, ventilation 1.

Equipment—Very good.

Caretaker's work—No 1.

Teachers Work—An excellent staff.

Attendance—No on roll 216, average attendance 187, total attendance at inspector 196.

Pupils' Work—Proficiency 1, Progress 1 Department 1. Pupils in every room are doing excellently.

New County Engineer

Mr. F. B. James, late of the 160th Batt'n was yesterday appointed County Engineer by the County Council.

County Council Meets

Bruce County Council is holding its June session at Southampton this week. An important item of business will be the revision of the County Goods Schedules, following the report of the Good Roads Committee.

Record Hard To Beat

Mr. Malcolm Thompson of Brant has 11 ewes on his farm that are certainly doing their bit for greater production. This season they have produced not less than 21 lambs or practically two lambs apiece. Last year three of the eleven produced triplets. One would go a long way to see this record equalled. At the prevailing prices for sheep and wool, Mr. Thompson should reap a neat profit from his flock this year.

Prominent Oddfellow Here

Dr. P. T. Coupland, Past Grand Master of the I. O. O. F. and a motor party of friends from St. Marys visited Walkerton for an hour on Monday morning on Grand Lodge business for the Oddfellows' Order. While here he enjoyed meeting his old friend, Mr. Dick Lee and swapping reminiscences of Grand Lodge. The Doctor undertook to visit the important towns of Huron and Bruce by motor in two days. On Sunday he conducted Decoration Day Service at Kincardine. Dr. Coupland is one of the most enthusiastic Oddfellows in Canada. He is a young man of character and ability, and when he rose to the head of the Order four years ago, he was the youngest Grand Master on record.

Former Brant Lady

There passed away at Calgary, on Sunday, June 16th., Mrs. Ellen Wilson formerly of Brant. She was in her 77th. year. The late Mrs. Wilson was the widow of the late Hugh Wilson, prominent resident of the township, of Brant and a member of the council for many years. Mr. Wilson, prior to his death about twenty years ago, worked the farm at present owned by Mr. George . Plowright, Durham Road. T. H. Wilson of Brant and Robt. Wilson of Walkerton are nephews. The late Mrs. Wilson leaves a family of three sons and three daughters; Henry, Joseph, and Mrs. (Sadie) Ainslie of Lashburne, Sask; James of Calgary; Mrs. (Alice) Rothwell of Arcola, Sask; and Mrs. (Ellie) Anderson of Calgary. Mrs. (Mayor) Laidlaw of Durham is an only surviving sister. The funeral will be held here Friday on the arrival of the 1.45 p. m. C.P.R. train. Funeral service will be held at St. Thomas Church.

Death of Mrs. Wallace

The death occurred at Toronto on Wednesday June 12th, of Sarah Thompson, widow of the late David Wallace, a former well-known Walkerton merchant. Mrs. Wallace, who had been making her home with her daughter, Mrs. James Stinson, was about 77 years of age. Old age was the cause of her demise. Mrs. Wallace lived in Walkerton for many years and she and her late husband are held in kindly remembrance by many old friends here. For over twenty year Mr. Thompson was senior partner in the boot and shoe firm of Wallace and Burns and was an ex-councillor of Walkerton. A family of seven mourn the loss of a loving and devoted mother. They are— Mrs. Clarence Smith of Walkerton; Mrs. Hamilton of Crystal Beach; Mrs. Robt. Whitesides of Sardenia, N. Y.; Mrs. Chas. Thompson of Toronto; Thomas Wallace of Buffalo; and David of Denver, Col. The funeral was held here on Friday on the arrival of the C. P. R. train from Toronto. Service was conducted by Rev. C. W. Cosens, pastor of the Methodist Church.

TOWN AND DISTRICT NEWS

Mr. Joseph Dentinger has been laid up with a very severe cold.

Mr. Anthony Batte of Formosa was in town on business last week.

Mr. George Becker left on Tuesday to report for military service.

Rev. Thos. Wilson preached at Geneva Church, Chesley last Sunday.

Mrs. O'Gorman has removed into the old Bacon residence on Durham St.

Mr. Alf. and Miss Amelia Weber spent Sunday with friends at Black Horse.

Mr. George Wolfe of Chatham spent Sunday at his mother's, Mrs. John Wolfe.

Misses Agnes and Tena Lobsinger spent a few days visiting friends at Goderich.

Mr. G. R. Smith of Ayton accompanied by his assistant was here tuning pianos.

Messrs. Rod. Clancy Jr. and George Stewart made a business trip to Chesley on Tuesday.

The sons of Mr. John Waechter of Carrick left on Friday to report for military service.

Miss Maisie Etsell and Miss Maude Dean are spending a few weeks' holidays at Brussels.

Mr. John Ohlhieser who has been visiting relatives here, returned to the West on Monday.

Miss Wallace and Miss Holm leave on Saturday morning to spend their holidays at Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Caskenette and son Harry, returned on Thursday to their home at Preston.

Miss Tracey Desmond and Winnie O'Reilly of Eden Grove spent Sunday with friends in Town.

Mr. Alex Fehrenbach, who has been quite ill, was able to be down town for the first time on Tuesday.

Miss Agnes Lobsinger of Detroit is on a months vacation to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Lobsinger.

Mrs. J. Meyer and three children had their tonsils removed at the home of her parents, by Dr. Sinclair.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Reddon and Miss Isabel Gordon of Teeswater spent Sunday at the home of Mr. Alex. Grant.

Miss Cappie Spence of Southampton leaves shortly to take a position for the summer months on a Grimsby fruit farm.

Master Harold Fitzmaurice of Bracebridge, Ont., is here on extended visit to his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kelly.

Mrs. (Gnr.) James McKinnon returned on Friday from Port Elgin, where she has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Edward Kelp.

Mr. Harry Addis of the [illegible] Section, returned to work [illegible] after being laid up for a week as the result of a fall.

Messrs Russel Bryden, George Stewart, Wm. Caswell and Bruce Rogers motored to Port Elgin on Saturday and returned Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Schuett motored to Kitchener on Sunday, where Mrs. Schuett intends to spend a week visiting friends and relatives.

Miss Lizzie Monk of Stratford has arrived home to stay with her mother, during the absence of her brother, who has been called to the colors.

Mrs. L. Bauman and Miss Tillie, went to Brantford on a visit to the former's son. Tillie will then go to Cornwall to visit her brother.

Mrs. Joseph Batte Sr. has been visiting her daughter Mrs. H. Dossman of Culross during the absence of her husband while attending court here.

Mr. W. M. Shaw arrived home Friday night from attending the Annual Convention of the Canadian Manufacturers Association at Montreal.

The Otter Creek correspondence on page 5 contains the account of the sudden death of Peter Wolfe, of Clifford, a young man well-known in this vicinity.

Mr. Murdoch Campbell, who has been here the past month taking electrical treatment, returned home to Chesley on Saturday, very much improved in health.

Miss Antoinette Waechter, who has been working at the Bruce County Hospital, will be obliged to leave and help on the farm owing to the absence of her brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Zuber of Kitchener and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Scherer of New Germany motored here on Sunday and spent the day with relatives and friends here.

Mr. David Myles an old Brant boy, was here this week attending the funeral of his sister, Mrs. John Jamieson of Paisley. Mr. Myles conducts jewelry stores at Haileybury and Cobalt.

Mr. H. W. Elliott, Inspector of the Children's Aid Society, has taken Mr. J. W. Hibbert's house in the West Ward. Mr. and Mrs. Elliot who have been boarding since they came to Walkerton recently, intend to start housekeeping at once.

The Soldiers Aid shipped boxes to the Walkerton boys Overseas last week.

The last of the machinery of the Bindertwine factory is being shipped out this week.

Walkerton had a coal oil famine one day last week. Only one firm in town had any to sell.

Mr. and Mrs. Byers of Listowel were the guests of the latter's sister, Mrs. J. Holm a few days this week.

Mayor Johnston and Coun. F. W. Lippert paid a visit to Toronto the past week. The latter went also from Toronto to Ottawa on business.

Mr. Adolph Musack, Victoria St., who leaves with his family in the Fall to make their home at Preston, recently bought a residence at Preston.

Mr. Harry McCrum is expected home on Monday from Galt where he has been under medical care for several weeks. He is reported to be making excellent progress.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hibbert of Toronto are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Noble of Brant. They were accompanied from the city by Harry Noble who recently signed up for military servies but was rejected as being physically unfit.

Staff Re-engaged

All the present members of the High School staff have been re-engaged for the coming year at the following salaries:—Prin. Jos. Morgan M. A., $1600; Miss M. E. McGregor B. A. $1.200; Miss May Cummer, $1.200; Mr. A. D Lamont B. A. $1 200.

Sailed For Overseas

Word has been received that Pte. Frank Spitzig who has been training at the military camp at Spartanburg S. C has sailed for Overseas.

Shoulder Getting Better

Mrs. Little of Brant, who recently had the cajaul of her shoulder dislocated by a fall in the barn, was sufficiently recovered to have the splints removed on Saturday.

Plaintiff Wins Case

Judge Klein has given judgment for the plaintiff in the case of Robt. J. Stead, liveryman of Wiarton against Thomas Moore of the same town. Moore is to pay $180 to the plaintiff, of which $150 is for the loss of horse, $5 for damage to harness, and $25 for loss of business. Moore had previously paid $25 into court. The case was tried at Wiarton on May 30th., the Judge reserving judgment at that time.

"What is so rare as a day in June."

Try the Telescope for neat job printing.

Listowel's total assessment is $1,168,239.

One week from Monday is Dominion Day.

Owen Sound's population is now 12,100.

Sugar is $25 a pound in Russia. Soft drinks should come high there.

The last stone on the exterior of Toronto's new Union Station has been put in place.

Latest styles in wedding stationery printed from newest types at the Telescope.

The tax rate in Southampton this year calls for 35½ mills, one-half mill less than last year.

Mr. Millard Stauffer was up from Toronto over Sunday visiting his mother, Mrs E. Stauffer.—Paisley Advocate

A gauze sponge left in D. W. Miller, a contractor of Chester, N. Y., after an operation for three months by a nurse, was removed.

Judge Klein was in Kincardine the latter end of last week. A host of friends were glad to see the Judge so greatly improved in health.—Kincardine Reporter.

It's a good thing that animals that sold for over $2,000 at the stock sale was not for beef purposes. Just figure the price of a flank steak when the dealer got through trimming up such a critter, and getting it ready for market. Even ox-tail soup would be worth about $200 a plate.

Wins D. S. O.

Major N. Roy Robertson, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. Robertson K. C., who was twice mentioned in despatches by Sir Douglas Haig, has again won honor on the field. He has been awarded the Distinguished Service Order.

Andrew - Kappler

A quiet wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Kappler, Victoria St. Walkerton, at four o'clock on Wednesday afternoon, June 19th, when their youngest daughter Miss Pearl Leda Kappler, was united in marriage to Mr. Alexander Andrew of Toronto. The ceremony was performed by Rev. H. R. Lamach, pastor of the Lutheran Church Only the immediate relatives were present. Mr. and Mrs. Andrew leave today for Toronto where the former has a good position.

Enlists As Despatch Rider

Ed. Mosack, of Preston, son of Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Mosack, Victoria St has enlisted as a despatch rider for service overseas.

Transferred To St. Catherines

Mr. Charlie Petteplace jr. of the Canadian Bank of Commerce has been transferred to the St Catherines branch. Charlie's many friends in the home town wish him success.

An Unanimous Call

The congregation of Hyde Park and Komika in London Presbytery have extended a very unanimous call to Mr. James A. Gale recent graduate of Knox College Toronto and son of Rev. R. M. Gale of Pinkerton.

Left For The West

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Caskanette and their two children of Kinloss left on Tuesday for Biggar, Sask., where Mr. Caskanette intends going farming. The best wishes of their many old friends in this district accompany them.

Mr Fox Slightly Better

Mr. C. A Fox the veteran jeweler, who was seized with a stroke on Wednesday of last week, shows a shade of improvement the last few days although his condition is still very serious and Miss Cosgriff, a special nurse from St. Michael's Hospital, Toronto, is on the case. Mr. Fox is Walkerton's oldest merchant and the news of his illness has brought many solicitous inquiries from many points out of town as to his condition from day to day.

Wicked Lizzy

A "tin lizzy" which is said to have contracted the bad habit of bucking and taking to the ditch, having a worse temper than any mule, changed hands last week and was brought to town by its new owner. The "car" is now reported to have celebrated its removal to Walkerton by rushing down an 8 ft. embankment on Saturday morning and pouncing headfirst on top of the driver. Fortunately this individual, who was pinned under the machine was unhurt, the only damage being a broken wind shield.

BORN

ROGERS—At General Hospital, Kitchener, on Friday, June 14th, 1918, to Mr. and Mrs. James Rogers of Preston, a daughter, (Dorothy Waddell).

McNEILL—At Bruce County Hospital on Tuesday, June 18th, 1918, to Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McNeill of Brant, a son.

WOLFE—In Carrick, on June 1st, to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wolfe, a daughter.

HUNDT—In Carrick, on June 6th, to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hundt, a son.

Walkerton Markets

(Revised, Wednesday, June 19th)

Hay	$10.00 to $12.00
Oats, per bsh.	80 to 80
Wheat " "	2.10 to..... 2.10
Butter, per lb.	38to 48
Eggs, per doz.	34 to 36
Barley per bus	.....$1.30..... 1.30
Hogs, per cwt.	.....17.00 to 17.00
Potatoes.....	75 to.....$1.00
Buckwheat.....	1.30 .....1.30

STAR STEAM LAUNDRY

Our rates are reasonable and our work is satisfactory. Blankets, curtains, bedspreads, etc., will receive special attention.

J. C. BAUMAN

BREAD!

We deliver our Bread as usual at the regular price of 11c. If you take it home with you we charge only 10c.

CAKES

Fresh Cakes always on hand. Lunch Cakes, Jelly Roll, Cookies, etc. Cakes made to order. Special attention given to Wedding Cakes.

JOHN O'MALLEY

PHOTOGRAPHS



You can now have your photograph taken here in

Walkerton

We have taken over the Studio formerly occupied by the late F. J. Fraser.

We invite you to call and see our Photography.

Opening Date to be Announced Next Week

T. DONOAHUE

Photographer Walkerton

CHINA SALE

POPULAR CLOVER LEAF DESIGN

We have a good supply of dinner, breakfast, tea, soup and bread and butter plates.

SPECIAL

Cups and Saucers, Clover Leaf design, $1.00 only for half dozen, regular price $1.25.

Milk Pitchers, good value, 29c, 39c and 49c.

We have a good stock of dinner sets and odd pieces of artistic design.

SEE OUR WEST WINDOW

For dainty China Wedding Presents.

BREMNER'S FAIR

New Music

We invite you to call and hear the latest Victrola Records. We are the sole agents in Walkerton for

VICTROLAS

Erdman's IceCream & Sodas

It is recommendation enough just to say Erdman's Chocolates, Bon Bons, Candies fresh and delicious. Enjoy your Ice Cream and sodas in our well-ventilated parlor. Up-to-date service.

JNO. B. ERDMAN

VERANDA FURNITURE

Enjoy the pleasure of a comfortable chair ready for you on the veranda on a hot summer day. We have a new shipment of chairs and rockers in brown and natural colors. Prices very reasonable.

HAMMOCKS

Baby Hammocks, just the thing for babies, they are boxed in so that baby cannot fall out. A fine assortment of good hammocks, all colors, with wide valance. Buy your hammocks here.

E. MYLES

FURNITURE WALKERTON

LIVE NEWS OF NEIGHBORING VILLAGES AND COUNTRYSIDE

Happenings of the Week Collected for the Readers of The Telescope by a Staff of Wideawake Correspondents

DUNKELD

A veteran of Passchendaele, giving his address as Toronto, canvassed the burg on Monday as representative of The Ladies Home Journal and a Girls' Magazine and the fact that the stranger wore a Service badge as well as some scars of the fight was sufficient to expel any doubt as to the reliability of the Hero and assured him of a warm welcome and a generous response among the natives here.

Rev. Mr. Wilson of Brandon, Man., visited his sister and other relatives on the Elora Road, Friday, prior to taking over an Eastern Ontario charge.

Mrs. Peter Fisher and little daughter Mary, returned last week from a few weeks' visit to Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Kelly at Windsor.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Kastner spent Sunday with friends in Greenock.

Pte. R. Young of Toronto was calling on old friends in the burg last week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Merchant left last week for Toronto. Mrs. Merchant remained in the city where she is taking treatment at St. Michael's Hospital.

The Sisters of an Orphanage and Aged People's Home of Hamilton were here last week soliciting alms in support of the indigents under their care.

Mr McLean of Ellengowan was here on Friday on professional business.

Pte. Ed. Fisher left recently with a special draft from Toronto for overseas.

Frank Hahn, who left on June 1st to go in training at the District Training Centre, has won promotion for accurate shooting and general efficiency at the camp. Hence, we imagine Frank's dame friends shall be kept busy from now on getting "wised up" to his latest military promotions for a quick climb such as we here cite is likely to be quickly followed by higher honors.

Miss Gladys McCarter returned Tuesday to her home in St. Thomas, following a weeks' sojourn with friends here.

Mr. I. Abell is as well as ever again after his long siege of illness.

Owing to the decline in the hog market last week most of the locals engaged in that sort of production deemed it advisable to deliver to market all porkers anywhere near the standard weight, thus showing how some producers prefer accepting a fair renumeration rather than travel under the term of a war-time profiteer.

EDEN GROVE

The Grand Trunk Agent lost his pocket book containing some ninety odd bucks last Saturday. Tears gathered in his eyes and rolling down his cheeks splashed about his feet. Great were his groans and lamentations. It is none of your business where he found it.

A certain gentleman in our community was advised to be sure and bring home a loaf of bread with him or he'd go dinnerless. To make deadly sure he bought it immediately he arrived in the city and left it on the middle of the sidewalk so that on his way home there would be no possible chance of his overlooking it. Alas and alack he arrived home breathless and breadless.

Patrick Desmond and Neil Thompson were training last week for a road race. They drove their horse, we are informed, out to old Ballaham farm where they were hired to cut down the primeval forest. Unhitching the quadruped they turned it loose into Lee Bedbeck's hay field for a free feed while they imitated our forefathers in clearing the land. While they sweated and heaved (Oh dear) the beast rambled homeward and left the two stalwart pioneers to get home the best they could. Next morning they were forced to repeat the exercise. Moral—the horse is an intelligent animal but man—.

The sale at Alex McKeeman's residence on Monday afternoon was well attended and prices very fair. Bill Desmond intends in future to fold up like a jackknife and lay on a short bed.

OTTER CREEK

Mr. Gordon Pfohl who is with the flying corps, Toronto, was home on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Pfohl of 11th. con.

Mr. and Mrs. George Smith and daughter of Ayton were visiting at Mr. D. Gress' and took them out for a motor drive to Mr. Wm Stemler's of Mildmay on Sunday.

Mr. Daniel Wolfe left on Monday for London were he has been drafted for military service. It is leaving nobody on the farm as his parents are not capable of doing any farm work.

Charles Koenig, Enoch Koenig George Meckle, Harry Schumacher, and the Misses Edna Meckle, Alberta Becker, Sadie Schumacher, Anna Koenig, Lyla Schnurr, Minerva Miller of Mildmay were visitors at Mr. P. Gress' on Sunday.

A very sad event took place here at the home of Mr. Wm. Hossfeld where Wolfe Bros. of Clifford were shingling their barn. The oldest one, Peter went down saying he was going to get his hat, and coming back. His brothers looked for him and found him lying in their car, with a hemmorhage. He seemed to be doing fairly well but on Saturday afternoon he quietly passed away. The deceased was born at Otter Creek about 27 years ago and moved to Clifford with his parents. The funeral took place at the Evangelical Church Tuesday afternoon at Clifford. He leaves to mourn, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Wolfe of Clifford and three brothers and two sisters and a host of relatives.

Another sad event took place at Middleport when Mrs. George Meyers, oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Fennet of Carrick, died after a short illness. Deceased was well known in this vicinity having spent her childhood years here. She was a lady of sterling character and a true woman in every sense of the word. Her early death will be a distinct loss not only to her family but the community at large. Deceased was born in the township of N. Dumfries, County of Waterloo, and died at her home at Middleport Monday, June 10th. The funeral services were in charge of Rev. Mr. Down at the house. His text was "Blessed are the dead that die in the Lord" His discourse was very earnest and impressive, speaking words of comfort and cheer. The burial took place at Onondadge cemetery which is very beautifully surrounded with evergreen and spruce. She leaves to mourn a sorrowing husband four sons and one in infancy, her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Fenner, three brothers and four sisters. We extend our heartfelt sympathy. Those who attended the funeral were:—Mr. and Mrs. John Fenner, Edward Fenner and Miss Katharine Gress, Mr. David Gress, and Mr. Philip Gress, and Miss Edna Gress. The casket was ladened with many beautiful flowers as a last tribute to the departed.

IN MEMORIAM

Oh how sweet it will be in that beautiful land.
So free from all sorrow and pain.
With songs on our lips and harps in our hands
To meet one another again.

RIVERSDALE

Mr. and Mrs. McDonald of Ingersoll are visiting the former's brother, Mr. Wm. McDonald.

Mr. Arch. McKinnon is attending the convention of the C. O. F. at Toronto.

Mrs. Doherty of Teeswater is visiting at Wm. Browns this week.

Mrs. Stewart and two children returned to their home in Mornington last Thursday.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Frank Beninger a daughter.

The bee held at the Baptist cemetry last Friday for the purpose of cutting the grass was largely attended.

Miss Grace McDonald and Miss McDermid visited the latter's home in Lucknow over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferrin of Glamis called on friends here on Sunday.

CARGILL

Misses Mabel and Nellie Clancy came home on Saturday night on their vacation.

Mr. J. Schuett and family of Mildmay visited at J. D. Schuett's on Sunday.

Oswald Clancy came home from Oshawa on Saturday for a few holidays.

Messrs. R. A. Fowlie, F. F. Balsdon, W. J. Loughleen, and W. Russell motored to Harriston on Sunday to attend a Masonic Funeral.

The local Bowling League is in full swing and a great interest is being taken by all.

The Entrance Exams commence in the local school to-morrow. Mr. Rankin of Walkerton will preside.

Mr. Wm. Weisford of Guelph is visiting at Mr. F. L. Martin's this week.

Miss Iona Taylor returned to Brussells on Tuesday after spending her holidays under the parental roof.

The beautiful weather is causing the tennis players and evening strollers to be out more than usual.

Mr. James Clancy and wife paid a short visit to the burg on Sunday.

Tony's ice cream is a very good attraction on Sunday, at least the Eden Grove and Pinkerton boys seem to think so, or was it another kind of attraction, boys?

Rev. H. B. Storey will preach his farewell sermon next Sunday night before leaving for his new field at Freelton.

BRANT AVENUE

The most of the farmers of the section assisted Mr. Amos Pletsch at his barn-raising on Monday. Again on Tuesday they went and helped Mr. Edwin Tolton to get his combination implement building and hog pen put up.

Cecil McLeod who was called up for service on May 30th. is home for 30 days' leave to help on the farm.

The sudden rain and thunder storm last Tuesday night chased home some of our wandering Willies at a hot pace.

Fred Hauch of town is working for Irwine Bros. on the farm.

About the two best fields of wheat on this avenue are those of Messrs. Dugald McLeod and William Riley.

Messrs. Peter Frank and Alex Weechter have purchased gasoline engines to replace wind mills on their farms, the latter's windmill having been blown to pieces in that May storm.

Mr. and Mrs. William Heidmiller of Riversdale called on the latter's friend Mrs. J. J. Ernest on Tuesday.

FORMOSA

(Intended for last week.)

E. G. Kuntz and Chas. Ellebrunn motored to London last

Dentinger & Beingessner have put up a nice veranda in front of their store. The work was done by Joseph Kraemer.

The marriage of Louis Becker and Antonette Kieffer took place in R. C. Church here last Tuesday.

Mrs. William Lambertus of Hopworth is visiting relatives here for a few days.

Mrs. Frank Voisin who has been visiting with her parents for a couple of weeks, left for her home near Glenallen.

Every thing is very dull around here since the boys have gone to military camp in London. We hope they will be back soon as the work will not be near done what should be done.

The Farmers club will hold their regular meeting here on Thursday June 14th.

SOLWAY

(intended for last week)

Mr. and Mrs. Jno Craig and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hanmore of Greenock attended the funeral of the late Mrs. T. Mrs. Coates last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Strueder accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Willielm autoed to Carlsruhe on Sunday.

Miss Jessie Findlay is visiting at the home of her brother, Mr. Walter Findlay here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Monk of Hanover, spent Sunday at the home of their son, Mr. John Monk.

Miss Emma Knoll of Guelph, is visiting at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lambertus spent Sunday at the home of Mr. Ben Weechter.

Mr. Harry Noble who has been exempted from Military service has bought a new Ford car.

Mrs. Wm Moore of Durham and Mrs. John Coates and cousin, Mrs. Slack of Claremont attended the funeral of the former's mother, Mrs. T. Coates here on Friday.

GLAMIS

Don't forget Registration Day on Saturday.

A number of the I. O. O. F. Brethren attended Decoration Services in Kincardine on Sunday.

Misses Jean and Katharine McDermid of London arrived home on Saturday on receipt of the sad news of their mother's death.

Mrs. Cann of Port Elgin spent the past week with Mrs. Arch. McKinnon.

Messrs. Peacock, and Stillwell of Mesford were week end visitors at N. C. McFarlane's.

Mr. David McIntosh, and Miss Edna McArthur of Lovat sundayed at Thos. Gamble's.

Miss May Ferris arrived home from the West last week.

Miss Minnie McNally is home from Lapeer Mich. for the summer vacation.

Miss Phyllis Moffat is only Entrance pupil from this school writing this year. Success, Phyllis.

Mrs. James Thompson spent a few days last week at the home of Cecil Garland in Pinkerton.

Gordon Kirkton of Holland Centre visited here the first of the week.

Miss Jennie McKeeman has returned home from Toronto. She is in poor health. All wish her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Charles Graham, and babe arrived home from Sarnia on Saturday accompanied by her sister Mrs. Wil Woods, and two sons of Tioga, North Dakota.

Mr. L. R. Tufford of Beamsville motored here on Wednesday returning on Friday accompanied by his wife and aunt, Mrs. Will Hendry.

An auto party of relatives from Port Elgin sundayed with Mrs. Owen Webb

Statute Labor is the order of the day.

Wedding bells are still ringing on the Boundary.

Mr. McGregor of Lucknow visited relatives here last week.

An auto load of relatives from Hollard Centre sundayed with Mrs. R. J. Nesbitt.

Miss Mary McLeod left on Saturday on a month's visit to her sister, Mrs. Donald Gilchrist of Detroit Mich.

Rev. P. Reith returned home from London on Thursday.

Miss Verna Husk is home from Kincardine.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil C. McFarlane left Monday morning for a two weeks' visit with their daughter Mrs. M. E. Peacock of Meaford.

On Friday evening the entire community was shocked on learning of the death of Mrs. Christena McDermid aged 57 years who passed away at her home here on Friday June 14th. In the evening her lifeless body was found on the floor. Death being due to heart failure.

The deceased was highly respected and loved by all who knew her, and her death is regretted by a host of friends. She was a member of St. Pauls Church and an Active member of the Women's Missionary Organization who will feel keenly the loss of this one member.

The following family mourn the loss of a loving and devouted Mother: two sons, Serg. Donald and Private Neil on Active Service in France; two daughters Misses Jean and Katharine of London. Besides her family she leaves to mourn her loss three brothers and one sister Jno. and Arch McKinnon Bly East, Tiverton, and Capt. Peter and Mrs. Capt. Hugh McKinnon 10th. Con. Kincardine Twp.

To the bereaved ones in this their very sad and sudden bereavement we extended our deepest heartfelt sympathy.

The funeral took place from her late residence on Monday afternoon. Interment in Tiverton Cemetery.

The large number at the funeral showed the esteem in which the departed was held.

Mr and Miss Walker, of Teeswater, were week-end visitors at W. T. Stewart's.

Mrs Jack McPherson, of San Diego, California, is visiting her parents, Mr and Mrs J Gunn

The Ordination Services of Rev J. E. McCauley, on Friday afternoon, was largely attended Over 70 delegates registered

HANOVER

Pte. Ben F. Dankert of Hanover, who is in the 11th Provisional Squadron, Army Service Signal Corps, of the United States army stationed at Warrenton, Oregon, has been promoted to the rank of Sergeant.

W. H. Manto of Detroit, formerly of Hanover, has been drafted into the American army. Geo. J. Hoffman of Hanover has enlisted in a Tank Corps of the U. S. army and will do his bit for Uncle Sam. He has gone to Columbus, Ohio.

One of the oldest residents of this vicinity and a man who enjoyed the esteem of a wide circle of friends, passed away in the person of Mr. Peter Weis at the ripe old age of 85 years, 7 months and 16 days. Death took place at the home of his son, Ernest, with whom he has been residing for the past three years. Death was the result of an accident which happened him about a week before when he broke his leg. He suffered intensely until shortly before the end came.

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Seventeen

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wasn't my fault it was late. I guess was it? Well, if I was in your place I wouldn't act the way you and Johnnie do—not in a thousand years I wouldn't! I'd say: 'You want a couple o' my dances with Miss Pratt, ole man? Why, certainly!'"—

"Yes, you would!" was the cynical comment of Mr. Bullitt, whose averted face and reluctant shoulders indicated a strong desire to conclude the interview. "Tonight especially!" he added

"Look here, Joe," said William desperately, "don't you realize that this is the very last night Miss Pratt's going to be in this town?"

"You bet I do!" These words, though vehement, were inaudible, being formed in the mind of Mr. Bullitt, but, for diplomatic reasons, not projected upon the air by his vocal organs.

William continued, "Joe, you and I have been friends ever since you and I were boys." He spoke with emotion, but Joe had no appearance of being favorably impressed. "And when I look back," said William, "I expect I've done more favors for you than I ever have for any oth"—

But Mr. Bullitt briskly interrupted this appealing reminiscence. "Listen here, Silly Bill," he said, becoming at once friendly and encouraging—"Bill, there's other girls here you can get dances with. There's one or two of 'em sittin' around in the yard. You can have a bully time even if you did come late." And, with the air of discharging happily all the obligations of which William had reminded him, he added, "I'll tell you that much, Bill!"

"Joe, you got to give me anyway one dance"—

"Look!" said Mr. Bullitt eagerly. "Look, sittin' yonder, over under that tree all by herself! That's a visiting girl named Miss Boke. She's visiting some old uncle or something she's got living here, and I bet you could"—

"Joe, you got to"—

"I bet that Miss Boke's a good dancer, Bill," Joe continued warmly. "May Parcher says so. She was trying to get me to dance with her myself, but I couldn't for I would of. Honest, Bill I would of! Bill if I was you I'd sail right in there before anybody else got a start, and I'd"—

"Ole man," said William gently, "you remember the time Miss Pratt and I had an engagement to go walkin', and you wouldn't of seen her for a week on account of your aunt dyin' in Kansas City if I hadn't let you go along with us? Ole man, if you"—

But the music sounded for the next dance, and Joe felt that it was indeed time to end this uncomfortable conversation. "I got to go, Bill," he said. "I got to!"

"Wait just one minute," William implored. "I want to say just this: If"—

"Here!" exclaimed Mr. Bullitt. "I got to go!"

"I know it. That's why"—

Heedless of remonstrance, Joe wrenched himself free, for it would have taken a powerful and ruthless man to detain him longer. "What you take me for?" he demanded indignantly. "I got this with Miss Pratt!"

And, evading a hand which still sought to clutch him, he departed hotly.

Mr. Parcher's voice expressed wonder a little later as he recommended his wife to turn her gaze in the direction of "that Baxter boy" again. "Just look at him!" said Mr. Parcher. "His face has got more genuine idiocy in it than I've seen around here yet, and God knows I've been seeing some miracles in that line this summer!"

"He's looking at Lola Pratt," said Mrs. Parcher.

"Don't you suppose I can see that?" Mr. Parcher returned, with some irritation. "That's what's the trouble with him. Why don't he quit looking at her?"

"I think probably he feels bad because she's dancing with one of the other boys," said his wife mildly.

"Then why can't he dance with somebody else himself," Mr. Parcher inquired testily, "instead of standing around like a calf looking out of the butchers wagon? By George, he looks as if he was just going to moo!"

"Of course he ought to be dancing with somebody," Mrs. Parcher remarked thoughtfully. "There are one or two more girls than boys here, and he's the only boy not dancing. I believe I'll"— And, not stopping to complete the sentence, she rose and walked across the interval of grass to William. "Good evening, William," she said pleasantly. "Don't you want to dance?"

"Ma'am!" said William blankly, and the eyes he turned upon her were glassy with anxiety.

"Don't you want to dance?" Mrs. Parcher repeated. "Have you looked around for a girl without a partner?"

"Girl?" he echoed in a tonetof feeble inquiry.

She smiled and nodded, taking his arm. "You come with me!" she said. "I'll fix you up."

William suffered her to conduct him across the yard. Intensely preoccupied with what he meant to do as soon as the music paused, he was somewhat hazy, but when he perceived that he was being led in the direction of a girl sitting solitary under one of the maple trees the sudden shock of fear aroused his faculties.

"What—where"— he stammered, balking and seeking to detach himself from his hostess.

"What is it?" she asked.

"I got—I got to"— William began uneasily. "I got to"—

His purpose was to execute himself on the ground that he had to find a man and tell him something important before the next dance, for in the confusion of the moment his powers refused him greater originality. But the vital part of his intended excuse remained unspoken, being disregarded and cut short, as millions of other masculine diplomacies have been throughout the centuries by the decisive action of ladies.

Miss Boke had been sitting under the maple tree for a long time—so long, indeed, that she was acquiring a profound distaste for forestry and even for maple syrup. In fact, her state of mind was as desperate in its way as William's. And when a hostess leads a youth in almost perfectly fitting conventional black toward a girl who has been sitting alone through dance after dance that girl knows what that youth is going to have to do.

It must be confessed for Miss Boke that her eyes had been upon William from the moment Mrs. Parcher addressed him. She sprang to her feet and met Mrs. Parcher more than halfway.

"Oh, Mrs. Parcher!" she called, coming forward.

"I got"— the panic stricken William again hastily began. "I got to"—

"Oh, Mrs. Parcher," cried Miss Boke, "I've been so worried! There's a candle in that Japanese antern just overhead, and I think it is going out."

"I'll run and get a fresh one in a minute," said Mrs. Parcher, smiling benevolently and retaining William's arm with a little difficulty. "We were just coming to find you. I've brought"—

"I got to—I got to find a m"— William made a last stricken effort.

"Miss Boke, this is Mr. Baxter," said Mrs. Parcher, and she added, with what seemed to William hideous garrulity: "He and you both came late, dear, and he hasn't any dances engaged either. So run and dance and have a nice time together."

The full horror of his position was revealed to William in the relieved, confident, proprietor's smile of Miss Boke, for William lived by a code from which no previous experience had taught him any means of escape. Mrs. Parcher had made the statement, so needless and so ruinous, that he had no engagements, and in his dismay he had been unable to deny this fatal truth. He had been obliged to let it stand.

He had to give form to the fatal invitation. "Ma'am this dance 'thyou'" he muttered dogredly.

"Verry pleased to!" Miss Boke responded; whereupon they walked in silence to the platform, stepped upon its surface and embraced.

They made a false start, then another. They stood swaying to catch the time, then made another. After that they tried again and were saved from a fall only by spasmodic and noticeable contortions.

Miss Boke laughed tolerantly, as if forgiving William for his awkwardness, and his hot heart grew hotter



After That They Tried Again.

with that injustice. A coarse chuckle, a half suppressed snort, assailed William's scarlet ear, and from the corner of his eye he caught a glimpse of Joe Bullitt gliding by, subdued, while over Joe's detested shoulder could be seen the adorable and piquant face of the one girl, also suffused.

"Dogone it!" William panted.

"Oh, you mustn't be discouraged with yourself," said Miss Boke genially. "I've met lots of Men that had trouble to get started and turned out to be right good dancers, after all. It seems to me we're kind of working against each other. I'll tell you, you kind of let me do the guiding and I'll get you going fine. Now! One, two, one, two! There!"

William ceased to struggle for dominance, and their efforts to "get started" were at once successful. He had a helpless feeling, fully warranted by the circumstances. He soon became aware that Miss Boke's powerful "guiding" was observed by the public, for after one collision, more severe than others, a low voice hissed in his ear:

"*She won't hurt you much, Silly Bill. She's only in jun!*"

This voice belonged to the dancer with whom he had just been in painful contact, Johnnie Watson.

"I just love dancing," said Miss Boke serenely. "Don't you, Mr. Baxter?"

"What?" he gulped. "Yah."

"It's lovely," she murmured. "I hope they don't play 'Home, Sweet, Home' very early at parties in this town. I could keep on like this all night!"

CHAPTER XIX.
Marooned.

TO the grasping William it seemed that she already had kept on like this all night, and he expressed himself in one great, frank, agonized moan of relief when the music stopped. "I sh' think musicians'd be dead!" he said as he wiped his brow. And, then discovering that May Parcher stood at his elbow, he spoke hastily to her. "M'ar' the next 'thyou'"

But Miss Parcher had begun to applaud the musicians for an encore. She shook her head. "Next's the third extra," she said. "And, anyhow, this one's going to be encored now. You can have the twenty-second if there is any."

William threw a wild glance about him, looking for other girls, but the tireless orchestra began to play the encore, and Miss Boke, who had been applauding, instantly put herself upon his bosom. "Come on!" she cried. "Don't let's miss a second of it. It's just glorious!"

When the encore was finished she seized William's arm and, mentioning that she'd left her fan upon the chair under the maple tree, added: "Come on! Let's go get it quick!"

Under the maple tree she fanned herself and talked of her love for dancing until the music sounded again. "Come on!" she cried then. "Don't let's miss a second of it! It's just glorious!"

And, grasping his arm, she propelled him toward the platform with a merry little rush.

So passed five dances—long, long dances.

Likewise five encores—long encores.

After each dance Miss Boke conducted him back to the maple tree, aloof from the general throng, and William found the intermissions almost equal to his martyrdom upon the platform. But, as there was a barely perceptible balance in their favor, he collected some fragments of his broken spirit when Miss Boke would have borne him to the platform for the sixth time and begged to "sit this one out," alleging that he had "kind of turned his ankle or something," he believed.

The cordial girl at once placed him upon the chair and gallantly procured another for herself. In her solicitude she sat close to him, looking fondly at his face, while William, though now and then rubbing his ankle for plausibility's sake, gazed at the platform with an expression which Gustave Dore would gratefully have found suggestive. Upon the many colored platform the ineffable One drifted to and fro, back and forth, her little blond head, in a golden net, glinting here and there like a bit of tinsel blowing across a flower garden.

And when that dance and its encore were over she went to lean against a tree, while Wallace Banks fanned her, but she was so busy with Wallace that she did not notice William, though she passed near enough to waft a breath of violet scent to his wan nose. A fragment of her silver speech tinkled in his ear:

"Oh, Wallie Banks, bid pid n'ant have Bruvva Josie-Joe's dance 'fess Joe say so! Lola mus' be fair. Wallie mustn't"—

"That's that Miss Pratt," observed Miss Boke, following William's gaze with some interest. "You met her yet?"

"Yeh," said William.

"She's been visiting here all summer," Miss Boke informed him. "I was at a little tea this afternoon, and some of the girls said this Miss Pratt said she'd never dream of getting engaged to any man that didn't have $750,000. I don't know if it's true or not, but I expect so. Anyway, they said they heard her say so."

William lifted his right hand from his ankle and passed it time after time across his damp forehead. He did not believe that Miss Pratt could have expressed herself in so mercenary a manner, but if she had—well, one fact in British history had so impressed him that he remembered it even after examination: William Pitt, the younger, had been prime minister of England at twenty-one. Undoubtedly Miss Boke's bit of gossip added somewhat to the already sufficient anxieties of William's evening.

"Up at the lake," Miss Boke chattered on, "we got to use the hotel dining room for the hops. It's a floor a good deal like this floor is tonight—just about oily enough, and as nice a floor as I ever danced on. We have awf'ly good times up at the lake. 'Course there aren't so many Men up there like there are here tonight, and I must say I am glad to get a chance to dance with a Man again! I told you you'd dance all right once we got started, and look at the way it's turned out! Our steps just suit exactly! If I must say it, I could scarcely think of anybody I ever met I'd rather dance with. When anybody's step suits in with mine that way, why, I love to dance straight through an evening with one person, the way we're doing."

"Yes," William reflected, "it had to be me!" With all the crowd to choose from, Mrs. Parcher had to go and pick on him! All, all the others went about free as air, flitting from girl to girl—girls that danced like girls! All, all except William danced with Miss Pratt

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Morning train, north bound—11.57 "

Afternoon train, south bound—4.06 p. m.

Train, north bound—9.25 p. m

TOWN AND DISTRICT NEWS

Eight local pages.

✣

Mr. Herb South of Winnipeg is visiting his father, Mr. J. W. South at Otter Creek.

✣

Gnr. Hopkins of Chesley who went Overseas with the 160th has been reported wounded on June 5th.

✣

Principal Aylesworth of Port Elgin public school has accepted the position of principal of Lindsay Central school at a salary of $1200 with increases each year.

✣

The hay crop will be a banner one on some front lawns in town, as well as on the street curbs. The rainfall has been heavy, and grasscutters get weary.

✣

Rev. Thos. Wilson conducted Preparatory services in Guthrie Presbyterian Church, Harriston, on Friday last and occupied the pulpit of the Chesley Presbyterian Church on Sunday.

✣

The Yankee officer, who was the first to slap King George on the back just as he would a friend on the street while chatting with him, will be proud of his exploit. And the King it is said took the familiarity good naturedly. One of these days some Yankee Sammy will be borrowing a match to light his fag. After the war the King will be as democratic as the average New York politician.

✣

It is now considered unlikely that any of the 61,000 nineteen-year-old Canadians who have registered for military service will be called to the colors before September or October. It is thought that seventy-five per cent. of those registered will be in Category A physically, that means fit for overseas service. Up to date 71,000 men of other ages have reported or been ordered to report under the Military Service Act.

✣

When the Kaiser started the war in August, 1914, he had an army of 2,800,000 in actual operation. One year later his army had grown to 4,800,000. By August, 1916, the German Army numbered 6,800,000. That was high water mark. In August 1917, the approximate size of the German Army was 6,000,000, and now it is about 700,000 fewer than that. The German Government stopped publishing its casualty lists last June, at which time the dead numbered 1,105,760, prisoners and missing 591,966, and the wounded 2,825,581—a total of 4,523,307. The total is much greater now.

✣

Memorial Service Held.

A memorial service was held in the Presbyterian church Mildmay on Sunday last for the late Corp. "Teddy" Kidd, a graduate of the Walkerton High School who was killed at Lens on June 8th 1917. The services were conducted by Rev. R. Perdue assisted by Rev. Mr. Patterson.

✣

Waste Paper For Fuel

Waste paper is being used as fuel by some women who devise every way possible to cut down their coal bills. They take old newspapers, wrapping paper, cardboard, or any other old waste paper, and tear it up into small pieces and place in a watertight receptacle. Boiling water is then poured over it, and it is left until the mass becomes soft, usually taking about twelve hours. This mass is then made into little balls about four inches in diameter, which are set into the sun to dry, or may be dried in an oven. When thoroughly dry, these balls are ready for use. They catch fire quickly and burn slowly, and have been found a very satisfactory substitute for coal.

✣

Motorists Have Right of Way

The Municipal World gives particulars of a case of interest to owners of automobiles. It says a horse-drawn vehicle must turn to the right of a beaten path or roadway and permit a motor car coming from behind to pass. Failure to do so makes the driver of the former vehicle guilty of negligence in the opinion of a jury composed largely of farmers at Woodstock. This verdict was reached after a trial lasting three days. Miss Florence Reid filed suit against Lant Stevens, asking $5,000 damages for personal injuries received in a runaway, caused, as she averred, when Stevens drove his car into her buggy when she ignored the repeated signals to turn out and give part of the road. As Stevens drove past the buggy the car collided with the wheels of the former vehicle, the crash frightening the horse, which ran away, throwing the occupants of the buggy out. Mrs. Reid received injuries which she claims are permanent. After a hard fought trial the jury decided in favor of the defendant, claiming that the plaintiff was negligent in not surrendering one-half of the road. The decision establishes an important precedent, and one that will be of interest to every driver whether of a motor car or a horse drawn vehicle.

While a man will indignantly deny that his wife supports him he will cheerfully admit that she holds him up every pay day.

✣

Henry McDonald, of Providence, was sentenced to six months under the anti-loafing law. He had done nothing but fish for a month.

✣

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Elliot returned on Saturday from Toronto where Mr. Elliot had been attending the Annual Convention of Children's Aid Inspectors.

✣

Pastures generally are luxuriant. Cattle, horses and sheep are thriving lambs are doing well. Some farmers are buying sheep; the sheep industry of late so much neglected is picking up again and is becoming more and more important. Chicken-raising is on the wane owing principally to high price of grain.

✣

An officer in khaki, just back from France, walked into a London restaurant. After glancing over the bill of fare he looked around the room for a waiter. "Yes, sir," said the waiter, sidling over in response to his call, with a glass of water and a napkin. "Tell me, waiter," said the officer, "have you got frogs' legs?" "No, sir," was the rather unexpected answer, "it is rheumatism that makes me walk like this."

✣

The season has arrived when babies begin to drink fly poison and roll in sticky fly paper, in intervals of falling into carelessly placed tubs of water. Families with babies have no business using fly poison. Little legs are active, little hands reach for everything and little mouths think the world was made to taste. Fly traps and sticky paper are safe, and they will do as much as poison in eradicating flies. The baby who knocks down a fly trap does no damage, if he experiments with the sticky paper he is only fit for the bath tub. But the baby who drinks fly poison seldom lives to profit by the experience.

✣

Some complaint has come regarding the giving of half the road in case of an automobile coming up behind a team. The parties claim that when they come up behind a fellow with a team he stubbornly refuses to give any of the road, no matter if there is plenty of room to turn out. Now the law recognizes the right of both the man with the team and the man with the auto and these rights should be respected. There are plenty of men who are running autos who should be driving oxen and vice versa, but all men should not be treated that way. The law says that when a man is over-taken by a faster vehicle, the man driving the slower vehicle shall turn out and give half the beaten path.

✣

10 Per Cent Profit

The Canada Food Board has passed an order which is expected definitely to prevent speculation in the produce business and to limit profits to a reasonable margin over cost. The order provides that on and after July 1st no person dealing wholesale in meats, lard, cheese, butter, oleomargarine or eggs, in selling to a retail dealer or others not wholesale dealers, shall charge on each transaction more than 10 per centum over his cost price delivered to warehouse. When salaried men are employed in buying, or when commission is paid, the charge for such in computing shall not exceed the recognized charge for buying or the customary commission paid.

✣

Five Perish in Fire

Five occupants of the home of Mr. Richard Lyons, Euphrasia township in the remote part of Grey County lost their lives in a fire which destroyed his residence at an early hour on Saturday morning. The dead are: Mr. Lyons, his wife, their 8-year-old son, Lawrence Miss Effie Neeley, a farmerette student at Markdale High School, and Auldon MacLaughlin, a 4-year-old boy from Owen Sound. The origin of the fire is a mystery but it is thought that sparks from a stove pipe running through the roof of a rear shed, fairly close to the main building, ignited the end of the house, which was of frame construction and that the occupants were suffocated with smoke before they could make their escape. The fire was noticed by neighbors but before they reached the scene the buildings were a mass of flames. The bodies of four of the victims were found together in a heap. By the position of the bodies when found it would appear as if they had gone down the stairs, where there was a small landing at the bottom, with the door opening and that, with one or two probably fallen suffocated the others were unable to open the door and perished within a few inches of safety. An inquest was ordered by the assistant coroner at Markdale and a jury was empanelled on Saturday and after viewing the remains the inquest was adjourned for a week.

Miss Mildred Bell of Toronto is visiting at her home here.

✣

Tis said that everything comes to him who waits, but you don't find a hustler waiting.

✣

We've got now so we don't care when the coalman drives over the lawn. How times have changed!

✣

One satisfaction about so much rain is that we don't have to hurry home to water the garden every night.

✣

Miss Cappie Spence returned to her home in Southampton on Thursday last after having spent a few days with Miss Pauline Clapp and other friends here.

✣

Perth County Council urges that supplies of seed wheat be conserved, and so distributed by the Federal and Provincial Governments as to secure a good supply for the 1919 season; and that $2.50 per bushel be the maximum selling price.

✣

Another Victory Loan will be launched before the end of the year according to the despatches, but for what amount is not yet stated. The success of the last is a guarantee that any further assistance the Canadian people can give, in the way of finances, will be forthcoming as spontaneously as in the previous calls. The people recognize that the security of the Dominion offers the best investment for surplus funds besides recognizing support of war loans as an act of Canadian patriotism.

✣

Eliza a Winner

The Walkerton Amateur Dramatic Club presented the laughable comedy, "Eliza Comes to Stay," to a crowded house here on Thursday, June 6th. The audience were delighted with the play if one is to judge from the applause given. It may be truly said that the applause was earned, for the entire cast was good and the piece presented in a manner that stamped the performers above the average amateurs. The heavy end of the piece fell upon Mr. W. H. McBurney, as Hon. Sandy Verrail, and Miss Florence Cunningham, as Dorothy. His work throughout was of a finished and artistic character showing that he had a splendid conception of the part. Miss Cunningham had a dual part, first appearing as an uneducated hoyden, and in the second part as a refined, educated young lady. It was a difficult role, but was assumed with exceptional cleverness. Her work throughout won rounds of applause. Mr. J. H. Ranesbottom, as Alexander Stoop Verrail, essayed his part in a pleasing and finished manner. Mr. W. A. Burrows, as Montague Jordan, was exceptionally good in the various scenes. Mr. D. J. Krampa, as Herbert, a valet, did his part well. Miss Daisy Benton, as Lady Pennybroke, had a good part which she sustained capitally. Miss Eleanor Gregg, as Miss Vera Laurence, and Miss Marion Robertson, as Mrs. Allaway, also played their parts exceptionally well. The company is admirably balanced and their work refined and enjoyable.—Kincardine Reporter.

✣

Want Sermons Shorter.

With a view to making church services more attractive to children and the man on the street, the Laymen's Association of Toronto Methodist Conference has adopted a list of recommendations regarding the method of conducting services, prepared and presented by a special committee appointed to investigate and report on the matter. The report was presented by T. W. Duggen of Brampton, and it was recommended that the morning service should be so varied and arranged that it should be attractive to the whole family, but a considerable portion should by the nature of the prayers, hymns and address be rendered peculiarly appropriate to children, and thereby the work of the Sunday School would be supplemented. It was desired also that the evening service should not continue more than one hour. It should be of an evangelistic nature and brightened by fervent prayer and addresses on living issues of right and wrong. The programme of the service should be so arranged that the congregation might take a more active part; this to be accomplished by repeating the Lord's Prayer in unison, by responsive reading, by the singing of extra hymns or by the introduction of a special gospel song service. There should be consultation among the minister, choir-leader and officers of the church, in order to discover methods of making meetings more attractive, and it was further recommended that five minutes be devoted to social converse after dismissal. The report met with the approval of the meeting and after a lengthy discussion, was adopted. Several members desired that a limit of one hour should be set on the morning service, but the association finally decided that it would be sufficient to curb the loquacity of the Minister once in the day only.

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NEWS ABOUT TOWN

When starvation looks some fellows in the face it must get frightened.

✣

Galt's Mayor and aldermen slept in the fire hall during a strike of the firemen.

✣

Increasing the tax to $3 and $5 has resulted in a large reduction in the number of Orangeville's dogs.

✣

They're making explosives out of Swiss cheese. Many a man has exploded over the smell of Limburger.

✣

Farewell, oh luscious rhubarb pie,
From you we now must part:
We cannot put a fortnight's sugar
All in a single tart.

✣

H. Rieves, Kitchener, 60-years-old, convicted of indecent assault against a young girl, was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary and ten lashes.

✣

Peter McArthur writes that the most experienced farmers of his acquaintance say they never before have known a spring with such perfect growing weather.

✣

This botulism, the new disease contracted from eating home canned fruit and vegetables sounds like an antidote for promaine poisoning discovered by the cannery proprietors.

✣

There'll be one thing to be thankful for in the new import restrictions. Some women won't be able to cast the perfume of their presence for about three blocks around them.

✣

Crops all through Western Canada the past week made astounding progress and indications look good for the right kind of weather. Rain is needed in some parts of Alberta.

✣

Down in Windsor lightning fractured a woman's jaw. The next day during a thunderstorm a man took his wife to the spot. But it wasn't any use. Lightning doesn't strike twice in in the same place.

✣

"Girls are wanted," so the ad read, "for candling eggs." This is the nature of light employment. Girls ought to be peculiarly well adapted for the job. If there is a bad egg in the community, some girl is pretty sure to get hold of him.

✣

Mr. Gordon Young, Principal of Normal Public School and little son, Les, spent the week-end with the former's parents Mr. and Mrs. H Young of Cargill. His younger brother, Alex, left this week to don the khaki for Overseas.

✣

Small Crop of Peaches

Only a 25 per cent crop of peaches is the general verdict, of the peachgrowers in the Niagara district, and they say the same applies all over the Niagara Peninsula, according to a careful canvass of growers made by a Niagara paper.

A woman can keep her age better than she can anything else that's told her.

✣

What a good thing it would be if flies would pull up dandelions and dandelions would poison flies.

✣

A market report says that the market is depressed by action of canners. Somebody jingled them and then didn't buy, we presume.

✣

The "Almighty Dollar" is no longer the potentate of other days. A dollar doesn't get much of anywhere nowadays without a partner.

✣

Conscientious objectors in Texas are paying a big price for their views. Forty-five were sentenced there to 2 years imprisonment. That state deems their crime a heinous offence.

✣

Chas. Ramage, pulisher of the Durham Review, will be recommended for knighthood by the Food Board because he is raising two pigs. Sir Chas. Ramage sounds quite euphonious.—Chesley Enterprise.

✣

There isn't a fruit in the world that has had so many jokes made about it as the good old reliable prune. But a few years ago Luther Burbank took it in hand, and now the best California prunes, plain or stuffed with nuts, are reckoned among the aristocrats of dessert dishes.

✣

A Crime To Waste.

A Leamington company has been fined a hundred dollars and costs on a charge of wilfully permitting the waste of a quantity of onions. On behalf of the company, it was contended that the onions were a drug on the market, so that the company could not sell them and could scarcely give them away.

✣

Press Men Meet

Three hundred Canadian newspaper publishers gathered at Toronto last week for the 60th. Annual meeting of the Canadian Press Association. Every province in the Dominion was represented, many of the delegates coming from two to three thousand miles. Lorne A. Eedy was elected vice-President of the Ontario and Quebec Division, and a member of the Advertising Committee.

✣

Coons—McCarter

A quiet, but pretty, wedding took place Monday, June 3, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert McCarter, 740 Sixth steet Saskatoon, when their only daughter, Laura Mabel, became the bride of Mr. Robert Earl Coons, of Moose Jaw, Rev. Endicott officiating. Only the immediate relatives were present. The bride looked charming in her travelling costume of sand-colored silk. Mr. and Mrs. Coons left for a trip to the coast, where they will remain for a few weeks before returning to Moose Jaw, where they will make their future home. The groom's gift to the bride was a gold wrist watch.

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FORM II. TO FORM III.

Those taking only matriculation—Stewart Richenbach, Lorne Hergott, Norman Shaw, Chas. McNab, Ed. Ramsey.

The last two are required to take an additional test in French at the opening of the term.

Died At Minneapolis

The death was reported last week of Rev. George A. Ray, Church of England minister at Minneapolis. He was a Bruce County boy and a nephew of High Constable Briggs. As a young chap he was G. T. R. station agent at Cargill.

Gets Good Appointment

Mr. W. I. Chisholm B. A., formerly Inspector of Public Schools for South Bruce, has received an important appointment from the new Minister of Education. Mr. Chisholm is to be inspector of Public and Separate Schools for Ontario at a salary of $3,500. Since leaving Walkerton, Mr. Chisholm has been a member of the staff of Peterboro Normal School.

Wins Western Bride

Albert Smith, a former Walkerton young man, was recently married in the West. The name of his bride who was formerly a Y. W. C. A. Secretary has not yet been heard by friends here. Albert is the son of Mr. David Smith, formerly Dom. Express Agent here. He enlisted in the Royal Flying Corps a year or so ago but on arriving in England was rejected as being physically unfit. Since returning home he has located in the West.

Home From Front

Wilfrid Hornback, a young soldier from this section who has done his bit at the Front, arrived home from England on Tuesday night. He saw two years of service Overseas and was seriously wounded, losing one of his feet. Wilfrid was raised out in Greenock at the home of Mr. George Fisk and is now staying at Mr. Fisk's West Ward. While in England he was a patient of Nursing Sister Lizzie Rennie's at No 4 Can. Gen. Hospital at Basingstoke, Eng.

Removing To Toronto

Mrs. G. B. Brown and family left Wednesday morning to join Mr. Brown at Toronto where they will reside.

Mr. Gillespie Back

Mr. A. M. Gillespie, accountant of the Merchants Bank, who has been under military training at Toronto for some time, was reduced to Class C. on medical examination last week, and has returned to his duties at the Merchants Bank.

Appointed Vicar-General

His many Walkerton friends were glad to learn this week of the honor bestowed on Very Rev. J. T. Kelly, who was parish priest at Walkerton for sixteen years and highly thought of by all classes in the community. Father Kelly has been appointed the new Vicar-General of the Diocese of Hamilton and rector of St. Mary's Church, Hamilton. Since his transfer from Arthur a few years ago, Father Kelly has been rector of St. Patrick's, Hamilton. The new appointment will be effective on July 25th.

Deserters Broke Into Cottages

High Constable Briggs was at Sauble Beach last week investigating the complaint that one of the cottages had been broken into and flour, eatables, and furniture stolen. The impression prevails that the thieving was done by military evaders hiding in the woods. A heavy penalty is imposed for helping deserters in any way in giving them food and this makes the grub question a serious one for the fugitives from military service. The fact that some oars from the cottages are missing lead to the suspicion that some evaders have tried rowing across the lake to get away.

Clever Pair From City

Two men giving their names as Arnold and Brophey, circulation managers of the Canadian Home Journal, Toronto, brought a party of returned soldiers to Walkerton on Thursday last and hired four autos through George Bros. to canvass the surrounding country for subscriptions. They said they would need the cars several days but on Friday morning they "beat it" on the 7 a. m. G. T. R. train without settling for the car hire. The liverymen swore out a warrant for their arrest. Chief Ferguson telephoned to Palmerston and as a result the two men drove back from Palmerston around midnight Friday in company with the town Constable. Magistrate Tolton obligingly heard their case at once and let them away after paying their bill for auto hire in full with a nice bill of costs added. Although their wads were considerably reduced they gained experience which should prove valuable hereafter in dealing with "rubes" up in this "neck of the woods". It is reported that they did very little business with the farmers round here, the country people being thoroughly suspicious of strange subscription agents from past experience.

NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Mr. H. G. Hunter was in Toronto last week.

Girls wanted to learn tailoring. S. A. Rife & Co.

A new stock of stationery at Brandon's, Hanover.

Dr and Mrs. Fred Hughes are visiting at Mr. C. A. Fox's.

Mrs. Grant of Paisley visited at Mr. Frank Rennie's on Sunday.

Mrs A. W. Robb of Toronto has been visiting old friends in town.

Mrs. John Shortt of Pensacola, Fla. is visiting her mother, Mrs. Wisser.

Rev M. F. Cree of Allanton will preach at Knox Church next Sunday.

Five rinks of bowlers are motoring to Cargill for a game Wednesday night.

Miss Greta Leech returned on Saturday from a week's visit in Owen Sound.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rome of Teeswater Sundayed at the home of Mr. Alex Grant.

Stamped Linens and all kinds of fancy work at Brandon's, Hanover. See his line

Sergt. Ted Wilhelm left for London on Monday where he will report at the Military Hospital.

Misses Margaret and Anna Pletsch of Calgary are on an extended visit to their home here.

The Women's Institute will meet at the home of Mrs. John Whitehead on Thursday July 4th.

One only Phonola Talking Machine for sale at half price. Brandon's Music Store, Hanover.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Damm spent Sunday with the former's father, Mr. John Damm, Chesley.

Miss Mae Cryderman B. A. is one of the examiners of the Departmental Exams at Toronto this month.

Master Wm. Damm of the Deaf and Dumb Institute, Belleville, arrived home last week for his holidays.

Get a neat case to carry your registration certificate at Sandy McCarter's. All qualities from 50c. to $3.25.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Thomas and daughter, Irene, of Grimsby, are on an extended visit to Mrs. Thomas' mother, Mrs. Carn.

Mr. Walter Birrel, chemist of Toronto University, is visiting at the home of his father, Mr. Thomas Birrel of Pinkerton.

Mrs. Dan Connor, Mrs. Peter Scanlon and Misses Annie and Nellie Scanlon and Mr. P. J. Scanlon motored to St. Augustine on Sunday.

Miss Maud Wilkes, who has been visiting with Mrs. R. McBurney the past week left on Monday to visit her sister, Mrs. (Judge) Barrett at Southampton.

Of course, you won't miss Port Elgin's Dominion Day celebration. Big program of races. Concert at night. Come to the lake town for Monday, July 1st.

Second hand stump pullers, one hand power, and one horse power. These machines have been slightly used but are as good as new. Both machines have given every satisfaction.—E. O. Manchee, 121 Bay St. Toronto.

Eight local pages.

Dominion Day Monday.

Departmental exams are on.

Garden tools at Sandy McCarter's.

Screen Doors and Windows at S. W. Vogan's.

Buy your Binder Twine early at S. W. Vogan's.

Mrs. Thos. Kenny is visiting friends at Collingwood.

Send your order for music to Brandon's, Hanover.

Dominion Nobby Tread Tires at $23.00 at S. W. Vogan's.

High School closed for the summer vacation on Monday.

Pure Paris Green and Arsenate of Lead at S. W. Vogan's.

Miss Fraser went to Stayner yesterday on a visit to her sister,

Mr. Frank Antonio bought a large Ton Ford Truck on Saturday.

Mr. Rhod and Miss Mary Clancy motored to Ayton on Sunday.

Judge Frank Wade of Cleveland, O., is visiting old friends in town.

Mr. Charles Raymond of Teeswater was here on business on Monday.

Mrs. Arthur Burke of Toronto spent Sunday with Mrs. Vanderburg here.

Mr. Clark K. C., of Mount Forest was in town on legal business Tuesday.

Mrs. E. H. Sheffield, who has been poorly for several weeks, is reported to be very low.

Mrs. John O'Malley left on Saturday for Buffalo where she will visit at her old home there.

Miss Annie Crawford of the Bell Tel Staff, spent the week-end at Mr. Arch. McCannell's Guelph.

Sergt. Richard Kelly of London spent a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Kelly.

Mr. Clarence Oberle, formerly of the Merchants Bank here, left on Monday to report at London.

It will pay you to call at Brandon's, Hanover, for your Writing Paper. He has an up-to-date stock.

Mr. Wm. O'Malley of Buffalo leaves on Tuesday for Camp Upton, where he will report for Military Service.

Dr. Murray, chiropractor, intends going to Hamilton for a few days on Saturday returning Wednesday morning.

Miss Myrtle Donnelly of Loretto Academy, Toronto is home on her holidays with Senator and Mrs. J. J. Donnelly, Pinkerton.

Pte. Dave Monk, of London, is on a visit to his mother, Mrs. A. Monk, prior to leaving for Halifax in the course of a week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Phillips and family of Eden Grove lea e the coming week to spend a few weeks at Moira Lake, near Belleville.

Mr. H. W. Elliot children's Aid Inspector moved this week into Mr. Hibbert's house, West Ward, which he has rented furnished.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Scott and family of Teeswater motored here on Sunday and visited the latter's parents Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Grant.

Messrs. Charles H. Nelson and Robert Church of Toronto motored here on Saturday and spent a few days at the home of Mr. Joseph Lindsay.

Miss Sutherland, Supt. of the Bruce County Hospital, motored to Bradford on Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Ryan of Paisley and returned on Sunday.

Pedwell vs. McCormick, an interpleadery case arising out of the seize of hay in Eastnor Township, will be up for trial at the County Court to-day.

Remember the Garden Party under the auspices of the Tea Room girls, Friday the 28th. on the armoury grounds. Hanover Band in attendance. Parade of decorated cars and floats at 7.30.

Mr. Tory Gibson had the misfortune to lose a very valuable cow on Sunday. The animal which was in a field broke through the flume and received injuries which resulted in its death.

The local First Aid Class met at the Hospital Tuesday night when they were given practice in making and changing of beds under the instruction of the Supt., Miss Sutherland.

Have your supper at the Armoury Grounds Friday night. Menu: Beans or salad with bread and butter, sandwiches, cake, coffee or tea, ice cream or strawberries, 25 cents. Extra helping 5 cents Admission to grounds in evening 10 cents. Those coming for supper will be admitted free in evening. Supper 5.30 to 7

Reception To-Night

A public reception will be tendered to Corp. Wilfrid McKay and Cadet Oscar Schwindt at the Town Hall at 9 o'clock to night. Note the hour

Going Overseas

Cadet Oscar Schwindt of the Royal Air Service, Long Branch, was home the past week spending last leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. S. Schwindt. Oscar was one out of a hundred aviators picked to go Overseas at once.

It's Col. Roy Robertson

Major Roy Robertson D. S. O., son of Mr. and Mrs. David Robertson has again won promotion at the Front. Roy has been in command of No. 9 Field Company Engineers, and has now been advanced to the command of a battalion of Engineers. This will mean a promotion to the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel.

After Local Fish Dealers

The Canada Food Board is reported to be investigating the price of fish at Walkerton. The local dealers are selling Southampton fish here at 20 cents a lb. As Toronto and Hamilton are reported to be handling this same fish at 15 cents a lb., it is likely that the local dealers will have to walk the carpet. It looks as if fish were due for a sudden drop at Walkerton.

Garden Party.

A Garden party under the auspices of the Walkerton Branch, South Bruce Womens' Inst. will be held at Mr. B. J. Waechter's on Wednesday July 10th. Proceeds to be divided between patriotic work and aid to the local Hospital, a good program, including the Paisley Orchestra, will be provided. Come and enjoy yourself. Admission 25 cents and 10 cents.

Saw Hydro Officials

Mayor Johnston and Coun. Lippert who paid a visit to Toronto last to see the hydro people, are not talking for publication but express themselves as pleased with their visit. They are satisfied that the Hydro Commission is planning to look after Walkerton. The Mayor and Fire and Light Committee are meeting the President of the local power company this week to arrange for a temporary continuance of the street-lighting service.

Snow In June

The Month of June topped off the record of being the coldest in years by snowing on Friday night. Yes, we have it on the word of a prominent citizen who is noted for his veracity. He was driving home from the country Friday night about eleven o'clock and distinctly noted a slight flurry of snow, not enough to be noticeable on the ground but he could feel it blowing against his face as he drove along. How's that for June 21st? (Our informant assures us solemnly that he hasn't taken a drink in years.)

30 Days More

Although Saturday, June 22, was the day officially designated by the Canada registration board for all persons over sixteen years of age throughout the Dominion to register, a further opportunity to fill in their card, and secure a registration certificate will be given those who were unable to register on the date set. For the next thirty days, at all postoffices in Canada, registrations will be received, and persons who have a good reason for failing to register shall not be deemed to have broken the regulations during that period if they cannot produce their certificate.

Housebreaker Caught

Frank Ryan, an eighteen year old chap, was brought down from Park Head by Constable Ward, on Saturday, charged with breaking into a house and stealing $25 and a gold ring. Ryan, whose home is in Toronto, was visiting friends at Park Head and entered a boarding house there while the people were out, stealing the above mentioned articles from the room of a young lady school-teacher. Constable Ward followed him to Owen Sound and arrested him. Ryan pleaded guilty and was remanded until the 27th inst. for sentence. He recently served a term at the Industrial School, Mimico.

Deaths At House of Refuge

Mr. Thomas Taylor, an inmate of the House of Refuge, passed away on Sunday, old age being the cause of his demise. He was formerly a resident of Brant Township. The remains were given decent burial in Walkerton Cemetery, the expenses being defrayed by his nephew. Another death occurred on Monday afternoon when James McKay, suddenly expired while sitting on a bench in the yard along with some other inmates. He was 86 years of age and a bachelor. A brother living in Brantford came up and made the funeral arrangements, the remains being interred in Walkerton Cemetery on Tuesday.

WILFRID McKAY HOME

Walkerton Boy who was In Big Somme Offensive and At Vimy Ridge Now Invalided To Canada.

Another of Walkerton's hergic boys who have done their part so well on the firing line, arrived home last week in the person of Lance-Corp. Wilfrid McKay, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl McKay. It was known that Wilfrid had landed but it was not learned what train he was coming on and he slipped in quietly on the Friday morning train giving the family a nice surprise.

It was near Lens on May 11th, 1917, that Wilfrid received the wounds that have confined him to hospitals nearly ever since that time. He received a nasty shrapnel wound in the arm and another in the face. Both wounds have completely recovered but nervous trouble in his left leg has completely deprived him of the services of that limb for the present at least, and he gets around with the use of crutches. On July 4th he will report at Whitby Convalescent Hospital, where it is hoped that medical treatment may restore to him the use of the limb.

Wilfrid was one of the large contingent from Walkerton in the 72st Batt'n. He was 18 years of age when he left the employ of G. T. Rourke to enlist. On the breaking up of the 71st in England, he went to France with the 50th Canadian Battalion, a Calgary unit. He was nearly a year in France and was in the thick of some of the desperate battles including the big Somme Offensive and Vimy Ridge where the Canadians won imperishable fame.

On May 11th of last year, he with a chum, were in the act of assisting a shell-shocked soldier on the front line when a shell burst near them. Both he and his chum were hit, the latter in the hip, but the one they were helping escaped injury. Wilfrid was taken to England and spent months in military hospitals at Edinburgh, Buxton, and Epsom. While convalescing he spent a day at Witley Camp some months ago enjoyed seeing many of his old Walkerton pals.

Wilfrid says that the greatest confidence in the outcome of the war is felt in England. And at the very time the line was retiring during the recent big German drive, there was greater confidence than there had been in a year. Conditions have improved in England and the people have confidence in the present military and political leaders.

Wanted

A good general servant. Good wages. Apply to Miss Deacon at the Children's Shelter.

Exemption Cancelled

The exemption from military service of Talbert Boss of Walkerton, and M. Erb of Formosa has been cancelled by the local tribunal. These cases were heard on June 12th.

$250 Raised

The total receipts from the Children's Aid Canvass of the town on Monday will amount about the above figures. $250 is already in the hands of the Treasurer, Mr. W. A. Burrows.

Will Open Saturday

The painters and paper-hangers are almost through at the photo studio and they have made a good job of it. Mr. Donoahue now has a nice, bright, inviting stand and he will now be ready to serve the public. He announces Saturday as opening day.

Fire Brigade Reorganized

What the Ontario Fire Underwriters Inspector thinks about Walkerton's system of fire protection after his visit here Monday morning, wouldn't be fit to publish in any paper. He certainly caught the brigade here when they were not looking. Chief Alex George's resignation was received at the last meeting of the Council. The firemen were asked to name a man for Chief but declined to do so. The Council then appointed Wm. Yeates Chief, but we understand Mr. Yeates claims he did not know of his appointment. At any rate when the alarm bell sounded for inspection on Monday morning there was a poor response to the call. Only four firemen were early on the scene. With the prospect of insurance rates going skyward in Walkerton Mayor Johnston summoned a special meeting of the Council Tuesday night to arrange for the reorganization of the brigade. Mr. A. McCartney was appointed Chief at a salary of $50 a year and was asked to go ahead and choose 10 men to work with him at $20 a year a piece. In the past the chief has received a salary of $25 and the members their time at fires.

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WELCOMED HEROES HOME

Citizens Gathered at Town Hall on Thursday Night To Do Honor To Two Walkerton Boys Home From "Over There"

Probably no returned heroes that have come back to the home town have been more in the thick of it, on Land and Sea, than the two boys who received their welcome home by the people of Walkerton on Thursday night at the Town Hall.

Surgeon Wilbur Cryderman was at Salonika through the trying campaigns of 1915—1916, and after a severe illness with cholera which nearly finished him, he managed to get in shape for a new set of experiences. His new work was that of Surgeon on board His Majesty's destroyers in the Mediterranean. The Mediterranean has been the hottest spot on earth for anything that floats and Surgeon Cryderman could no doubt have told a few thrillers about the way against the U boats had he cared to do so. Probably he is the first Walkertonian since Admiral Kingsmill, to have the honor of receiving a Commission in the Royal Navy. His work was such as to win the high commendation of his officers, and his record is certainly one to be proud of.

Surgeon Cryderman, who is recuperating from the effects of his illness, and has to avoid activity or excitement for the present, spoke briefly but to the point. While over there, he said, he had spent most of his time on and about the Mediterranean and had visited most of the countries that border on that Sea. In visiting those countries, the thought that struck him was: Do we Canadians appreciate the fine country we live in? Those countries were alright to visit, but if the boys who are serving over there, could suddenly be dropped into Canada, they would think they were in Heaven. The message he brought from the boys Overseas was one of good cheer. Over there nobody was down-hearted in the least and the confidence of the British people has not lessened but increased. Everything in England is in better shape than a year ago. There is not the same shortage of food. People have more confidence in the outcome. After leaving Salonika most of his time was spent on British destroyers in the Mediterranean and west from the Mediterranean. The work of the destroyers was interesting and perhaps most important of all in winning the war by clearing the seas of the U-boats. As for the Navy, the men are confident and are not the least doubtful as to what will happen to the enemy next time he comes out.

Sergt. Ted. Wilhelm, who came through some of the biggest "shows" on the West Front and had his arm seriously wounded at Passchendaele on Oct. 26th last, proved quite at home on the platform and made a neat little speech. It certainly felt good to him to be home again. He had been well-treated when away and never once had he been sorry he enlisted. He appreciated the good things sent him by the Women's organizations and the Catholic ladies and he wished to thank them. It was certainly great the work the women are doing to help win the war. In England, he said, the soldiers were treated fine, especially, he said with a smile, by the girls. At Liverpool the wounded soldiers were showered with invitations every day for motor drives and all sorts of entertainment. Ted said that if his arm got well and strong again, and he hoped it would, he was going back to take "another crack at the Hun."

Both boys were presented by Rev. R. Perdue, sec. of the Preparedness League with an address of welcome and a gold piece.

Mayor Johnston, who presided as chairman, made a few appropriate remarks. Solos were contributed by Miss Dippel, Rev. Mr. Storey, and a piano solo by Miss Flossie Cosens.

The scroll presented to the two boys which was nicely gotten up bore the heading "For King and Empire" and read as follows:—Certificate of Honor presented to (Surgeon Wilbur Cryderman R. N., Sergt. Ted Wilhelm) by the Preparedness League of the Town of Walkerton in grateful recognition of services rendered to Canada and the Empire by participation in the struggle for freedom and justice as a member of Canada's Expeditionary Forces. Signed and Sealed this 20th. day of June, 1918. A. P. Johnston Mayor, John Rowland Pres., R. Perdue Sec. Treas.

A new illuminated motto has made its appearance in the office of the chairman of the shipping board. It read: Noah was 600 years old before he knew how now to build an ark. Don't loose your grip.

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At the wedding reception a young wife remarked: "Wasn't it annoying the way that Nelson baby cried during the whole ceremony?" "It was simply dreadful," replied the prim little maid of honor, "and when I get married I'm going to have engraved right in the corner of the invitations 'no babies expected.'"

POTATOES AND PATRIOTISM

The potato is a great patriot. It has helped to save nations. Let it help to win the war by releasing other essential foods for export.

Potatoes and other starchy vegetables can save wheat. Use them in bread making.

One medium-sized potato gives you as much starch as two slices of bread.

Potatoes give you the salts you need to build and renew all parts of the body.

Savory stews provide an excellent means of using carrots, onions, turnips and potatoes.

Vegetables are invaluable for growing children. Adults must have vegetables to make up the wastage caused by work.

Potatoes at home make more wheat for the allied armies; it is your fight.

Doctors say that the tired-out feeling—spring fever—often comes from lack of fruits and vegetables.

Use perishable Canadian products; in short, use vegetables.

Increase in our consumption of vegetables means an increase in the export of wheat.

To aid in feeding the soldiers overseas eat more cereals, fish, potatoes and vegetables. It's patriotic.

Share your meat with the men at the front by using potatoes, carrots, onions and turnips.

To send the most food possible in the least shipping space, grow and eat bulky vegetables at home in Canada.

TRAGEDY OF ERRORS

The Fire Marshall of the State of Wisconsin has issued a bulletin which he terms a "Comedy of Errors." It should have been called a tragedy. It says:

He looked for a gas leak with a match and found it.

He lighted a match to see if his gasoline tank was empty. It was not.

He smoked while filling his auto tank but will do so no more.

He smoked in bed, so did the bed clothes.

He threw the matches into the waste paper basket. He is wiser now.

He threw a cigarette stub into some rubbish.

He saved his oily waste and oily rags and they burned his shop.

He washed his hands in gasoline near the stove. The doctor washes them now.

He did not worry about fires as he had "plenty of insurance," and forgot the safety of his wife and children upstairs.

He stuffed up the chimney holes with paper and rags.

She cleaned her gloves with gasoline and saved fifteen cents, but paid the doctor and druggist fifteen dollars.

She poured kerosene into the lamp while the wick was burning.

She put gasoline into the wash boiler on the stove to make washing easier.

She dried clothes too near the stove.

She used the wrong oil can.

She burned sulphur all over the house to fumigate.

She used the woodbox back of the range as a waste paper receptacle.

She gave matches to her children to go out and burn leaves in the yard. The cotton dresses burned easier than the leaves.

She was "coming right back," so left the electric current on in her iron.

She swung the gas bracket too close to the curtains.

She fixed up a fine tissue paper shade for the lamp.

She filled the tank of her gasoline stove while one burner was going.

The comedies have turned to tragedies; many of the scenes of action were in ashes and too many of the actors are maimed or asleep; others will follow, no doubt, as they are prone to ignore the advice and experience of others instead of profiting by their errors and sufferings.

POLICE AFTER THE RESTFUL

The round up of the gentlemen of rest between the tender ages of 16 and 60 has begun. It made a good start yesterday, and if the persistent pace set keeps up when the fields take on their verdage of summer there won't be a loafer in Fordwich to lie on his back on the banks of the Maitland and think what a lovely old world this is for a loaf. Everybody's got to go to work.

Plainclothesmen Rogers and Sutherland corralled four alleged offenders under the new order-in-Council yesterday. Jas. Beswitherick, Harry Cook, Wm. Gibson and Jos. Davidson. They all had excuses.

Beswitherick was discharged from the army in 1917 and had been sick. This was to his credit and he was given till Monday to get busy.

Cook was found asleep in the public shed; hadn't worked for two weeks. He was Scotch, had been in Canada a whole six years and wasn't more than 50. He too, had tried to enlist, and was turned over to the military.

Gibson, an Irishman, told the magistrates he "didn't have to work," and what was more "he didn't have to come along." He, too, had been rejected for poor heart and flat feet. He gets till Tuesday to find a job.

Davidson gets a week's grace. He had been taking a holiday.

Two other worthies, Walter McMichael and Peter Doig, also came under the constable's vision. The former was warned to keep off Main street and the latter kindly advised that it would be as well for him to remain home on the farm. Others cases are likely to follow.—Fordwich Record.

IT'S ALL OF THAT

The chairman of the committee was addressing a meeting at a teachers' institute:

"My friends, the schoolwork is the bulhouse of civilization. I mean—ah—"

He began to feel frightened.

"The bulhouse is the schoolwork of civ—"

A smile could be felt.

"The workhouse is the bulschool of—"

He was evidently twisted.

"The bulschool is the housework—"

An audible snigger spread over the audience.

"The bulschool—"

He was getting wild. So were his hearers. He mopped his perspiration, gritted his teeth, and made a fresh start.

"The schoolhouse, my friends—"

A sigh went up. Hamlet was himself again.

He gazed serenely around. The light of triumphant self-confidence was enthroned upon his brow.

"Is the woolbark—"

And then he lost consciousness.

An old lady in Toronto, of 80 years, has just finished her 115th pair of socks since the war began. This has a lot of the younger girls beat a mile, the reason, perhaps, being that the younger girls are knitting for only one, while the aged ladies love all the boys, and knit for them indiscriminately. There may be a better record than the above right in Walkerton, or Bruce County.

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Must Carry Documents

Officials of the Military Service Council stated that the registration card was not sufficient for a man of Military age. He must carry other documents, as called for under the order of May 22, such as marriage license, passports, etc. It has been found very difficult in many cases called for under this order in Council. It has been decided to accept prima facie evidence as to a man's ineligibility or right to exemption if he cannot secure the proper documents.

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The Habit of Unhappiness

Every time you talk about your discomforts, you are helping to fix the habit of unhappiness. If you encourage yourself to be critical, you are doing the same thing. It is singular that when joy means so much to us, when happiness is a deep rooted longing in every heart, we should deliberately set ourselves to form the habits that are so fruitful a source of misery. The critical fault-finding people whose eyes are so keen to see flaws, and whose tongues are so given to complaint, are to make misery wherever they go. Be on your guard against forming the habit of unhappiness.

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Prime Minister Hughes,
From Heroic Australia,
Visits This Continent

THERE are few more interesting men in the world than the Right Honorable William M. Hughes, whose arrival at a Pacific port was announced during the last week of May. Docker, labor leader, politician in Australia; statesman and orator both in Australia and in the British Isles, Mr. Hughes received a welcome from the people of the United States as one who typifies in another commonwealth qualities of true modern democracy.

It is little more than two years ago now since Mr. Hughes passed across this continent on his way to England. He was then little known in London and far less in Ottawa or Washington. But in two brief months he had become a commanding figure in Brit-



PREMIER HUGHES.

ish politics and about him centred a movement to "ginger up" the war. His speeches attracted an attention which they deserved and at a critical time in the war had an influence which cannot be exaggerated. He literally took England by storm and scored a real success in France.

After his successful English visit the Prime Minister returned to Australia to engage in a fight for conscription, in which he was beaten. But despite his defeat he remained the leader of his country and the exponent of Australian determination to fight it out. A little man in physique, unmistakably familiar with hard work, a Welshman, like David Lloyd George; a dangerous opponent in debate, a good fighter, a democrat, William M. Hughes has earned a place in Allied council and in Allied affairs as one of the men who have helped to keep the fight going and to make the victory possible.

Before he left Australia two years ago he gave orders for the elimination of German influence from the great metal industries of Australia. "If they should ask me how it was to be done, before God I could not tell them," he once remarked, "but they know that I will find a way." This is "Billy" Hughes. He did find a way.

It is to be hoped now that there will be a chance for the Canadian people to hear his virile words and receive the information and encouragement which he brings from Australia. There are few men in the world living outside our own frontiers who more thoroughly understand or sympathize with Canadian ideas and Canadian ideals than Mr. Hughes. And he should be, therefore, a welcome and an honored guest in the Dominion.

The Sun's Heat.

Why is the air generally much colder a mile above the earth than near the ground? The heat of the atmosphere comes from the sun, but by a somewhat indirect process. The incoming sunbeams are only slightly absorbed by the dry air at high levels, and so have little effect on its temperature. In the lower regions of the atmosphere there is always a considerable amount of water vapor (water in the form of gas), and this substance has a relatively large capacity for absorbing heat from sunshine. Lastly, the earth absorbs all the heat that falls upon it, and then gives it back, by radiation or conduction, to the air above it. Thus the atmosphere is mainly heated from below and not from above. Air heated near the ground tends to rise, but it cools rapidly in rising. As it reaches higher levels the pressure upon it is less; it expands, pushing away the surrounding air, and it uses up in this work some of the energy that it originally possessed in the form of heat. This process is referred to by scientists as "adiabatic cooling."

This explains why the heat of summer often seems to come up from the ground rather than from the boiling sun above.—Popular Science Monthly.

Time's Changes.

"Times have changed," mused Broncho Bob. "Times have changed." "Crimson Gulch does seem less turbulent."

"No doubt about it. In the old days if a tenderfoot refused to take a drink with the boys, they'd shoot at him. Now if they catch one trying to bring a bottle into town with him, they have him arrested."

Paper Rugs.

Rugs are now being made entirely from fine tissue paper and mixtures of paper and wool. The tissue paper is twisted into thread and woven into a compact heavy mat or fabric.

NEWSY HAPPENINGS IN BRUCE

Eight local pages.

Rev. Jas. L. Foster is the new pastor at Salem Methodist Church, Culross.

There are probably 86,000 mental defectives in Canada, says a medical man. Many people will think this a low estimate.

Andrew Ditner, the Greenock cattleman, is having his house renovated and lawn fixed up. Mr. Ditner now has one of the finest properties in the township.

Russell Stacey, of Wiarton, who was wounded at Passchendaele arrived home from the Front last week. He lost the thumb and finger of the left hand.

Carrick campmeeting commences on Wednesday evening of this week. The grounds have been greatly improved since last year with new gravel driveways.

A Paisley autoist ran over a pig on the Elora road north of this village on Sunday afternoon, and damaged his car to a considerable extent.—Mildmay Gazette.

All school teachers must take an oath of allegiance. No teacher will hereafter be granted a permanent certificate, unless a British subject by birth or naturalization.

Pte. Roy Loney of Oxenden, who enlisted with the 160th Batt'n, has received a gunshot wound in his arm.

The Teeswater Council is arranging to purchase the electric light plant in that village from Walter Rose at $5000.

Pte. Lawrence Putnam, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Putnam, of Paisley, has been awarded the military medal for distinguished service and bravery on the field.

Mrs. B. B. Patten is teaching at P. S. S. No. 6, this week, in the place of Mr. W. F. Wendt, who has been drafted. Mr. Wendt is applying for exemption, but his case has not yet been decided.—Mildmay Gazette.

Mr. C. A. Janes, civil engineer of Petrolea, is laying out a big drainage system on several of the farms in the neighborhood of Ambleside. Considerable land is unworkable on account of poor drainage and it is hoped when this drainage work is completed it will all be reclaimed.

The Northern Summer School, under the auspices of Owen Sound, Wiarton, Walkerton, Mt. Forest and Palmerston Districts Epworth Leagues and Sunday Schools, will be held at Wiarton July 1st. to 7th. Rev. W. W. Prudham is president, and is, doubtless, using every effort to make it a success.

Priceville is without a physician, the first time in fifty years.

The village of Teeswater has made privision for a fuel supply for next winter by purchasing 36 acres of bush in Culross Tp., at a cost of $625.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Reddon of Teeswater were in town on Sunday. The former has not been in good health for some time and intends taking an extended trip to the West soon.—Mildmay Gazette.

A snappy response to a somewhat hackneyed question was given by a big Oregonian recruit in a training camp, as reported in Collier's. A civilian visitor asked him, "And are you willing to die for your country?" "I am not, I want to make some German die for his."

Micky Flanigan came home one day smiling. 'Ye got licked!' cried his mother with conviction. 'Naw, I didn't neither, maw," Micky retorted. "But the doctor was at our school today, trying to find if there was anything the matter with any of us, an' he says I got ad'noids," "Ad-noids? What's them?', Mrs. Flanigan demanded. 'They're things in your head maw, what has to be took out," said Micky in a doleful tone. "He's a liar," Mrs. Flanigan cried out hotly. "I fine-comb your head iv'ry Satturday night, an' its niver a ad'noid kin I find.

Edward Marron, well-known grocery traveller, died at his home at Kitchener last week.

At Milwaukee on June 7th, Chapion Sylvia Johanna Holstein bull calf, sold for $106,000. The sale took place at the State Fair Park, the previous record price being 53,000 which was paid for this calf's mother, May Echo Sylvia, a year ago who holds the world's record with 41.01 lbs. butter and 1005.80 lbs. milk in seven days. This animal was Canadian bred the, the seller being A. C. Hardy of Brockville, Ont and the buyer B. A. Stuart of Oconomowoc, Wis.

The Toronto Telegram has suggested that, in the effort to increase honey production, everyone should keep a bee. A citizen of Toronto recently to d us he was going this one better. He will keep a butterfly for butter and grow milkweed for milk. He might still further decrease the cost of living and add to his enjoyment in life by planting in his garden Bleeding Heart to provide him with meat, Mallow to keep him in cheese, Soapwort for washing his clothes and his hands, Lady's Slippers to furnish footwear and Dutchman's Breeches to—ah, er—to keep him out of jail. A bee-hive, a butterfly-hutch and a few feet of garden space would provide the necessaries of life and a few of the luxuries.—Chatsworth News.

Enroll In Holy Name Society

Says the Hanover Post:—In the Catholic Church on Sunday evening 15 members were received in to the Holy Name Society. Father Goodrow in addressing the candidates gave an interesting account of the founding of the Society and its aim. The pledge was then taken by the members of, "Reverence for the name of Jesus" and to abstain from any profane speech."

Girl Offers To Do Roadwork

Some idea of the acuteness of the labor problem in this section may be understood by the fact that a young high school girl, living with her widowed mother on a Carrick farm, volunteered to go out and drive the team to haul gravel to put in their statute labor The only son or, the farm had been drafted, but the daughter was ready to do her part.—Mildmay Gazette.

Shot Off Two Fingers

Norman Brown, who is employed on the farm with Geo. Neil, 6th concession, Arran, had the two first fingers of his right hand shot off on Thursday. He had been shooting birds with a shot gun and when the gun failed to go off he tried to dig the shell out with his fingers when the shell exploded, severing the two fingers. Mr Brown is a son of Mr. Jerry Brown, of Dobbington.

The Duke At Chesley

The Enterprise says:—The Duke in reply thanked the citizens for their kind reception and in regard to the war said there were no prospect of a speedy termination. He also made special reference to what had been said in the address about so many Indians in Bruce having joined the fighting forces, and said the Indians of Canada had ever been loyal to the British Crown. The Duke is not a fluent speaker and does not speak impressively. His object in travelling through the country is to see how Canadians are standing the strain of the war and to urge them on to greater efforts. The Duchess and her daughters were quite affable and did not seem to be a bit stuck up.

Cutting Booze Out Of Extracts

Chief Constable Kidd was around among the merchants last week warning them that they must keep a record of sales of extracts such as essence of Ginger, essence of Peppermint and essence of Lemon, same as druggists keep tab on poisons. License Inspector White has notified the local sleuth that in the absence of the real old stinge that some are getting a hilarious feeling on these essences which contain a considerable percentage of alcohol. Soon there will be nothing to drink stronger that Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, Mother Winslow's Soothing Syrup and Fletcher's Castoria. Those who like a snort of the real old stinge, will say; "What is this old world coming to."—Chesley Enterprise.

Paralized By Parsnips

Lemon extract, bay rum, tanlac, pain killer, shelac, all these and some others have been blamed at different times for producing symptoms of intoxication, but another source of alcoholic stimulus was made known in the Owen Sound Police court last last week when Martin Allen and Frank Beattie were charged with breach of the Ontario Temperance Act by being drunk. The story as told in court was that they had accumulated their jags from a mixture said to have been made by Walter Cameron, and consisting of parsnips boiled to a pulp and mixed with yeast and a little molasses and allowed to stand for a few days. As to the palatable qualities of the mixture nothing was adduced in evidence, but there was no doubt as to its potency. Allen and Beattie were fined $15 and costs apiece, each contributing $20.75.—Flesherton Advance.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Military Service Act, 1917.

Men 19 and 20 Years of Age.
Harvest Leave.
Leave of Absence on Ground of Extreme Hardship.
Procedure to obtain Leave of Absence.

Men Nineteen and Twenty Years of Age.

It has come to the attention of the Government that there is a widespread impression that young men of nineteen years, and those who became twenty since October 13, 1917, as well as those who may become nineteen from time to time and who have been or will be called upon to register under the Military Service Act, are to be immediately called to the colours.

This impression is quite incorrect. No date has yet been fixed for calling upon such men to so report for duty, nor has the question been brought before the Cabinet for decision. In view of the need of labour on the farm, it is most unlikely that consideration will be given to the matter until after the harvest is over, although of course the Government's action must be determined primarily by the military situation.

There is no further obligation incumbent upon young men of the ages above mentioned who have registered or who do so hereafter, until they receive notice from the Registrars.

Harvest Leave.

Some enquiries have been received as to the possibility of granting harvest leave to such troops as may be in the country at that time. No definite assurance can be given on this point as advantage must be taken of ships as they become available. On the other hand, harvest leave will be given if at all possible.

Leave of Absence on Grounds of Extreme Hardship.

It is desired that the Regulations respecting leave of absence in cases of hardship should be widely known and fully understood. Such leave will be granted in two cases:— (a) where extreme hardship arises by reason of the fact that the man concerned is either the only son capable of earning a livelihood, of a father killed or disabled on service or presently in service overseas, or in training for such service, or under treatment after returning from overseas; or the only remaining of two or more brothers capable of earning a livelihood (the other brother or brothers having been killed or disabled on service, or being presently in service overseas, or in training for overseas or under treatment after his of their return from overseas); brothers married before 4th August, 1914, living in separate establishments and having a child or children not to be counted, in determining the fact that the man is the "only" remaining son or brother; (b) where extreme hardship arises by reason of exceptional circumstances such as the fact that the man concerned is the sole support of a widowed mother, an invalid father or other helpless dependents.

It is to be noted that in all these cases the governing factor is not hardship, loss or suffering to the individual concerned, but to others, that is, members of his family or those depending upon him.

Procedure to obtain leave of absence.

A simple system for dealing with these cases has been adopted. Forms of application have been supplied to every Depot Battalion and an officer of each battalion has been detailed whose duty it is to give them immediate attention. The man concerned should on reporting to his unit state that he desires to apply for leave of absence on one or more of the grounds mentioned and his application form will then be filled out and forwarded to Militia Headquarters, Ottawa. In the meantime, if the case appears meritorious, the man will be given provisional leave of absence for thirty days so that he may return home and continue his civil occupation while his case is being finally disposed of.

ISSUED BY DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA AND DEFENCE,
DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE.

SAW GOTHAS BROT DOWN

Ed. Erdman Tells How Ten Enemy Airmen Were Got In The Night.

Mrs. M. Erdman had a letter this week from her son, Ted, at the battle front, dated June 2nd, which we publish herewith. Ed. encloses as a souvenir a piece of linen sheeting cut from one of the Gothas which he tells about in his letter.

Dear Mother:—

Just a line to-day to let you know that we are well and having a very hot and interesting time at times. It was hell for a few nights but our airmen sure put the wind up the Huns a few nights ago. Just around where we are stationed our airmen brought down ten of the Hun big planes and every one was burned to death. It sure was grand to see those square heads come down in flames. There were great cheers when they were coming down. This took place at night and it sure was a grand sight. You may think this sounds pretty raw and cruel but being burned to death is too good a death for some of the Hun airmen as they would just as soon drop their bombs on a hospital as any other place. Last Wednesday we had a big field day of sports. We won the lacrosse game also the baseball game. Our lacrosse team has played three games and won each one and if we can only hold the team together and win a few more games why we may get a little trip out of it. Our baseball team has trimmed two of the Yankee teams so far. No doubt you will be kept quite busy this hot weather. We have been getting some grand weather of late and now that June is here we should have some more of the good old hay maker. I guess I will not be going on leave for a couple of months yet. This piece of painted cloth in this note is a piece of one of the wings of a Gotha brought down near our billet the night our fellows accounted for ten Gothas. These Gothas carry 4 men and machine guns and hundreds of pounds of bombs and our machines that brought them down are manned by one man, so there is another instance where our boys fought or had to fight one to four. Well, mother, I will close with best to all hoping to hear from you soon.

Yours,
Ted.

A Curious Plant

Mr. E. Walford has a strange plant in his backyard that for luxuriant growth rivals the tropics. From a root this Spring it has grown a stalk about 5 inches around which extends almost as high as the roof of the cottage and about 10ft. across. The leaves which are something like maple leaves in shape are over 1ft. long. The "banana plant" as it is called, bears no fruit but has clusters of small white flowers. It is like a house-plant magnified to an enormous size. This is not the only interesting feature of Mr. Walford's garden where nature has richly responded to constant and skillful care, giving him one of the nicest and neatest properties in the town.

Is Golf Club Secretary

Mr. Earl M. Bush, son of Mr. W. M. Bush, has secured temporary leave of absence from the Bank of Commerce out West owing to ill-health and has taken a less confining position for the summer as residence secretary of the Winnipeg Golf Club. The Winnipeg Free Press recently published Earl's picture and the following reference lately to his good work at the Golf Club:—"E. M. Bush, the popular residence secretary of the Winnipeg Golf club, has everything running in splendid shape at the Bird's Hill club this year. Mr. Bush has just recently made an innovation at the club house in the way of hiring oriental help in order to help out with the scarcity of labor and so far the move has proven very successful."

The Women Too

The law says that it is just as compulsory for women to carry their certificates of registration as men. Whenever asked to produce it they must have it on hand. This has brought forward all kinds of discussions among the women as to where on earth they will carry these certificates about their persons where they will be obtainable at a moment's notice. Several of the deputy registrars suggested that the women make a duplicate copy of the numbers in the right hand corner. The first number indicates the district registered in, the second the number of the deputy registrar, and the third the serial number. If this is done a new certificate can be obtained at any time from the Post Office, if the old one is lost.

Walkerton Markets

(Revised, Wednesday, June 26th)

Hay	$10.00 to $12.00
Oats, per bsh.	80 to..... 80
Wheat " "	2.10 to..... 2.10
Butter, per lb.	38 to 40
Eggs, per doz.	37 to 38
Barley per bus	.....$1.30..... 1.30
Hogs, per cwt.	.....17.00 to 17.00
Potatoes.....	75 to.....$1.00
Buckwheat.....	1.30 .....1.30

TOWN AND DISTRICT NEWS

Mr. J. J. Zettler went to Toronto Wednesday morning.

Miss Della Kenny left on Monday to visit friends at London.

Miss Gertie Swanston spent the week-end with her cousins at Paisley.

Miss Maggie Hoffarth of Carlsruhe is visiting at Mr. John Ruetz's.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Irwin of Paisley spent Tuesday with friends in town.

Mrs. Adolph Monack left on Monday on a few weeks visit to Kitchener and Preston.

Public and Separate Schools close for the summer vacation on Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Arthur Hill and children of Cleveland O., are visiting Mrs. L. H. McNamara.

Skip A. McNab is taking a rink of bowlers to the tournament at Mount Forest on Monday.

Miss Cecelia Schnurr went to St. Joseph's Hospital, Guelph, on Monday where she is taking treatment.

Pte. Alfred Ruetz of London and his sister, Miss Mary of Mildmay, visited at Mr. John Ruetz's over Sunday.

Mrs. Robt. Pinkney returned on Thursday after a few weeks' visit to friends at Meaford and Owen Sound.

Mrs. C. Crosswell and Miss Maude of Port Elgin motored here on Saturday and called on a number of friends.

Mrs. Dave Schawn of Carlsruhe spent a few days of last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Frieburger.

Miss Agnes Kraemer of the Central Hotel returned to her home at Cargill on Monday to attend her mother, who was taken suddenly ill on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus Atkinson of Wingham motored over and spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs. Wilford Ritchie, visiting Chesley also before returning.

Miss Pauline Clapp, nurse in training at the Sick Children's Hospital, Toronto, returned to her duties on Wednesday after spending three weeks with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. R. E. Clapp.

The local baseball nine suffered their first defeat of the season at the Fair Grounds on Tuesday night when the Hanover Club won out in a rather loosely played contest by 17—8.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Harrison and family motored to Fergus on Sunday and spent the day visiting friends there. They were accompanied on their return by Mrs. J. H. Warden and little daughter, Janet, of Fergus.

Mrs. (Rev.) Robinson of Stratford, wife of a former rector of St. Thomas Church, is expected here this week on a visit to Miss Shaw. Mrs. Robinson is the mother of Capt. Frits Robinson, the first Walkerton boy to make the supreme sacrifice in this war.

A farmer living near Chepstow became greatly exercised on Tuesday morning when somebody called up on the phone and told his wife Chief Ferguson was speaking and that he was coming out to search the premises on behalf of the Food Controller. It turned out that one of his neighbors was exercising his sense of humor.

Mr. and Mrs. William Little of Calgary are visiting at the home of their brother, Mr. John D. Little of Brant.

The Annual picnic of South Line school, S. S. No. 4, Brant will be held on Friday afternoon. Everybody welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Bowman and their son of Southampton motored down and spent the week end with Dr. and Mrs. Clapp.

Conductor Sherman of the C. P. R. has rented the Buchan residence and intends removing his household effects from Toronto this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Desmond of Eden Grove went to London on Friday to see their son, Pte. Jack Dasmond, who left on Monday for Overseas.

Miss Sarah Little of Brant, who has been teaching school near Red Deer, Alta., the past year, is expected home on a visit during the summer vacation.

Pte. R. Cassidy, son of Mr. William Cassidy of Riversdale, is reported to have been discharged from the 1st W. O. R. London on account of being physically unfit.

Pte. Simon Kieffer, son of Mr. Michael Kieffer of Culross, was home from the Military Camp in Michigan on a few days' leave this week. He is training in the machine gun section and expects to go Overseas shortly.

Prospects Are Good

Mr. John D. Little, who arrived home recently from a ten months' visit to the West, speaks well of the prospects for a good crop throughout the Canadian West, although there has been quite a scarcity of rain. A great deal of farm land is being taken up at present by settlers from the American side. Mr. Little's health has been poorly but is showing improvement under medical treatment since his return home.

Read the ads.

Litchfield, Conn. has a peony plant 136 years old which is still blooming every year.

Granted Exemption

Oscar E. Selgmiller, druggist of Mildmay, has been granted exemption from military service by the local tribunal.

Joins The Flyers

Mr. Claire Hugill of the Merchants Bank, has been accepted as a cadet by the Royal Air Force and left for Toronto on Tuesday morning.

Killed In Action.

One of the first U. S. Sammies to fall in action in France was Pte Ash of Mich., a young cousin of Messrs. Henry and Jacob Brindley of Riversdale.

Gave $20,000

Bruce County Council voted $20,000 to the Y. M. C. A. Overseas Work. The minutes of the June session will be published in full in the next week's Telescope.

A Long Chase

A letter posted by a prominent citizen of Walkerton to his son Overseas in Sept. 1916, has just reached the recipient after a wild goose chase all over Europe for nearly two years. It finally caught up to him last month in the Mediterranean. The envelope bears no less than ten post marks of different countries and needless to say it will be treasured as a souvenir of war times.

Not Much Change

Mr. C. A. Fox's condition continues low but hopes are still held of a favorable outcome. His son, Mr. Ed Fox, secretary to the Gen. Manager of the Merchants Bank, arrived from Montrealon Tuesday.

Instructor In England

Bombardier Louis Dippell, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Dippell, who has been recuperating from an attack of typhoid after two years in France, is now acting as instructor in Signalling in England.

Successful Picnic

The Annual picnic of S. S. No 3 Carrick, in Mr. John A. Hogg's bush on Tuesday, was a fine success. There was a good turnout, good program, and an abundance of "eats". More than $70 was realized for the Red Cross through its two booths and collection. Misch Hinsperger of Mildmay gave a good address on the War and Red Cross, and Rev. Mr. Guild of Mildmay spoke, and there was good music.

A Big Registration

Registrar Geo. D. McKay reports that between 17,000 and 18,000 persons registered in South Bruce on Saturday, 2,000 of these in the town of Walkerton. The registration was very heavy in the towns and villages and light in country districts, the farmers taking advantage of the convenience of registering while in town. Mr. McKay had a good band of willing workers who carried everything through with the minimum of friction.

Harry Harcourt Here

Lieut. Harry Harcourt, who was sent home from England recently after undergoing a series of operations, spent a few days this week with friends here. Harry looks a different person since his last visit here six weeks ago. He says he is feeling fine and is determined to get to the firing line in the near future.

Callahan—Weber

The marriage took place on Tuesday morning June 18, at St. Marys' R. C. Church Kitchener, of Dr. Thomas Callahan of Toronto formerly of Kitchener to Mrs. Minetta Weber, daughter of Mr. John Lang, Waterloo St. Kitchener. Dr. Callahan, who was well known in this vicinity practised for a couple of years at Chepstow prior to his removal to Kitchener. His many friends here wish him happiness and prosperity.

BORN

YAECK—In Walkerton, on Monday, June 24th, to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Yaeck, a daughter.

DANKARDT—In Kitchener Ont., on June 25th, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dankardtnee Rachael Lang of Brant twin girls.

TENDERS FOR SHED

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 10th. July inst. for the South Shed at the Public School grounds. Shed to be taken down and removed before 31 August next. Terms Cash.

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FALL WHEAT SEED ANNOUNCEMENT

In view of the partial failure of the Fall wheat crop in this Province this year it will be necessary for farmers to make early arrangements for the supply of seed which they will need for Fall sowing. Under those circumstances farmers who have on hand quantities of wheat suitable for Fall seeding are urged to conserve them for this purpose. If there is no demand locally, the information should be supplied to this Department or to the Local Office of the Department in your County so that every effort may be made to have an equitable and satisfactory distribution. The need for foodstuffs justifies a large acreage of Fall wheat in this Province again this year, and the co-operation of the farmers in the mobilization and distribution of the available seed supplies is invited.

Ontario Department of Agriculture

GEO. S. HENRY, Minister of Agriculture, Parliament Buildings, Toronto, Ont.

N. C. MacKAY, Agricultural Representative, Walkerton, Ont.

BAKING TO-DAY?

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:-: Happenings of the Week Collected for the Readers of The Telescope by a Staff of Wideawake Correspondents :-:

BRANT AVENUE

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. H. Long gave a party to a large number of friends and neighbors on Wed. 19th. inst. A very pleasant time was spent by all.

Mr. Wm. Radel of South Line called on this Ave. one evening last week.

Some of the "hay seeds" have already cut some of their beautiful green and now it's to be hoped get a good spell of real haying weather.

Mr. H. Irwin, one of our most industrious fellows, was compelled to spend a day or so in bed the first of the week as he was somewhat under the weather. He soon got over it and is about again as usual.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lundy are having their house fixed up by getting a cement wall put under it. Jack had a bee on Saturday for he doesn't believe in being at the job half of summer. Some push to this gent.

Some of our best and up-to-date sodbusters are ploughing down some of the nicest fields of clover with the hopes once more of getting a good crop of wheat next year. Our country sure needs all that can be grown.

Last Saturday was a pretty busy day at S.S. No 1 school re the Registration, although a large number of the people registered at various places in town during the week and avoided a big rush the last day.

BRANT

The garden party held at the home of Mr. W. T. Ellis, Durham Road, east of Walkerton, on Friday evening last under the auspices of "Prospect Union Soldiers' Aid" drew a big crowd and was a big success. The Silver Brass Band was present and rendered selections for the evening. Mr. David Willoughby of Brant acted as able chairman and read out a splendid programme which consisted of vocal solos from Miss Hilda Ermel of Walkerton and Mr. Ruttle of Hanover, recitation from Miss Hazel Irwin and violin solo from Mr. Art McCartney of Walkerton, all numbers being splendidly rendered and heartily applauded. A rocking chair generously donated by Mr. Eli Myles, furniture dealer of Walkerton, brought over $20 and was won by Mr. E. A. Ruttle of Dundalk, who held the lucky number. A box of chocolates donated by a Brant young lady and which was carried off, amid much competition, by Mr James Harkley of Brant. A dance which terminated at 3 a. m. and was well patronized by the young people concluded a splendid evenings entertainment. The proceeds which will be devoted to the purchase of comforts for the boys Overseas, amounted to $70.

MILDMAY

Messrs. Geo. Brahler, Wm. Wendt and James Hickling each were given 1 month's leave of absence from the 71st Depot Battalion, London.

Mr. Wesley Stemler of con. 4 raised an addition to his barn on Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. Fred Bridget, our harnessmaker, was away attending the funeral of his mother at Port Hope.

Fall wheat in this locality is heading out in great shape and there will be some dandy yields on some farms.

Camp meeting in the campgrounds which are 11 miles east of Deemerton, commenced Wednesday evening of this week and will continue until Monday or Tuesday next week.

About twenty five pupils wrote on the Entrance examinations last week. Inspector John McCool was the presiding officer.

Misses Marie Weiler and Edna Bilger of Stratford Normal are home for the summer vacation having completed all examinations last week.

Pte Alfred Reutz of the 1st Depot Batt. London spent Saturday and Sunday at his home here. He is working as stenographer there.

CLAMIS

Mrs. J. P. McPherson left on Monday morning to visit relatives at the Soo.

Pte. Alfred Russell is home from London on a month's leave.

Mr. J. D. Robertson made a business trip to Windsor last week.

Mrs. Angus McDonald of Detroit, Mich. is visiting her daughter Mrs. W. H. McNally.

Miss Verna Harrison, and Master Campbell McIntyre of Toronto are spending this week with their grandmother Mrs J. C. McIntyre.

Mrs George Fletcher left last week for Markham to undergo treatment. We all hope for her speedy recovery.

Miss Maggie McKay of Toronto is visiting at the home of her brother, Murdock McKay

Mrs. Angus McGregor of Kincardine is visiting her son Richard, on the 4th Con.

Registration Day, Saturday, passed off very quietly in the two booths here. The greater number of people registered before 22nd.

Miss Retta McKinnon spent the week end with her friend, Miss Margaret Currie.

Mr. Alex Kirktown Sr. has returned home from Markdale for the summer.

On Wednesday of this week Misses McDermid, and Hendry are having an Auction Sale of their household effects.

Miss Verna Harrison of Toronto delighted the Congregation of the Baptist Church on Sunday evening by the rendering of three beautiful Solos.

Arrangements have been made for the Union S. S. picnic to Inverhuron on Tuesday July 2nd. Let everybody come.

Sidney Johnston has severed work with Kirktown Bros.

The Red Cross packed and shipped the following goods at their regular meeting on Thursday— 30 pairs of socks, 30 personal property bags, 78 Towels, 6 wash cloths, 6 pyjamas suits, 28 pillow covers, and 1 parcel Hospital Cotton.

FERRIS—SYMON

On Wednesday June 12th. Miss Abby Symons Con 4 Bruce, and John Ferris Bdy. West, Glamis, were united in marriage. They will reside on the groom's farm Bdy.

FERRIS- HUSK

On Wednesday June 19th. Miss Verna Husk and Wm. Ferris both of Bdy. West, Glamis were united in marriage and will reside on the groom's farm.

To the happy couples we extend Congratulations and wish them a bon voyage over the matrimonial sea.

On Friday evening of this week an illustrated Lecture by Lime Light Views under the auspices of The Bible Society will be given in Baptist Church by Rev. A. H. Fischer returned missionary. Everybody welcome This will be Annual Meeting of the Bible Society Branch here proceeds in aid of this work. Time 9 P. M.

EDEN GROVE

On the street—in the stores—everywhere, one hears of the great change taking place "over there." We seldom hear of the miraculous changes "over here." Now take Angus Blue for instance. Born white, called Blue, the sun soon made him tan Brown and a few years later he was a blacksmith. Startling as these changes must seve been, his present is farmer.

Twuz a quiet meetin of the Red Cross Sassiety. Harmony wuz fergot and 'argyments most bitter. Over at the Stushun it sounded Jolke this here.

Will it sarves yous rite. Yous voted for Borden. H.—Borden—I cud kill 'im. K.—Borden D.—Bordon—etc. etc.

(Shure from the tornedo of yelps that Borden feller must be a prime favorite jist now wid de wimmen)

Thin another voice chimed in. If them boys is taken we can't get our crops in nehow. They promised 'im exemption. Why doant they didit?

Yep and yous bit inter the sugar and got sick. Now yer yell with a pain in yer tummy.

For why shud my dear lads go and yours stay to hum. Well acza meekly tired voice. Sombodies gotter go. The wars gotter be won and whos goin to won it if nobody goes. Jist thin the train kum in and I cud hear no more.

The Reverend Mr. Storey gave a mighty good farewell sermon last Sunday to a mighty small congregation. The music by the choir and solo by Miss F. Seiler were much enjoyed.

Without discussing what has happened in the past if the last words of our departing minister were to bear fruit it would be one grand thing for the Methodist church of Eden Grove and the members thereof. Love and stick to your church loyally as an institution whose work is good. Never mind criticizing the minister—never mind if you have quarrelled or do quarrel with any members of the congregation—stick to it—its as much yours as the other fellows—Be loyal to your church.

At a meeting held in the City Hall last Tuesday evening for the purpose of wishing godspeed to Alex. Mckeeman and family the following address was read and a sum of money presented.

It is with regret that we look forward to the departure of you and yours from our midst During the time—the long time—of your living amongst us have you endeared yourself to a host of friends and it is our pleasure to represent them on this occasion and tender to you not only a few sincere words of of sorrow at losing you and yours but also to hand to you a slight token of our deep affection.

Though you are leaving us for a far country to carve out a fresh career (of crime), we trust you will be back again and yet again to see and renew your acquaintance with us. We all of us desire to wish you godspeed and good luck in the new land of your choice (rascality) and trust you will fall a mong neighbors who will appreciate your good qualities as have those of us who are herewith pleased to extend to you a small memento of our love and esteem.

Signed on behalf of your friends and neighbors,

(A list as long as your arm)

After Phillips had stuttered through the above, a speech was made by the recipient who, in a few well chosen words (the usual bee) thanked those present. Then Jack Seiler hummed a little praise and W. J. McKeeman, brother of the evening's hero, told a little truth—also a little story (do you remember it?) and the dance was renewed.

Mike Conner as violinist excelled himself (surprised me he did.) Big Bill Alexander called off and everybody down to Joe O'Reilly danced. By golly it was some night. Mrs. himself was so pleased that his stickin around for a repetition of it.

Tom Desmond and wife were in London last week to see their son Jack who is expected to leave shortly for overseas. Though their departure has been postponed, it is expected both Jack and Harold Scott will soon be on their way.

I wuz down to Walkerton last Monday to git a noo suit. I tried on a yaller coot, a pink 'un and a scumbinashum coot. Becoz I didn't like'm, the feller got mad and throo me inter the stove ware I got black coot. Then before I cud say I'd take it he got to bellerin and blue coot on me. I wuz so mad I wint out and put a lawsuit on him.

Hiram.

CARGILL

The farewell service of Rev. H. H. Storey proved an event of unusual interest. The Anglicans and Presbyterians gave up their services and united with the Methodists, almost filling the church. Mr. Storey spoke eloquently on "The Church for the New Age." He claimed that the church had a practical mission to perform. In fulfilling this mission church members could develop the noblest and most chivalrous qualities. The speaker urged the people not to exhaust all their energies in secular concerns, but to bring the qualities manifested by the British soldiers, i. e willingness to serve, devotion to duty, superb bravery, into their church life. A spirit-filled church is the surest preventive of all strife, local, national and universal.

Rev. Mr. Haggar of the Cargill Anglican church assisted. The choir sang the anthem splendidly. Mr. Storey left for Freelton. His removal is regretted, but we wish him every success in his new field.

SOLWAY

Mr. A. J. Knoll has purchased a new Ford car.

Mr. Barney and Miss Cecelia Reutz of near Walkerton spent Sunday at the home of Mr. Will Lambertus.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Michell and two children and Misses E. and M. Michell spent Sunday at Mr. Jas. Burrell's near Maple Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. John Strodder spent Sunday at the home of the former's brother, Mr. E. Stroeder of Greenock.

Miss Reta Weiss of Walkerton spent the week-end with her friend, Miss Lizzie O'Connor.

The Ladies Aid of the B. and C church, Walkerton, held their tea at the home of Mrs. Ben Michell on Wednesday last.

Miss Gertrude McGarity of Toronto is spending her vacation at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Knoll and babe and Mr. and Mrs. John Monk spent Sunday with friends in Hanover.

HANOVER

Mr. Sam Stoldt secured the appointment of caretaker of the Hanover cemetery. He commenced duties on Monday of last week.

Mr. E. M. Schroeder who has been in Mr. M. A. Hilliday's office in Chesley for the past 9 years has accepted a position in Mr. J. Mills' office.

Edgar Ermel caught a pike in the Saugeen River that weighed 34 pounds and measured 27½ inches.

Mr. George Hilgartner of Hanover arrived home from the West last week after a sojourn there of two and a half months. He visited Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta. He liked the western provinces pretty well, especially Manitoba, but for the comforts of life none of them are in it with Ontario.

Enoch Weltz, aged 35, a farmer residing two miles south of Hanover, was fatally injured when his foot caught as he was trying to keep a belt from slipping off the wheel of a gasoline engine while he was sawing wood. He was buried through the air and landed on top of the engine. He had both legs broken, one of them in three places, and every rib on one side torn from the spine. He lived 24 hours after the accident. Besides his wife he leaves 3 children who have the sympathy of the whole community.

Inspector Wright while visiting in Flesherton recently, captured a trout weighing 2¼ lbs.

Announcement is made by Mr. Edward H. Gruetzner of the engagement of his daughter, Miss Ruby M. Gruetzner, to Mr Eugene L. Wehmeyer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Weymeyer of St. Louis. Mo. Miss Gruetzner has been living with her sister, Mrs. August Buermann, Jr. at No 19 Stratford Place, Newark, N. J. Mr. Wehmeyer is in the New York District of the U. S. Ordnance Department.

A member of the old lacrosse guard of Hanover has suggested to The Post a line-up of married men who he thinks, could give any team of single fellows in Hanover a real game. We would be glad to print the names of a competitive team. Following is the line-up suggested: Goal, G. Booth; Point, W. Wendorf; Cover, L. Girodat; Defence Field, H. Wendorf and S. Schulte; Centre, S. Wendorf; Home Field E. Houert and E. Devlin; Outside, D. Reis; Inside, A. Ries. The trouble with team is that "the old guard" has picked most of the good ones in town.

Three leading roads through Grey County have been designated as Provincial County Roads, the Government to pay 60 per cent of the cost, both of construction and maintenance. These are from Collingwood via Thornbury and Meaford, from Mount Forest via Durham along the Garafraxa; and from Shelburne up the Toronto Line, all to a remote point in the Northern part of the County, known as Owen Sound.

BRANT TP. COUNCIL

Brant Council meeting June 10, 1918. The Brant Council met on Monday the 10th day of June. Members all present, minutes of last meeting read and declared correct.

Findlay—Gregg—That the sum of two thousand dollars be expended in grants on the roads, four hundred dollars apportioned to each member of council for to be expended in his district.—Carried.

Rowand—Johnston—That the Reeve and Clerk issue orders on the Treasurer for all accounts passed at this meeting of council.—Carried.

Geo. Craig, 2 lambs killed and 1 wounded	30 00
T. H. Wilson, valuating sheep	2 10
Chris Pegelo, grading	26 25
John Engel, repairing culvert con. 12	1 00
Dr. Bricker, B.O.H. meeting and work on ditch in Cargill near Dr. Bricker's	6 00
Fred Jacklin, ½ years' salary $67 50, telephoning and postage 6 15	73 65
M. A. McCallum, ½ years' salary 112 50, telephoning and postage 610, B.O.H. meeting 2 40	121 00
Wm. Johnston, 6 council meetings	19 80
W. A. Rowand, 6 council meetings	17 10
D. Willoughby 6 council meetings	22 60
D. W. Gregg, 6 council meetings	21 00
J. W. Findlay 6 council meetings	16 20
Wm. Rowand, B.O.H. meeting	2 30
Herman Ahrens, dragging road 8 hrs	4 00

Johnston—Rowand—That this council do now adjourn to meet on Monday the 8th. day of July 1918 for the transaction of general business—carried.

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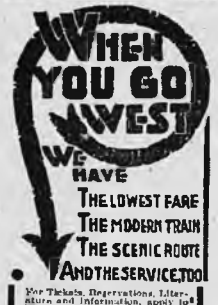
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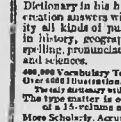
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Seventeen

A Tale of Youth and Summer Time and the Baxter Family, Especially William

By
BOOTH TARKINGTON

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What Miss Pratt had offered him was a choice between the thirty-second dance and the twenty-first extra. That was what he had to look forward to—the thirty-second regular or the twenty-first extra!

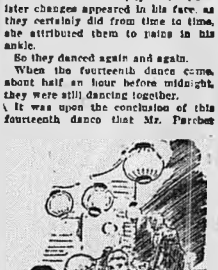
Meanwhile, merely through eternity, he was sealed unto Miss Boke.

The tie that bound them oppressed him as if it had been an ill omened matrimony, and he sat beside her like an unwilling old husband. All the while Miss Boke had no appreciation whatever of her companion's real condition, and when little, spasmodic, sinister changes appeared in his face as they certainly did from time to time, she attributed them to pains in his ankle.

So they danced again and again.

When the fourteenth dance came, about half an hour before midnight, they were still dancing together.

It was upon the conclusion of this fourteenth dance that Mr. Parcher



"N'otty ickle boy Baxter fluttin'!"

mentioned to his wife a change in his feelings toward William. "I've been watching him," said Mr. Parcher, "and I never saw true misery show plainer. He's having a really horrible time. By George, I hate him, but I've begun to feel kind of sorry for him! Can't you trot up somebody else, so he can get away from that fat girl?"

Mrs. Parcher shook her head in a discouraged way. "I've tried, and I've tried, and I've tried," she said.

"Well, try again."

"I can't now." She waved her hand toward the rear of the house. Round the corner marched a short procession of negroes, bearing trays, and the dancers were dispersing themselves to chairs upon the lawn for refreshments.

"Well, do something," Mr. Parcher urged. "We don't want to find him in the cistern in the morning."

Mrs. Parcher looked thoughtful; then brightened. "I know!" she said. "I'll make May and Lola and their partners come sit in this little circle of chairs here, and then I'll go and bring William and Miss Boke to sit with them. I'll give Willie the seat at Lola's left. You keep the chairs."

Straightway she sped upon her kindly errand. It proved successful, as successful, indeed, that without the slightest effort, without even a hint on her part, she brought not only William and his constant friend to sit in the circle with Miss Pratt, Miss Parcher and their escorts, but Mr. Bullitt, Mr. Watson, Mr. Banks and three other young gentlemen as well. Nevertheless Mrs. Parcher managed to carry out her plan and, after a little display of firmness, saw William satisfactorily established in the chair at Miss Pratt's left.

At last, at last he sat beside the fairy-like creature and filled his lungs with infinitesimal particles of violet scent. She whispered:

"N'oty ickle boy Baxter! Lola's last night, an' ickle boy Baxter duttin'! Plet all night wif dray bid dirt!"

William made no reply.

There are occasions, infrequent, of course, when even a bachelor is not flattered by being accused of flirting. William's feelings toward Miss Boke had by this time come to such a pass that he regarded the charge of flirting with her as little less than an implication of grave mental deficiency. And well he remembered how Miss Pratt, beholding his subjugated gymnast in the dance, had grown pink with laughter. But still the rose leaf lips whispered:

"Lola saw! Lola saw bad boy Baxter under dray bid tree duttin' wif dray bid dirt. Fluttin' all night wif dray, bid, 'normous dirt!"

Her cruelty was all unwitting. She intended to rally him sweetly. But seventeen is deathly serious at such junctures, and William was in a sensitive condition.

"Do trust?" whispered Lola.

He spake not.

"I wasn't my fault 'bout dancin'," she said. "Dad boy! I can't make 'em turn so late!"

He maintained his silence and the accompanying icy dignity, whereupon she made a charming little pout.

"Do be so 'fraid," she said. "Lola talk to nice Man uvver side of her!"

With that she turned her back upon him and prattled merrily to the gentleman of sixteen upon her right.

Still and cold sat William. Let her talk to the Man at the other side of her as she would, and ever so gayly, William knew that she was conscious every instant of the reproachful presence upon her left. And somehow these moments of quiet and melancholy dignity became the most satisfactory he had known that evening, for as he sat, so silent, so austere, and not yet eating, though a plate of chicken salad had been placed upon his lap, he began to feel that there was somewhere about him a mysterious superiority which set him apart from other people and above them.

And, although Miss Pratt continued to make merry with the Man upon her right, it seemed to William that this was but outward show. He had a strange, subtle impression that the mysterious superiority which set him apart from others was becoming perceptible to her; that she was feeling it too.

Over the chatter and laughter of the guests rose a too familiar voice. "Lemme help you to nice tongue sanwich, lady. Nom? Nice green lettuce sanwich, lady?"

Genesis!

"Nice tongue sanwich, sah? Nice lettuce sanwich, lady?" he could be heard vociferating, perhaps a little too much as if he had sandwiches for sale. "Lemme jes' lay this nice green lettuce sanwich on you' plate fer you, lady."

Because he was a new waiter he strongly wished to show familiarity with his duties—familiarity, in fact, with everything and everybody. This yearning, born of self doubt and intensified by a slight touch of gin, was beyond question the inspiration of his painful behavior when he came near the circle of chairs where sat Mr. and Mrs. Parcher, Miss Parcher, Miss Pratt, Miss Boke, Mr. Watson, Mr. Bullitt, others and William.

"Nice tongue sanwich, lady?" he announced a moment later, walking beneath his high borne tray. "Nice green lettuce sam"— He came suddenly to a dramatic dead stop as he beheld William sitting before him, wearing that strange new dignity and Mr. Baxter's evening clothes. "Name o' goo'ness!" Genesis exclaimed, so loudly that every one looked up. "How in the livin' worl' you evuh come to git here? You' daddy sut'ny mus' 'a' weakened 'way down 'fo' he let you wear his low cut ves' an' pants an' long tail coat! I bet any man 50 cents you gone an' stole 'em out afuh he done went to bed!"

And he burst into a wild, free African laugh.

At seventeen such things are not embarrassing; they are catastrophical. But, mercifully, catastrophes often produce numbness in the victims. More so in a trance than actually William heard the outbreak of his young companions.

A flourish of music challenged the dancers. Couples appeared upon the platform.

The dreadful supper was over.

The ineffable One, supremely pink, rose from her seat at William's side and moved toward the platform with the glowing Zoe Bullitt. Then William, roused to action by this sight, sprang to his feet and took a step toward them, but it was only one weak step.

A warm and ample hand placed itself firmly inside the crook of his elbow. "Let's get started for this one before the floor gets all crowded up," said Miss Boke.

Miss Boke danced and danced with him. She danced him on and on and on.

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At half past 1 the orchestra played "Home, Sweet Home." As the last bars sounded a group of earnest young men who had surrounded the lovely guest of honor, talking vehemently, broke into loud shouts, embraced one another and capered variously over the lawn. Mr. Parcher beheld from a distance these manifestations and then, with an astonishment even more profound, took note of the tragic William, who was running toward him, radiant, Miss Boke hovering futilely in the far background.

"What's all the hullabaloo?" Mr. Parcher inquired.

"Miss Pratt!" gasped William. "Miss Pratt!"

"Well, what about her?"

And upon receiving William's reply Mr. Parcher might well have discerned behind it the invisible hand of an ironic but recompensing Providence making things even—taking from the one to give to the other.

"She's going to stay!" shouted the happy William. "She's promised to stay another week!"

And then, mingling with the sounds of rejoicing, there ascended to heaven the stricken cry of an elderly man plunging blindly into the house in search of his wife.

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Jane one sunshiny morning stood outdoors watching interestedly the unloading of moving vans into a house across the way. Her mouth was equally affected, remaining open at a visible crisis in the performance of its duty—consuming bread and apple sauce. These were the tokens of her agitation upon beholding the removal of a fella' house from one of the wagons. This dolls' house was at least five feet high, of proportionate breadth and depth, the customary absence of a facade disclosing an interior of four luxurious floors, with stairways, fireplaces and wall paper. Here was a mansion wherein dun duchesses, no less, must dwell.

Straightway a little girl ran out of the open doorway of the brick house and with a self importance concentrated to the point of shrewishness, began to give orders concerning the disposal of her personal property, which included, as she made clear, not only the dolls' mansion, but also three dolls' trunks and a packing case of fair size.

She was a thin little girl, perhaps half a year younger than Jane, and she was as soiled, particularly in respect to hands, brow, chin and the knees of white stockings, as could be expected of any heavybodyish person of nine or ten whose mother is house moving.

The little girl across the street was of course instantly aware of Jane, though she pretended not to be, and from the first her self importance was in large part assumed for the benefit of the observer. After a momentary silence, due to her failure to think of any proper response to workmen who had pointedly criticised her, she resumed the peremptory direction of her affairs.

Then, apparently in the very midst of her cares, she suddenly and without warning ceased to boss, walked out into the street, halted and stared frankly at Jane.

CHAPTER XX.
"Don't Forget."

JANE came out to the sidewalk and began to kick one of the fence pickets.

"You see that ole fatty?" asked the little girl, pointing to one of the workmen thus sufficiently identified.

"Yes."

"That's the one broke the goldfish," said the little girl. There was a pause, during which she continued to scuff the curbstone with her shoe, Jane likewise scuffing the fence picket. "I'm goin' to have papa get him arrested," added the stranger.

"My papa got two men arrested once," Jane said calmly, "two or three."

The little girl's eyes, wandering upward, took note of Jane's papa's bonne and of a fierce young gentleman framed in an open window upstairs. He was seated, wore ink upon his forehead and tapped his teeth with a red penholder.

"Who is that?" she asked.

"It's Willie."

"Is it your papa?"

"No-o-o-o!" Jane exclaimed. "It's Willie!"

"Oh!" said the little girl, apparently satisfied.

Each now scuffed less energetically with her shoe; feet slowed down, so did conversation, and for a time Jane and the stranger wrapped themselves in stillness, though there may have been some silent communing between them. Then the new neighbor placed her feet far apart and leaned backward upon nothing, curving her front upward and her remarkably flexible spine inward until a profile view of her was grandly semicircular.



"Look!" she said. "Look at me!"

Jane watched her attentively, but without comment. However, no one could have doubted that the processes of acquaintance were progressing favorably.

"Let's go in our yard," said Jane.

The little girl straightened herself with a slight gasp and accepted the invitation. Side by side the two passed through the open gate, walked gravely forth upon the lawn and halted as by common consent. Jane thereupon placed her feet wide apart and leaned backward upon nothing, attempting the feat in contortion just performed by the stranger.

"Look!" she said. "Look at me!"

But she lacked the other's genius, lost her balance and fell. Born persistent, she immediately got to her feet and made fresh efforts.

"No! Look at me!" the little girl cried, becoming semicircular again. "This is the way: I call it 'puttin' your stummick out o' joint.' You haven't got yours out far enough."

"Yes, I have," said Jane, gasping.

"Well, to do it right, you must walk that way. As soon as you get your stummick out o' joint you must begin an' walk. Look! Like this!" And the little girl having achieved a state of such convexity that her braided hair almost touched the ground behind her, walked successfully in that singular attitude.

"I'm walkin'," Jane protested, her face not quite upside down. "Look! I'm walkin' that way too. My stummick"—

There came an outraged shout from above, and a fierce countenance stained with ink protruded from the window.

"Jane!"

"What?"

"Stop that! Stop putting your stomach out in front of you like that! It's disgraceful!"

Both young ladies, looking rather oppressed, resumed the perpendicular. "Why doesn't he like it?" the stranger asked in a tone of cute wonder.

(Continued Next Week)



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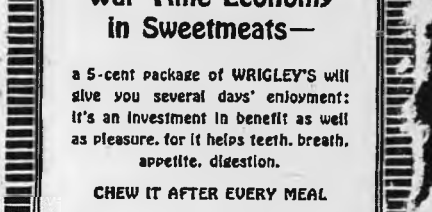
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Afternoon train, arrives Walkerton—1.25 p. m.

LOCAL G. T. R. TIME TABLE

Morning train, south bound—7.05 a. m.
Morning train, north bound—11.57 "
Afternoon train, south bound—4.06 "
Night train, north bound—9.25 p. m.

TOWN AND DISTRICT NEWS

"So Bill's in uniform. I'll bet a cookie he feels cocky in khaki."

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England is said to be considering the use of women aviators at the front

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"Got a war garden, eh?"
"You bet. Wife and I had a scrap the first day over where the seeds were to go."

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Owing to drought and frost in Sweden, crops of potatoes, peas and beans have been destroyed and grain and fruit crops seriously damaged.

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Four thousand five hundred and forty-five dollars was the price handed over to Thomas Crow, near Toronto for the first twenty head of fat cattle he had ever raised, an average $227 per head. They weighed 272 hundred weight, and the price paid per hundredweight, is $16.75.

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George Berry, Keppel, met with an accident last week. He and his brother-in-law were out target shooting, and the gun was accidently discharged, the result being that George Berry lost two toes. He was due to report in London that afternoon under the U. S. A.

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Canada's new system of license control of dealers in foodstuffs involves over 80,000 retail establishments and about 23,5000 wholesalers. Of the total number of retailers there are 30,000 grocers; 16,000 butchers; 50,000 public eating places; 5,000 bakers, 2,000 fish dealers; 4,5000 fruit and vegetable dealers and 1,000 produce dealers.

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The vigilance of the track walkers of a railway cannot always prevent accidents from falling rocks. A recent accident on the Pennsylvania railroad not far from Harrisburg, was caused by the falling at midnight of a huge boulder weighing nearly three hundred tons from the top a cut about seventy feet deep. It fell just as the cars were passing being palpably dislodged by the vibration of the moving train.

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We think by this time most citizens know they should turn out to the right when they meet an auto or other conveyance on the road. But only a few days ago we learned of a near accident from lack of knowledge as to which way the driver should turn to allow an auto to pass him on the public highway. In the case of an auto or a horse and rig passing another conveyance the driver being passed should always turn to the right and the vehicle passing the other should always pass it on the left side. It's easy to remember and attention to this simple rule of the road will prevent accidents.

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It's great how readily rumors are "hatched," says the Listowel Banner Over in Wingham they had it that one of their citizens, Geo. Moir by name, was drowned at Port Huron. The thing "exploded" though according to The Advance, "when to the astonishment of not a few of the mourners, he landed off the train on Saturday evening, and as the hearse was not at the station, walked down street." But Wingham has nothing on Listowel in this respect, for this week rumor had one of the town's young men dead and as far as we learned, the nearest he came to it was enlisting at London. So he has chances to live quite a while yet.

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Used Wheat For Horse Feed

Charles W. Shusenberg, manager of the Caldwell Milling and Feed Co., of Dundas, Ont., was fined $100 and costs by Magistrate Fry, in the Dundas Police Court, for buying a quantity of milling wheat to be used to make poultry or horse feed, this use of milling wheat being prohibited by order in Council. During the trial, Magistrate Fry said; "The hand-writing on the wall is becoming plainer and plainer every day as to the great need of food, and any man who deliberately and in cold blood violates the new order in Council regarding food-stuffs is an enemy to the country."

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Jews in Midland

Argus: The local colony of Jews have made a raid upon the town during the past few days in purchasing property and have secured well selected and valuable home-steads in different parts of the town. There has been considerable influx of these people into town during recent years and a number of them have established themselves in different lines of business. Unlike their practice in many other places, they have gone outside of the junk dealing in many cases here and have entered into competition with the local merchants in several lines of mercantile pursuits; and that they are prospering is indicated by the fact that within the past few days they have been able to pick up some of the most valuable residental properties in town at good big figures.

Miss Adeline Firstbrook is home from Bishop Bethune College, Oshawa, for the summer vacation.

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Manitoba's co-operative wool clip this year will be over 250,000 pounds—an increase of 25 per cent over last year.

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Messrs. John Scanlan of Brant and Jos. Stroeder of Greenock paid a visit to London Military Camp on Sunday.

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Mr. Wm. F. Wendt formerly teacher at Mildmay, is home from Military Camp at London, on thirty days' leave.

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A coal famine next winter more severe than last winter's is possible. Every effort should be made to get in a supply.

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Mr. Jue Dietrich of Riversdale, who is in training with the University Company at Toronto, spent Sunday with friends at Guelph

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There is a movement in Massachusetts to make women idlers work. Ontario farm women should be made to rest more, instead of work more.

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Mr. and Mrs. S A. Rife and daughter Gladys motored to Toronto last week and on the return journey were accompanied by Miss Cora who will spend a two weeks' vacation here.

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Pilot J. F. Saunders, a Durham boy, was killed in an airplane accident while in training at Camp Borden on Monday last. He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Saunders and 26 years of age.

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America airplane manufacturers are experimenting with rolled steel metal 1.100 of on inch thick to displace linen wings. Should they prove satisfactory linen will in time be given up to regular commerical purposes.

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We learn that George McNall, a former Lucknow boy whose home is now at Auburn, has been awarded a silver military medal for bravery on the field. He has been serving as a sniper and evidently has been "getting" a good many Huns.—Lucknow Sentinel.

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The teacher told his class that in writing compositions they should not attempt any flights of fancy, but only write what was in them. As a result of this advice, a tenderfeet wrote the following composition. "We should not attempt any flites of fancy, but we ght just what is in you In me there is my stummick, lungs, liver, two apples, two cakes and my dinner."

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Everywhere men who suddenly attain prosperity spend money foolishly. A story is told in Commerce and Finance illustrating the point in the case of a Southern darky who had made money as a result of the high price of cotton. He went to buy a phonograph. "How many children have you?" asked the phonograph man during the transaction. "I has eight," was the answer. "One phonograph for eight children!" exclaimed the salesman: "that will never do! You need two." And he sold them.

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Look Out For These

The following story comes from near Lucan: "Complaint has been made to the county police that two men impersonating Government officials recently visited the home of a farmer in Biddulph Township, and, declaring that they were representing the Canada Food Board, conducted a search of the premises and communicated 600 pounds of flour and one large hog that had just been killed. The men berated the farmer for his alleged lack of patriotism, and, placing the flour and pork in their automobile, drove away. Some time after the farmer awoke to the fact that he had been neatly swindled, and informed Magistrate Caleb Hawkshaw, who is now taking steps to have the matter investigated.

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Strange Battle Incidents

Peasants turned adrift in the tide of battle have, in many cases lost not only home, but children. At Neuve Eglise two mere babies were actually in the German front line trenches. They had strayed from their parents during the evacuation. When the British held the village they hid in a cellar, and after the British retirement were discovered by the Germans. The latter took them —presumably for safety, as the British guns were shelling the ruins very heavily—into the trenches at the edge of the village, where they lay during the British counter-attack. They were found unhurt, but very frightened, by the first British soldiers charging into the village with bayonets poised. Two gunners found another lost child wandering disconsolately in the maze of war traffic. They took it to a barn where they were billeted, and made a bed for it on the straw between their own. In the night German aeroplanes dropped bombs on to the barn and killed both gunners, but the child was found unhurt next morning.

Read the ads.

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Mr. Henry Spittig was at Port Dover on business last week.

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Be sure to read the advertisements in The Telescope carefully each week. That's what they are printed for.

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The Third Annual Convention of Bruce County W. C. T. U. is being held in Knox Church Teeswater, on Wednesday and Thursday.

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The proceeds of Teeswater races June 3rd 1918 from gate receipts, booths, concert, tags, and dance amounted to $1167.56 which with R. Trench's winnings donated made a total contribution for Patriotic and Red Cross purposes of $1407.50.

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The other day in Toronto a man was caught "boot legging." His price was $8.00 for a reputed quart flask. And to think men here not yet old can remember when the stuff was at the call of any thirsty customer, in Walkerton stores, as free, and easier to get than water is now.

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A small boy recently approached his mother with the following: "Ma, please give me a nickel to give to a lame man." Getting the nickel from her purse, the mother asked. "Who is the lame man dear?" Just then her hopeful had reached the door, but he stopped long enough to shout back, "He's the ticket seller at the picture show."

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Two colored waiters were lately overheard deep in a discussion of the various phases of dumbness. Finally after a number of illustrations had been cited, one capped the climax by observing with great seriousness: "Yes, suh, dat nigger wuz dat dumb dat when he died and dey opened his head at the morgue dey found his brain hadn't never been used."

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By reason of the unusual heavy demands on the jute supply of India, and on the Calcutta Jute industry, farmers are advised to order as soon as possible, all the new bags they will need for sacking grain and other products and in addition to prepare for use all old bags which can be made serviceable. Very large orders have been placed for sandbags for use in mining trenches, one English order alone being for 150,000,000 bags.

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Phoning To A Train

A successful test of telephone communication between a train-despatcher's office and a moving train has recently been made by the Canadian Government. This has been accomplished before, but the present device embodies some features that are said to make usable in a practical way. The track is used as the conductor, and the electrical current reaches the moving train through its wheels. The test was made between Moncton and Humphrey's station, New Brunswick, on the Canadian Government Railways.

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War Saving Stamps.

War saving stamps will, it is understood, be issued by the Government, although they may not be on sale for some little time. Such stamps are issued in the United States, where they have proved a great success. The stamps are purchasable for small sums and are then stuck in books. They are redeemable eventually at rates which return a profit to the purchaser When the stamps are issued Canada will have three methods by which her people can lend their money to the Government. There will be the coming flotation of war bonds in $50 and $100 units war saving certificates for smaller amounts purchasable at banks and post offices and the war stamps.

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The Boy And The Picnic.

No more will the small boy come home from the Sunday School picnic and boast of the number of sandwiches he had. No more will he pick out the cake by the icing it has. The small boy is called upon to make sacrifice in the cause of the Allies as well as the grown ups—especially when it comes to the annual picnic. According to the food controller the regulations applying to eating houses will have to be observed. This applies particularly to meats and and to wheat products. Sandwiches may not be served at the noon meal. Pork, veal or roast beef may not be used at all on Wednesday and Fridays. Sandwiches may be served during the afternoon, but not more than two ounces of wheat product per individual may be used. Ham sandwiches can be served during the afternoon except on those days on which pork is prohibited. Not more than four ounces of ham per persons can be used. Where white bread is eaten it is necessary to provide substitutes also and when it comes to cake, the icing has to be cut out and mother has to go easy on the sugar and shortening for the pie. It's a hard world.

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✣

Miss Clara Kerney is spending this week with relatives in Kitchener

✣

Statute Labor has commenced on the highways of the neighboring townships

✣

Norman Zimmer, of Durham, formerly of Walkerton has enlisted in the C. E. F.

✣

Mr. Robt. Trench of Teeswater completed the job of repairing the R. C spire last week.

✣

Economize by studying carefully the special values offered you in the advertisements in the Telescope.

✣

Mr. Talbert Boss represented the Walkerton Oddfellows' Lodge at Grand Lodge, Toronto, the past week.

✣

A farmer of Peel County is dead and a veterinary surgeon is suffering from the effects of Anthrax, which has been discovered in that section.

✣

A Dungannon business man has bought two old Methodist churches and is using the material to erect a new business block on an old hotel site.

✣

Charlie Petteplace formerly of the Bank of Commerce staff, who was recently moved to St Catherines, is spending two weeks at his home here.

✣

Jurors for the Fall-assizes and December Sessions were selected on Tuesday by Sheriff Jermyn, Clerk of Peace Dixon, Judge Klein and Magistrate Tolton.

✣

Each province in the Dominion has been asked to form a scheme of rationing for its own people. Thus the Canada Food Board hopes to provide for each province's own particular conditions

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It is estimated that there are now 874 acres under cultivation by the Canadian forces in England, 72 of which have been tilled by the hospitals, which produce vegetables, flowering plants, etc., for the benefit of the troops.

✣

The barber goes "over the top" daily. He advances at a smart clip, cutting his way by sheer force of steel. At times he uses considerable gas. His charge is always a good one. He gives no quarter, but accepts one, without any hesitation.

✣

A soldier just from the trenches found that he couldn't sleep in a quiet place like Paris. The strange feeling of a mattress under him and four walls around him had chased away all thought of sleep, and he turned and twisted from 9 o'clock till 11.25. At that moment came an air raid by the Boches. "Then," he said, "it was just like 'Home, Sweet Home' in my pill-box, and I didn't wake up till next morning at 8."

According to reports the strawberry crop is going to be very heavy this season.

✣

Men of 49, 50 and 51 have been called up for medical examination in Great Britain.

✣

The United States Department of Agriculture estimates that the wheat crop will be 931,000,000 bushels

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Robt. Trench's pacing mare, Chepstow Belle, took second money in the 2.25 class at Detroit races last week.

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Mr. L. A. Eedy was in Toronto on Saturday attending a meeting of the Advertising Committee of the Canadian Press Association.

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A Government expert says that if the skin is rubbed with fish oil and kerosene, black flies won't bite. Possibly not but what will the neighbors do?

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Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Ritchie, the latter's sister Miss Verity of Newmarket, and Mrs. A. Swanston motored to Paisley last Wednesday on a visit to Mrs. W. G. Ritchie.

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Rev. C. W. Cosens conducted anniversary services at Dhon, a former charge, on Sunday. The pulpit at the Methodist church was occupied by Mr. H. W. Elliot in the morning and by Mr. Foster, agent of the Bible Society at night.

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Ernest W. Lambert, one of Harriston's most prominent citizens and a merchant, passed away last week after five weeks of severe illness. He was a prominent Mason, and for years was Secretary of the High School Board.

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Sensible.—"I'm glad Billy had the sense to marry an old maid," said grandma at the wedding. "Why, grandma?" asked the son. "Well, gals is highly-tighty, and widders is kinder overrulin' and upsettin', but old maids is thankful and willin' to please." —Tit-Bits.

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Tell The Truth

At Hamilton on Friday last a woman was asked by the registrar how old she was. "Twenty-nine," was the reply. "Have you any children?" "Yes, one," How old?", "16" came the answer.

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Splendid Crop Outlook

Up to the present time nothing has occurred to mar the splendid crop outlook of a month ago. In the West warmer weather followed a cold spell late in May, and the seeding of coarse grains was almost completed by the first of June. The outlook for fall wheat in Ontario is very poor but was never more promising for other grain. On the whole the indications are that the cereal products of the country will be larger than usual.—So says the Can. Bank of Commerce in its monthly letter for June.

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THE TEA ROOM GIRLS

Scored A Big Success With Their Garden Party Last Friday Night. Over $325 taken in

The Lawn Party given at the Armoury grounds by the Tea Room Girls on Friday night was an unqualified success. The weather which had been threatening, proved to be ideal and the crowd turned out in numbers that were highly gratifying to the young ladies, who had gone to such trouble to make the affair a success. The total receipts were about $325. A dainty supper was first served in the large marquee. Afterwards there was a parade of autos and floats. The Hanover Band was in attendance and provided good music. Other features which helped to swell the receipts were the fortune-telling tent, in charge of Mrs. (Dr.) Farewell, and Mr. L. C. Benton's midway feature. "Hit The Kaiser."

The prize-winners were:—Best decorated autos, 1st., P. J. Schnlan, 2nd., Major Henderson. Best decorated floats, 1st., Pickaninnies, 2nd., Merchant of Venice. Best decorated rig, Kelly Lettner and Master Tuckey. Best decorated bicycle, Master Will King. The judges were:—J. H. McGregor, Arch. Tolton jr., C. J. Mickle, of Chesley, John Clancy, of Cargill.

The cut glass dish was won by Mrs. A. McCartney; Table cover by Mr. F. G. Eidt. The bag of flour auctioned off by Auctioneer Coates, was bought by Mr. John Rowland three times.

One of the best features of the evening was an informative speech by Mr. C. J. Mickle K. C. of Chesley. He explained the necessity for conservation of food in Canada and showed how it is worth while. He pointed out that while we in Canada are the world's greatest producers per capita, we also seem to have the greatest appetites, being the world's greatest consumers.

Goes To Orillia

Miss Mae Cryderman B. A., who has been teaching at Durham since her graduation three years ago, has been appointed head of the English History Dept. of Orillia Collegiate Institute. The appointment is a good one, the school being one of the foremost in the province.

Matches to Burn

The tax on matches which came into effect on Monday found practically every merchant in Walkerton cleaned out of lucifers. There was a great run on Saturday, many citizens putting in a supply to last months, if not years ahead. Had the authorities announced the tax to come into effect at once, instead of giving the public two months notice, they would have secured a large revenue, which now has slipped through their fingers.

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New Potatoes In June

Mr. John Smith and family of Otter Creek had the unusual treat of having new potatoes on the table before the end of June. On Saturday last they had potatoes from their garden of a nice size about the size of a hen's egg.

Sprained His Ankle

Mr. Bassie Kirstine, of the South Line, had the misfortune to give his ankle a bad twist at a school picnic on Friday which will lay him off work for a short while. Bassie was running the bases in a lively baseball game when his right foot went into a hole. The ankle joint was twisted and one of the ligaments ruptured.

Autoists Beware

Chief Ferguson wishes us to give fair warning to all autoists that after this week, the drivers of all cars running without tail lights at night will be prosecuted. The Chief says he is determined to stamp out this practice and is going to "pinch" all offenders without exception. Autoists who have muddy numbers will also be summoned before the beak.

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A Big Month

Inspector H. W. Elliot of the Children's Aid Society reported at the monthly meeting on Tuesday no less than 60 visits to children in various parts of the County during the month of June. A number of these visits were to investigate new cases. This is certainly getting over the ground. In fact, the month was the heaviest that Mr. Elliott has ever experienced in Children's Aid Work

$200 For Patriotic Work

Mr. L. C. Benton's Midway game "Hit the Kaiser" was again a popular feature at the Soldiers' Aid Garden Party last Friday night. Mr. Benton forgets for a couple of hours that he is a dignified furniture manufacturer and is heart and soul a typical Midway Spieler. During the past two years the patriotic societies of this town have benefitted by over $200 from this novel stunt which Mr. Benton has put on at several affairs

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NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Council meeting Monday night.

Registration card cases at Hunter's.

Earl Ohrecht of Palmerston spent Monday here.

Mr. Fred W. Lippert arrived home from Ottawa on Thursday.

Mr. John Clancy of Cargill was a visitor in town on Friday.

Mr Jno. Smith and James Moore of Carrick spent Monday in London.

Mr. Isaac Abel returned on Tuesday from a few days' visit at Toronto.

Mrs. Siderson of Toronto is here visiting her son, Mr. Sam Siderson.

Rev. H. R. Horne of Toronto will preach at Knox Church next Sunday.

Mrs. Thomas Adair of Vancouver, is visiting his sister, Mrs. D. Sinclair.

Mrs. Garling of Harriston was the guest of Miss Myrtle Jenkins over the holiday.

Swan "Military" Fountain Pen—complete with making ink, $3.00 at Hunter's.

Miss Freda Myles is home from the Ontario Ladies College, Whitby, for the summer vacation.

Mrs. John R. Shaw of Woodstock was here yesterday attending the funeral of the late Mrs. Sheffield.

Mr. Fred Dewar of Windsor, a former manager of the Bell Telephone Co., here, spent Dominion Day with friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Paterson motored to Aylmer and spent a few days with the former's parents the past week.

Rev. G. D. Brown of Elmira, formerly pastor of the Evangelical Church here, is the guest of Rev. J. H. Gronsbach.

Mr. Eli Myles, the local agent for Nordheimer pianos, sold no less than five of those high-class instruments during the month of June.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Walford and children motored up from Kitchener on Saturday and spent the week-end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Walford.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Vogan, Miss Florence South and Messrs Herb South and Roy Wesley motored to Cheltenham, near Brampton, on Sunday and spent the holiday with relatives there.

Miss Briggs, the advertising expert of the Chautauqua Organization was here on Friday and organized an advertising committee, with Mrs. H. G. Hunter as convenor to handle the advertising for Chautauqua in Walkerton Aug. 7 to 13th.

Messrs Hank and Robt. Irwin, John Vogt, Frank Rennie and I. Glintz motored to London on Friday, returning on Saturday. With Hank at the wheel record time was made, the return trip, a distance of over ninety miles, being made in three hours and ten minutes.

A Red Cross Lawn Social will be held on the lawn of Geo. Fiddis, con. 12, Brant, on July 9th, under the auspices of the Vesta Red Cross Club. Vesta Band in attendance. Good program being prepared. Tea served from 6 until 9. Admission, adults 35 cents, children 15 cents. Everybody welcome.

Miss Elma Faust is holidaying with friends at Park Hill.

Miss Marion Tuckey spent the week-end with friends in Toronto.

Miss A. L. Crawford spent a few days at Toronto this week.

Miss Clara Kerney has returned from holidaying with friends at Kitchener.

Mrs. and Mrs. Harry Todd of Guelph were week-end visitors with Mrs. A. Todd.

Miss Marion Ernest, of Owen Sound, spent the week-end with relatives and friends here.

Mrs. Albert Inglis and daughter, Alberta, spent last Thursday visiting friends at Mildmay.

Mrs. G. B. Ellis, of Owen Sound, spent a few days last week with relatives and friends here.

Mr. Stan Sanderson of Chesley spent the holiday with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Sanderson.

Miss Anne May and Miss Florence Potter spent the week-end with friends at Palmerston.

Mr A. H. Stevens attended a Conference of Metropolitan Agents at Stratford last Wednesday.

Mr. Greenwood and son, Harold, of Palmerston, motored up on a visit to his son, Arthur, here last week.

Avery Tractors are sold by R. A Lisle & Co Toronto Ont. and C. Smith & Sons, Durham Ont. See their ad on page 4.

Mr. Ed. Fox, of the Merchants Bank, Montreal, who was up to see his father, Mr. C. A. Fox, returned to the city on Friday.

Miss Myrtle Farrow, who has been visiting her friend, Miss Nellie Bryce, returned to her home in Wiarton on Monday.

Mrs. (Rev.) R. S. Robinson, wife of a former rector of St Thomas Church, is here from Strathroy on a visit to Miss Shaw.

Rev. and Mrs. Thos. Wilson and children are spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Murray in Brant.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Eedy and Miss Irene Eedy of St Marys were week-end visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Lorne A. Eedy.

Mr. and Mrs. McCartney and Miss Robinson, of Vesta, motored here and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John A. McKinnon on Friday.

Miss Rose Ellinghausen left on Saturday for Detroit where she will spend a few weeks visiting her brother, Mr. Isidore Ellinghausen.

Mr. and Mrs. Erbrooke Norrish and babe of Ottawa are expected here by motor this week and will spend a month at Mr. Norrish's old home.

Sid. Saunders, the piano tuner, will be in Walkerton on or about July 15th. Kindly leave orders with Mr. E. H. Leeson or at C. A. Fox's Jeweler Store.

Miss Ruth Warren, teller at the Bank of Commerce, is attending a short course at Whitby College and will also visit friends at Toronto and Beamsville during her vacation.

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Mr. John Holmes of Harriston spent Dominion Day with Mr. Alex. McCartney. Mr. Holmes was for a time a member of the 160th but was not permitted to go to England on account of having passed the age limit.

A farewell party in the form of a "wiener roast" was tendered to Cadet Oscar Schwindt down the river on Thursday evening last. Some forty young people assembled and spent an enjoyable time around the camp-fire.

The Tea Room Girls wish to thank all those who helped in any way to make their garden party such a success and ask that the owners of jars and dishes sent to the Tea Room or garden party claim same next Friday at the Tea Room.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex George and family and Mr Dave George motored to Toronto on Saturday and spent over the holiday with friends there and also with their nephew, Jack Hampson, a former Walkerton boy, who is training at the Military Camp, Niagara.

The Red Cross Workers of School Section No 1 Brant are holding a lawn social on Monday, July 8th at Mr H. Traynor's South Line. Admission 15 cents. Free car both going and coming to any parties sending their names to Mrs. S. Kirstine, phone 1371.

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Miss Winnie Cryderman of Bowmanville is a guest at Mr. C. W. Cryderman's.

Miss Bessie O'Connor, nurse of St. Michael's Hospital, Toronto, is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James O'Connor.

Ptes. Wilfrid McKay and Wilford Hornbach reported at the Whitby Convalescent Home for treatment. Both of these returned men came to Canada on the hospital ship Llandovery which was torpedoed off the English coast last week. A large number of the staff of doctors and nursing sisters lost their lives.

Mrs. McKay Very Low.

Mrs. R.H. McKay who has been long in poor health, was severely stricken with paralysis on Sunday morning. She is now very low and her recovery is at present despaired of.

Good Stock Comes High

Mr Henry Hossfeld sold a nice 15 months old Shorthorn heifer last week to Mr. Oliver Marshall of Elora, who was up here looking for some good cattle. The price paid was $225.

Is Some Better

Mr. C. A. Fox is a little better the past few days and hopes are now held out of steady improvement. Mrs. Fox, who was taken very ill on Sunday, is now reported to be a great deal better.

Will Teach School

Corp. Wilfrid Yack, who returned home recently from Overseas after having been seriously wounded, has received his discharge and will probably resume school-teaching after the summer vacation.

Dunkeld Farmer's Club

The farmers of Dunkeld neighborhood held a meeting on Tuesday evening to organize a Farmers' Club and will hold another meeting on Tuesday evening of next week at Schurter's Hall for further organization.

Coming Home From England

Nursing Sister Annie Ferguson, daughter of Chief and Mrs. R. B. Ferguson, is reported to be suffering from heart trouble and expects to get leave home from England shortly. Miss Ferguson has been nursing in a Canadian Hospital Overseas for about a year.

Case Is Being Considered

Mr. W. G. Eamer, of the Bank of Commerce, Walkerville, spent the week-end with friends in town. Mr. Eamer may have to report for military duty in spite of his lame shoulder which laid him off work for weeks at a time while he was located at Walkerton. His case is to be disposed of the coming week. Two of Mr. Eamer's brothers are on the firing line in France.

Where Rain Is Needed

Robert Reed, an old Bruce boy who is farming at Loverna, Sask. in renewing his subscription to the Telescope, writes:—"Weather very dry here, no rain this Spring yet. A lot of wheat isn't up yet and oats the same. Crops around here don't amount to very much this year. Farmers are plowing their wheat grounds for summer fallow. There will be hundreds of acres around here plowed down this year."

These Youngsters Can Run

At a school picnic held at Leach's Grove, Maple Hill, last Thursday a star feature was a race in which some well-known men competed. Brunt, the Hanover cattle king, won first place. Jim McWhinney looked like a winner until the big drover grabbed him and gave him a shove towards the rear. Mr. J. W. Adams of Hanover and Richard Burrell, of Maple Hill, also showed that they could use shank's mares.

Holds High Position

Mr. John Clancy and children, of Durand, Mich., were holidaying with the former's brother, Mr. R. J. Clancy. Mr. Clancy, who is a former Greenock boy, has made exceptional progress up the ladder in the G. T. R. service. He is now train-master at Durand, which is an important divisional point across the line. Before entering the railroad service, Mr. Clancy took a course in the old Walkerton Business College.

Boy Drowned At Paisley

A sad drowning accident occurred at Paisley on Saturday afternoon, the victim being Gordon Bailey the only son of Mrs. Joseph Bailey. Gordon, who was a bright lad of 10 years, was bathing in the swimming pond near the Saugeen bridge and got beyond his depth. His body was found in about fifteen minutes and Dr. Houston and George did everything in their power to resuscitate the lad but without success. Besides his mother Gordon leaves one little sister Margaret. His father died about six years ago. Mrs. D. McKerracher is an aunt of the lad and on learning of the accident Mr. and Mrs. McKerracher went to Paisley Saturday night.

HERO WELCOMED HOME

Public Reception Given In Town Hall To Corporal Wilfred McKay And Cadet Oscar Schwindt

The usual public reception and presentation was tendered to Pte. Wilfrid McKay, who was recently invalided home after many months of active service, at the town hall on Thursday evening last. The attendance was fairly good, but the majority of those present were women and girls, a fact which was lamented by the Chairman, Mr. John Rowland and what he had to say about the manhood of Walkerton should result in a crowded house at the next and following receptions to our young heroes as they return from the battle-line. The presentation to Pte. McKay was made by Mr. Rowland and the address was read by Mayor Johnston. Although not able to use one of his legs and suffering from "nerves", "Biff.", with the fortitude of the true British Tommy bravely faced the audience and said he was glad to be home and glad to be in as good shape as he was for he had seen many who were a great deal worse than he. He thanked the people for their kindness and expressed his gratitude to the ladies of the different societies and the ladies of Knox Church for their parcels while Overseas.

The Preparedness League took advantage of the meeting to present Cadet Oscar Schwindt, who was home on last leave with the usual purse. In reply Oscar said he was glad to be in the service and would try and do his share towards bringing the war to an end.

Members of the Brant Preparedness League also met at the hall and presented Pte. Wilford Hornbach, a former Brant boy with an address and presentation. Mr. Frank Rennie read the address and made a few appropriate remarks while Mr. Robt. Richardson made the presentation.

The proceedings were interspersed by instrumental selections by the Misses Scanlon and Art. McCartney, solos by Misses Hilda Ermet and Vera Dippel and addresses by Mr. Norman Robertson and Rev. C. W. Cosens. The meeting was fittingly closed in prayer by Rev. J. W. Sanderson.

Sent Out West

Pte. Charlie Bryce writes his father Mr. Robt Bryce from Winnipeg that on landing at Halifax he was sent by the authorities to the point where he enlisted in the West. He is very anxious to get home after being so long on the sick list and will return to Walkerton after visiting his sister May, at Garvin, Sask.

Chautauqua Committee

The ladies have perfected their organization for Chautauqua week, Aug. 7 to 13th, under the auspices of the I. O. D. E. The officers in charge will be:—President, Mrs. Wiser; Treasurer, Mrs. Skelton; Secretary, Miss. Truax; Chairman of Advertising Com. Mrs. H. G. Hunter; Tickets, Mrs. E. J. Skelton; Grounds, Mrs. J. Whitehead; Hospitality, Mrs. R. Perdue; Decorating, Miss Warren; Junior Chautauqua, Miss Havill.

Death of Mrs. Sheffield

There passed to rest at her home, Prince St., on Sunday morning, June 30th, Charlotte L. Odell, wife of Mr. E. H. Sheffield, in her 70th year. She had been bedfast for seven weeks, following years of constant ill-health. Mrs. Sheffield was born in the town of Brockville, where she resided until after her marriage. In 1879 she came with her husband to Walkerton where he conducted in partnership with his brother a large drygoods business for a number of years. Mrs. Sheffield was a woman of beautiful spirit and great strength of character. In the days before ill-health limited her activities she was diligent in all good work, such as searching out the needy in the community and helping them. She was also an active worker in the various societies of the Methodist church and in the W. C. T. U. She was very fond of music and before removing here was organist in one of the churches of her native town. Through long years of illness she never lost her cheerfulness and spirit of thoughtfulness for others. She leaves to mourn, besides her husband, an only surviving daughter, Miss Ethel, at home. Her brothers and sisters are:—F. A. Odell of Coaticooke, Que; Wheeler Odell, Montreal, Misses Eva and Nellie Odell of Brockville. The funeral, which was held on Wednesday afternoon, was largely attended. Rev. C. W. Cosens, pastor of the Methodist church conducted service. The pall-bearers were:—Messrs A. E. Sherrington, C. W. Cryderman, [illegible] Wilford, E. W. Cosens, John [illegible], Cecil, M. G. Dippell.

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Morning train, north bound—11.57 "

Afternoon train, south bound—4.06 p. m.

Night train, north bound—9.25 p. m

BRUCE COUNTY COUNCIL

The June Session of the County Council of Bruce was held at Southampton commencing on Monday, the 17th. instant. The Warden and all the members were on hand for a heavy session.

To a large extent it was a session devoted to County highways and deputations, and between the two Council was kept decidedly busy.

A large deputation of ladies waited on the Council asking that the grants to their Societies for War Work to be continued. In January the Council appropriated certain moneys for this purpose, but had no means whatever then of ascertaining about how much money would be required. They set aside what they thought to be ample to carry on the work until the June session, but the members of Council and the people generally had their eyes opened as to the wonderful extent to which this work was being carried on by the women of Bruce. The money expected to last until June did not live more than half the time. The result was many Societies were disappointed when they could not get further grants. Some ladies seemed to think the grant had been stopped, but it was a case of waiting until the Council had time to vote more money for the cause. Some of the delegates asked that the grant be made to each Women's Society without reference to moneys raised by such Society as at present, but council could not see any way of equalizing such a grant, some Societies having a larger membership and being more aggressive and doing more work than others. It was therefore decided to continue the grant on the same terms as before, that is dollar for dollar with the moneys raised and expended by each Society. The Council was firmly of the opinion that no money voted for war purposes was made free from criticism in its expenditure or did greater good to the boys at the Front than the moneys granted to the Women's Societies of Bruce.

Other matters concerning the War included a grant of $20,000 to the Y. M. C. A. for their work on the Front. On account of the charges made against the Y.M.C.A. the grant is not to be paid over until such charges are satisfactorily cleared up. Members did not seem to think much of the charges but did think it was only prudent to have them cleared up before payment of the grant.

The Bruce Patriotic League asked for a grant of $1,000 to assist in paying expenses in connection with the work they are doing arranging for returned soldiers. Council granted $500 to be paid as accounts are certified by the officers of the League.

A large deputation was present from Chesley asking that the Town be allowed the use of the land instruments returned by the Bruce Battalion until they were again required. It was pointed out that such instruments would be much better in use and taken care of than stored away where they would rust and otherwise deteriorate. Council agreed to allow Chesley the use of them, upon receiving a proper bond to return all such instruments in proper shape whenever called for by the Council.

The usual grants of $2,500 to Walkerton Hospital and $1,500 to Kincardine Hospital were made, and an extra grant of $250 was given Kincardine Hospital to assist in installing a water system.

The Council joined with other Counties in asking the Legislature to amend the Act so that a Township could make the poll tax from $1.50 to $5.00 instead of only $1.50 as at present.

The usual grants to High Schools and Continuation Schools were made.

A grant of $1,000 was made to the Salvation Army to assist in erecting the Rescue home in London.

The Equalization of the County remains the same as last year except the division between Carrick and Mildmay.

The Committee appointed to examine the bridge on the South Line, Kincardine Tp., asked to be assumed as a County bridge, reported against assuming it but recommended a grant of $700 to repairs which grant was made. A grant of $500 was made to Brant to assist in repairing a washout, and grants of $50 each were made to Hepworth and Lion's Head.

The Committee appointed to consider joint Children's Shelters and jails for two or more counties reported that they had met a similar Committee from the County of Huron and gone into these matters. As to the Shelter the joint committee did not think this possible and recommended no action. As to a joint jail the committee thought this could be worked out and recommended that a joint committee of the different Counties be appointed to consider it.

The question of County Highways was very prominently before the Council a large part of the time of Session, being taken up in committee of the whole, considering the question. Much of the difficulties arises from the fact that the Council thinks the question should be viewed from the standpoint of the County System as a whole, that is, that the system finally adopted should be such a one as is of most benefit to the whole County, rather than as to how it will affect the individual municipality. At the January session many requests were made for the addition of roads to the system as laid out originally. These, as well as the roads first adopted, were referred to a committee with instructions for the committee to go over the whole system and report to Council which roads they thought, after thorough and personal examination, should be included in the County system. This committee brought in a report this session and the discussion on this report occupied very much time but the subject was a long and important one.

The question of the provision for towns and villages brought on a long and warm discussion, and for some time it looked as though the representatives of these municipalities and of the rural municipalities would be unable to agree. Finally a sub-committee was appointed to deal with the matter, and they recommended a compromise between the claims of the two classes by which the outlying sections of roads in towns and villages, where farm lands adjoin these sections, should be taken in as a part of the system, and that there should be an annual grant to each town and village equal to 75% of the amount they are assessed each year for county highways, the money to be spent only on the street of the town or village which lies between the parts of the system ending at the limits of said municipality, and to be spent under the supervision of the County Highway Inspector. This was considered fair by all parties and was adopted.

After full discussion the changes made in the roads first adopted were as follows:—

(1) That one-half the boundary line between the Counties of Grey and Bruce be adopted as part of the system Grey County to adopt the other half of this line as part of the Grey system

(2) That the part of Road No. 10 in said By-law from the village of Tara to the North Gravel Road (boundary of Arran and Amabel) be taken from the system.

(3) The boundary from Lovat to the village of Paisley on Road No. 14, struck off.

(4) The Fifth Sideroad of the Township of Greenock was struck off.

(5) That part of Elora Road through village of Mildmay, struck off.

(6) That part of the 6th Con., Carrick from its junction with the Elora Road to the boundary of Carrick, was struck off.

(7) That part of the 15th Sideroad of Amabel lying north of the 10th Con. of Amabel, was struck off.

A number of applications to add other roads to the system were referred to a committee to examine and report.

The question of having some of the roads on the system adopted as part of the Provincial Highway System was referred to the committee to look into.

The Highway System is recognized by Council as a large and important one and it was felt better to go slowly and try to avoid expensive mistakes.

The County rate is high this year (8½ mills) raising $238,459.10. A large part of this is accounted for by war expenditure as follows:—Grants to Patriotic Fund, Red Cross, etc., $45,000; Provincial War Tax, $28,000; Grant to Y. M. C. A., $20,000; Ladies' Societies, $15,000 and the Good Roads, $45,000. So that the ordinary expenditure is well within that of other years.

Council closed a more than ordinary busy session on Friday, and adjourned to meet at Walkerton on December the 3rd next.

P. A. Malcomson,
County Clerk.

Culross Tp. Council

Town Hall, Teeswater, June 24th, 1918.

Council met to-day as per motion of adjournment of last meeting. Members of the Board were all present. The minutes of the last meeting were read and sustained.

Moved by Philip Keffer, seconded by Thos. McPherson, that we pay $5.00 per day for man and team on grader, only two teams to be used, the operator to be paid $3.00 per day.—Carried.

Thompson—Armstrong—That as David McDonald is assessed for a dog that he declares he has not got that it be struck off the Assessment Roll.—Carried.

Thompson—Keffer—That as there is some valuable timber on the 30th sideroad, cons. 12, 13, 14, 15, we would recommend that a Land Surveyor be secured to run the line and that the timber be disposed of.—Carried.

Thompson—McPherson—That we appoint Philip Keffer to have the brush cut opposite lots 25 and 26, con. 4, as it obstructs the road.

Armstrong—Keffer—That we appoint Albert Doerr poundkeeper for con. 6 east, and that the Clerk notify him of the same.—Carried.

Thompson—Armstrong—That as the petition of Wm. Hannerman and Wm. Lindsay and others for deepening and removing the obstructions from the Teeswater river be received and that we appoint John Rogers of Mitchell to be the Engineer to make an examination of the area to be drained and report thereon in accordance with the provisions of the Municipal Drainage Act.—Carried.

McPherson—Keffer—That the Reeve and Jno. S. Armstrong have a new bridge built opposite lot 4, con. 8 and 9, either wood, cement or stone.—Carried.

Thompson—McPherson—That the Reeve and Philip Keffer be appointed to repair the hill at lot 24, cons. 2 and 3 and also have sideroad repaired.—Carried.

Thompson—Keffer—That as there was a delegation from Teeswater and Culross asking assistance for the Y. M. C. A. that we give a grant of $50 for that purpose.—Carried.

Thompson—Keffer—That the Reeve write the different firms and get the price of the graders.

Finance Here.

The Council then adjourned to meet again on Monday, July 15th.

Chas. Button,
Clerk.

Merchants Bank Makes Another Brilliant Report

An increase in total assets mounting to almost twenty million dollars was the outstanding feature of the very gratifying report submitted at the annual meeting of the Merchants Bank of Canada on the fifth of June. This increase, which brings the assets of the Bank up to the notable figure of $240,937,541, was produced by an all-round increase in all branches of the Bank's liabilities to the public. Note circulation advanced nearly three millions, and non-interest deposits advanced seven and three-quarter millions, and interest-bearing deposits eleven millions, while balances due to banks and correspondents abroad were the only item to show a decrease. The general expansion was at the exceptional rate of 16¼ per cent. for the year. Deposits grew at the rate of over 21 per cent.

Another important feature of the report consists in the extent to which the Bank was successful in enlarging its current Loans and discounts in Canada. Thirteen and a half million dollars approximately was added to this class of assets in the twelve months ending April 30th., and in the speeches at the annual meeting it was made clear that this expansion was in the main a direct result of the increased volume of the commodities on which such loans are based. The assets have been rigorously scrutinized and the sum of $400,000 was appropriated out of profits for the Contingent Fund for the making good of any depreciation.

In spite of the expansion in current loans, the proportion of liquid assets to liabilities is still high enough for the most conservative requirements. The cash and readily realizable assets now total $57,667,481, against public liabilities amounting to $126,323,671, or in the proportion of 45.6 per cent. About 34 millions of these liquid assets is in the form of cash, bank balances and call loans, and the remainder consists largely of government securities of the Dominion, the Provinces and Great Britain. It will be seen that both by its assistance to the current trade and industry of the Dominion and by its support of the government finances of Canada and the Allies the Merchants Bank is performing important services towards the winning of the war.

Notwithstanding the greatly increased volume of assets, profits continue to be on a very moderate scale considering the real size of the shareholders' investment. The earnings for the year were $1 236,680, being 17.66 per cent. on the capital of $7,000,000 but the real investment includes $7,000,000 of Rest or Reserve Fund, to say nothing of the undisturbed profit balance, and the actual rate of earnings is therefore less than 8.8 per cent. Of all of this is available for the shareholders, since as already mentioned, an appropriation of $400,000 was made for contingencies and war taxes and the Officers' Pension Fund took between them another $130,000. After the payment of the 10 per cent dividend there was left a balance of 10,681 to add to the Balance carried forward.

Since the 1914 statement the total assets of the Merchants Bank have increased from $93,129,711 to $140,937,541, and this without any increase other in capital stock or Reserve Fund. For the time being owing to the large sums carried in liquid assets at low earning power, and also to the constant re-valuations of securities, the profits are not proportionately enhanced, but it is evident that with the return of more normal conditions this expanded business should be very beneficial to the shareholders.

A company has recently been formed in Japan to manufacture a substitute for celluloid out of soy-beans. This substitute is known as "satolite" and its manufacture will greatly enlarge the present market for beans. It can be manufactured more cheaply than celluloid and is said to have many advantages over celluloid.

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It is one of the anomalies of life that the sources of our greatest pleasures and greatest means of good, may also be sources of life's greatest pains and most harm. Milk is a case in point. Milk is the best source of life's greatest good—proper and sufficient food. It may also be a cause of the destruction of life, because it may become the home or feeding ground of those death-dealing organisms which are now recognized as the cause of practically all deaths, except those due to accident or old age.

Fortunately we have discovered comparatively simple methods of combating the effects of what are called pathogenic (disease-producing) bacteria. These may be stated in a few short rules as follows:

1. Milk which is consumed in a raw condition must be drawn only from cows which are healthy.

2. As soon as the milk is drawn from the cow, it should be cooled to 60 degrees or lower, and be kept at that temperature until consumed.

3. All pails, strainers, dippers, milk bottles, pitchers, etc., which come in contact with the milk, must be thoroughly washed and preferably steamed, or be rinsed after washing in a chloride solution, which has been found to be one of the best germicides.

4. Milk should not be exposed to the air any longer than absolutely necessary, as this seeds the milk with a fresh lot of germs. This means the keeping of milk in a closed vessel and not in an open dish.

5. "Left over" milk from meals should not be put into the general supply, as this causes the whole lot to spoil.

6. "Left over" milk from the sick room should be pasteurized or destroyed, as it may spread disease.

7. Milk at all times and in all places should be kept "clean" and "cool."—Prof. H. H. Dean, Ontario Agricultural College.

Roguing Potatoes.

The average yield of potatoes per acre in the Province of Ontario for the past thirty-six years has been about 115 bushels. The yields vary greatly. In 1917 there were variations in Ontario from twenty-five or less up to seven hundred bushels per acre. People are realizing more and more that for high yields of potatoes conditions must be favorable. It is important to have good fertile soil well cultivated and to plant a liberal supply of seed of the best varieties at the proper time. Seed potatoes somewhat immature which have been produced in a cool climate, and which are comparatively free from disease, are apt to furnish seed of high quality. Even under these conditions it is well to carefully inspect the seed before planting and to thoroughly rogue the growing crop.

A potato field is rogued by removing the undesirable plants. A thorough roguing of the growing crop once or twice during the summer is one of the most effectual ways in ridding the field of a number of the potato diseases. This operation would also insure the immediate removal of the weak and unthrifty plants which are sure to produce undesirable seed. Potato growers sometimes go through their fields and remove all plants which are not true to type. Thorough roguing is one of the best methods of securing pure, healthy seed of high quality.—Dr. C. A. Zavitz, Ontario Agricultural College.

Exercise the Breeding Stock.

Exercise is essential for all male breeding stock. At certain seasons of the year it is an easy matter to arrange for ample exercise for the stallion, the bull, the boar, or the ram. At other times it is rather difficult and frequently little or no exercise is given, or if given too much freedom occasionally, harm to the sire is the result.

The bull should not be allowed to run loose in the pasture with the cows. In the first place it is a dangerous custom, as it gives abundant opportunity for the bull to attack a person unawares or where escape is difficult. Further, a record of the date of breeding of the cows cannot be kept and no herd can be handled to the best advantage without these records.

The main points to be observed in keeping a bull in good condition so as to retain his breeding powers are to avoid excessive use when young and to give plenty of exercise and a moderate ration when mature. A good boxstall, about ten by twelve feet, gives freedom indoors, and it is well to arrange for a strong paddock outdoors with convenient passage between the two. Two or more bulls of any age may be kept together if they be dehorned, and the advantage is that more exercise will be taken.

The stallion on a route usually gets plenty and sometimes too much exercise. At other times moderate work of the boxstall and paddock will suffice.

The ram running during the greater part of the year with the main flock gets plenty of exercise, especially if the breeder is aiming for a crop of strong lambs, and gets the flock outside practically every day during the winter.

The boar will do best on a grass plot with plenty of shade during summer, and in a pen provided with a small yard during the winter months.—Harry M. King, B.S.A., Ontario Agricultural College.

NEWSY HAPPENINGS IN BRUCE

The Telescope brings together the wideawake buyer and the wideawake merchant.

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Pretty soon the men will have to carry around knitting bags to hold their birth certificates, passports, medical examination sheets and registration cards.

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Don't let any stranger into your house to inspect your stock of flour and sugar unless he shows his authority as a Government official. It is said that bogus inspectors are going through the country confiscating and carrying off alleged excess stocks.

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At the Saskatchewan Grain Growers' convention it was alleged that a young farmer in the Luseland district who was killed at the front willed two quarter sections to his brothers free of all encumbrances. A lawyer in Winnipeg was handling the transfer and the fees had already risen to $700.

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We are told that there are at least 100 pigs being fattened in Paisley back yards this summer, and the owners are vying with one another as to who can raise the finest porker. The names of our pork producers should not be overlooked by the title committee who are making recommendations for the next batch of six thousand to receive the "Order of the Empire."

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Mr Roy Stringer, of Kincardine, a nephew of Bishop Stringer, of the Yukon, narrowly escaped death with several companions when his car turned completely over in the center of the road at Elginfield Corners, two miles south of Lucan. A broken wheel was the cause of the accident. Mr. Stringer's leg was broken and Miss Lindsay, who was also in the front seat of the car, was hurt internally, as well as having several ribs cracked when she was struck by the windshield of the car.

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Trapping Bears in Bruce

Two bears were trapped near Golden Valley in Amabel twp. during the last week. Recently bears have become numerous in the township and farmers have suffered severely through their flocks of sheep being attacked. The township council of Amabel offered a bonus of $10 for each bear trapped and there is likely to be a grand round up of the bears. Messrs Jos. Barclay of Mar, and John Rogers of Golden Valley are the first to claim the bonus, having captured two last week.

R. Trench's Chopstow Bell took first money in the 2.25 chase at Port Huron on Tuesday of last week winning in three straight heats.

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Judge Elias H. Jones, of Detour, Mich., is here on a visit at the home of his aunt, Mrs. Wm. Jones, Greenock hill. The visitor is an old townline Elderslie and Brant boy. About forty years ago he went to Detour, and for thirty-five years he has been judge of the local court in that live water front town.—Paisley Advocate

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A farmer's wife, hurrying from milking the cows to the kitchen, from the kitchen to the churn, from the churn to the woodshed, and back to the kitchen stove, was asked if she wanted to vote. "No, I certainly do not. If there's one little thing that the men-folks can do alone, for goodness sake let 'em do it."

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During the first four months of 1918, 14,618 accidents of which 155 were fatal cases, were reported to the Workmen's Compensation Board, Toronto. The total for the corresponding months of 1917, 10,536 and the number of deaths resulting there from were 160. The amounts of compensation awarded during this period of 1918, was $1,697,202 67; or an average of $115,004.17 was paid for medical aid during the period. The above information is contained in a pamphlet issued by the Ontario Government.

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Major Jackson tells of the visit of one of the generals to the trenches on the end of the British line. The general who was a great stickler for discipline, said to the last man on the left: "Do you know, sir, that you're the most important soldier in the army?" Private Perkins murmured some modest rejoiner, but, as in duty bound, kept his eye glued to the periscope with its vista of No Man's Land. "Yes" resumed the general, "you're the last man in the last squad of the last platoon of the last company of the last battalion of the last regiment of the last brigade." After this impressive announcement the general turned on his heel and departed. Then the sergeant-major, lest Private Perkins should be puffed up by the suddenly conferred importance, added: "Yes, and if the army gets the command to form on the left you'll mark time for the rest of your bloody natural life."

Any military man realizes what it would mean to be pivot man for a line 125 miles long.

Women are coming along. Kenosha, Wis., had a strike of women car conductors

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James Edgar, a well-known resident of Culross died on June 25th in his 65th year. He was a native of Somersetshire. A widow and five sons survive.

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Last Saturday at Owen Sound three keepers of eating houses were up for breaches of the Food Board Order. Sid Gun and A. N. Hartley were found guilty of having served certain foods on days when they were prohibited, and were fined $100.00 each without costs.

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Mr. Jas. B. McKay, of Lovat, had the framework of a large new barn erected on Friday last. There were about 150 men present to assist, and they got it up in fine shape. On account of the rainy weather that day there were no chose sides, as it was considered somewhat dangerous to have any hurry due to rivalry. The barn is 85 x 66 feet.

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A certain man with his little dog was driving a Ford car along the road when it became stalled and not able to make it go, tied a cord to the car and fastened it to the dog's tail who pulled it into the nearest garage for repairs. On entering the place, a constable stepped up and arrested the man who was taken by surprise and asked for an explanation as to his arrest, when he was informed by the officer that it was against the law to tie a tin can to a dog's tail.

Saugeen Indians Registered

Reports from Mr. Thos. Stout who is in charge of the Indian reserve of Saugeen, say that the Indians registered to a man and that every eligible turned out to registered except a blind woman.

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Fatal Auto Accident

John E. Harrison 10th con. Huron Township, received a message from Moosejaw last week which stated that his wife, Mrs. Harrison and her sister-in law, Mrs. John Carleton had been killed while riding in an auto. A later message stated that Mr. John Carleton had also died from injuries received in the accident. It appears that the car driven by Mr. Carletdn was crossing the railway track near Moosejaw when it was struck by a train. The remains of Mrs. Harrison will be brought to Ripley for burial.

THE MERCHANTS BANK OF CANADA

Statement of Liabilities and Assets at 30th April, 1918.

LIABILITIES

1. To the Shareholders

Capital Stock paid in	$ 7,000,000.00
Rest or Reserve Fund	7,000,000.00
Dividends declared and unpaid	170,900.00
Balance of Profits as per Profit and Loss Account submitted herewith	437,973.92
	$14,614,873.92

2. To the Public

Notes of the Bank in Circulation	12,237,108.00
Deposits not bearing interest	31,890,747.83
Deposits bearing interest (including interest accrued to date of statement)	73,910,085.48
Balances due to other Banks in Canada	1,100,941.75
Balances due to Banks and banking correspondents in the United Kingdom and foreign countries	1,101,926.50
Bills payable	
Acceptances under letters of credit	598,851.20
Liabilities not included in the foregoing	
	$140,937,544.97

ASSETS

Current Coin	$ 6,890,011.36
Deposit in the Central Gold Reserves	6,000,000.00
Dominion Notes	8,012,692.50
Notes of other Banks	823,070.00
Cheques on other Banks	5,311,786.12
Balances due by other Banks in Canada	4,701.27
Balances due by Banks and banking correspondents in the United Kingdom	82,580.53
Balances due by Banks and banking correspondents elsewhere than in Canada and the United Kingdom	1,337,915.03
Dominion and Provincial Government securities, not exceeding market value	5,455,541.03
Railway and other Bonds, Debentures and Stocks, not exceeding market value	4,000,334.70
Canadian Municipal securities, and British, Foreign and Colonial public securities other than Canadian	14,550,065.54
Call Loans in Canada on Bonds, Debentures and Stocks	8,223,023.88
Call Loans elsewhere than in Canada	3,901,618.93
	$57,907,481.67
Current Loans and Discounts in Canada (less Rebate of Interest)	70,194,010.31
Current Loans and Discounts elsewhere than in Canada (less Rebate of Interest)	330,987.15
Liabilities of customers under letters of credit as per contra	598,851.20
Real Estate other than bank premises	312,928.11
Overdue debts, estimated loss provided for	$72,220.00
Bank Premises, at not more than cost, less amounts written off	4,846,488.98
Deposit with the Minister for the purposes of the Circulation Fund	355,000.00
Other Assets not included in the foregoing	310,615.02
	$140,937,544.97

H. W. BLACKWELL, *Vice-President.* B. F. HEBDEN, *Managing Director.* D. C. MACAROW, *General Manager.*

Report of the Auditors to the Shareholders of The Merchants Bank of Canada

In accordance with the provisions of sub-sections 19 and 20 of section 56 of the Bank Act, we report to the Shareholders as follows:—

We have examined the above Balance Sheet with the Books of Account and other records at the Chief Office of the Bank and with the correct returns from the Branches and Agencies and have checked the cash and verified the securities of the Bank at the Chief Office against the entries in regard thereto in the books of the Bank at 30th April, 1918, and at a different time during the year and found them to agree with such entries. We also attended at some of the Branches during the year and checked the cash and verified the securities held at the dates of our attendances and found them to agree with the entries in regard thereto in the books of the Bank.

We have obtained all the information and explanations we have required. In our opinion the transactions of the Bank which have come under our notice have been within the powers of the Bank, and the above balance sheet is properly drawn up so as to exhibit a true and correct view of the state of the Bank's affairs, according to the best of our information and the explanations given to us, and as shown by the books of the Bank.

VIVIAN HARCOURT, GORDON TANSLEY, } Auditors.
(of the firm of Deloitte, Plender, Griffiths & Co.)

Montreal, 22nd May, 1918.

When Your Hubby Comes Home From the War

"When the boys come home" will they find that the girls don't want them any more? asks William Purvis in the Toronto Sunday World. Or, to put it another way, are the women whose husbands have joined the army so happy and comfortable in their grass widowhood that they will miss this ball; war when it's all over and be sorry to find themselves fully married again, as it were?

As a mere male person I should never have dared to raise this question myself for fear of being accused of cynicism, had it not been raised already by a charming lady and the police court reports. Personally, I take a cheerful view of the outlook; I think that, generally speaking, Jeanne will be glad to see Jack back again, that Liza will welcome Thomas home with all due enthusiasm, and that Molly and Patsy will need reintroduction as well as Arthur Roberts used to tell us he needed a guide on his honeymoon.

Still, there are those police court reports of the men who came home and found they were not wanted: stories in some cases invested with a very terrible sort of tragedy.

Magie Amber was the customary London suburban girl. She was very pretty and very nice, and her widowed mother had exactly $1,000 a year coming in, and lived in a flat. Marie fell in love with a good-looking young fellow called Osborn Kerr who was a clerk in the city office of the Runaway Car Company. Osborn got $20 a week which looks a lot of money when you only have to pay $3.50 a week for board and lodgings out of it, and have the balance left for cigarettes, neckties and occasional evenings out.

Then they got married. Then three babies arrived in tolerably rapid succession. Somehow or other, when they had their pretty little maisonet all done up in cream and pink, and bought a lot of beautiful furniture on the hire purchase system, the Kerrs had forgotten all about the possibility of babies. For babies are expensive, even before they arrive; and three of them can make an awful hole in $20 a week.

The Money Question

Marie was a good manager, but she couldn't help asking Osborn for money very often, and she couldn't help losing her looks and getting grubby finger-nails. She didn't like doing either and she liked it less as Osborn grew more irritable and less considerate and stayed out oftener at night. But she was not completely fed up, altho she rebelled a little now and then, until one day she became convinced that her husband was no longer in love with her—at any rate, was very glad to get a way from her.

It happened like this. One of the Runaway travellers had a fatal accident and Osborne was given his job. It meant a jump from $1000 to $2500 a year and liberal expenses. It meant that for the first time in his life Osborn could afford to be extravagant. His firm sent him to America for a year, and Marie could see by the light in his eye and the spring in his step that he was delighted to go.

For a few minutes she was almost broken-hearted. Within six months (when her mother died and left her enough to do herself extremely well) she had picked up wonderfully. Osborn had been allowing her $1000 a year in his absence; and this went much farther than half the amount with his presence. She had found that you could be a very cheerful chirpy little grass widow with three dear little kiddies on $20 a week, and no dictatorial man to feed and generally do for. With $2000 (part of which was from her mother's estate) Marie was in clover.

It was an awful shock for Osborne when he came back and found that Marie had become familiar with the role of husbandless wife, that she preferred the freedom and privacy of the past year to the dull servitude of the years preceding it and following on her first year of matrimony. She was lovelier than ever, and felt, not without reason, that now she could withstand comparison with the gay, well-dressed women amongst whom formerly she felt dowdy as Osborn eyed their complexions and their clothes.

There are hundreds of thousands of women in this country today who are financially far better off as grass widows than they were as wives, who enjoy greater social freedom than ever before. Undoubtedly, here is by no means the least of those after-the-war problems with which solemn old gentlemen and almost as solemn young ladies persistently menace us. Marie came round all right at the finish, however; and I shrewdly suspect that Jeanne, Liza, and Molly will do the same. As Marie's mother used to ask: "What else can we women do my dear?"

Under the present labor conditions, says the Farmers' Advocate, it looks as though farmers would be obliged to go back to the eight-hour-day system. Eight hours in the morning and eight hours in the afternoon.

THE SEPARATE SCHOOL

Promotion Results Giving Names Of Successful Pupils In The Various Classes

SEN. IV.

Honours—Clarence Weiler, Alex McNab, Edwin Schmidt, Lyal Cousins.—Passed—Herbert Schnurr, Eleanor Weber, Aloysius Zettler, Rita Scanlon, Arthur Waechter, Mary Zettler, Agnes Clancy, Norman Eckenswiller.

JUN. IV.

Honours—Bernice Lambertus. Laverne Yaeck, Williard Walker, Audrey McNeill, Hilda McNamara.—Passed Griselda Becker, John Obrecht, Violet Freiburger, Arthur Sutter, Gladys Eckenswiller, Albert Obrecht, Alvin Cunio, Clara Giesler, Harry Buehlow, Fridoline Berberich, Cyril Lumley.

SEN. III

Honors— Agnes Weber, Albert Giesler, Kathleen Obrecht.—Passed Loretta Gillen, Leona Scanlen, Joseph Gillen, Howard O'Neill, Norman Freiburger, Gerard Ernewein, Harold Schiestel, Leona Waechter, Joseph Batte, Antonette Wilhelm, Philip Weiler, Michael Eckenswiller, Albert Batte Alex. Bank.

JUN. III

Honors—Leona Schnurr, Irwin Lebsinger, Arthur Klein, Melinda Ernest, Evelyn Weber, Bernice Mullen, Aud. Fehrenbach, Helen Wilhelm, Lillian Freiburger, Roy Walker, William Dentinger, Isabel Zettler, Anthony Cunio, David McNab.—Passed—Marie Ernewein, Kelly Lettner. Olive Hesch, Frank Zettler, Clarence Berberich, Ursula Lymbery, Joseph Lippert, Bernard Schnurr.

SEN. II

Honors—Lillian Koller, Lionel Rich, Clara Heisz, Joseph Wilhelm.—Passed—Joseph Huck, Fred Lymberry, Charles Schnurr, Albert Disch.

JUN. II

Honors;—Charles O'Malley, Annie Lettner, Harry Kroetch, Arthur Weiler, Iona Weiss. Passed—Harry Schnurr, Howard Yaeck, Annie Dentinger, Nelson Buehlow, Wilfred Wilhelm, Wilbert Mullen, Verna Schmidt, Clarence Schnurr, Dominic Gillen, Gerald Klein, Eileen Frieburger, Joseph Obrecht, Norman Siegfried, Arthur Schiestel, Mamie Huck, Rawland Ellenghausen, Clarence Weiler, Magdalen Seidel.

SEN I.

Doris Lettner, Isabel Klein, Donald McNab, Albert Zettler, Corinne Koller Annie Lymbery, Doris Henning, Mary Kunkel, Harold Disch, Raymond Bruder, Helen Schnurr, Margaret Wagner Arthur Weber, Roy Hesch, Margaret Ernest, Sylvester Beninger, Annie Kunkel, Cyril Berberich, Norman Buehlow, Jerome Wilhelm, Austin Siegfried, George Eckenswiller, Eileen Coughlan, Frank Coughlan, John Ward Joseph Clancey.

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Tenders will be received up to July 13th for the Building of a concrete arch through the road known as North Street at Paisley in the Township of Greenock. Plan and specification can be seen at Denis Phelan's. Tenders will be opened at the Place where the work has to be done.

Tenders will be received up to July 15 for the Building of a retaining wall around the concrete Abutments of the Steel Bridge at Riversdale. Tenders will be opened at the Bridge at 4 P. M. on Monday 15th.

Denis Phelan.

Walkerton Markets

(Revised, Wednesday, July 3rd)

Hay	$16.00 to ... $12.00
Oats per bsh.	77 to ... 77
Wheat " "	2.10 to..... 2.10
Butter, per lb.	38 to 40
Eggs, per doz.	37 to ... 38
Barley per 5us	.....$1.30. ... 1.30
Hogs, per cwt.	.....17.25 to 17.25
Potatoes.	75 to $1.00
Buckwheat	1.30 .....1.30

P. S. PROMOTIONS

List Of Successful Scholars Who Will Take A Step Up Higher.

JUN. IV to SEN. IV

Honors;—Mary Perdue, Elmer Kulpin, Irene Harrison, Arthur Lee, Eddie Fennell, Alma Searle, Jack Knepfler, Clifford Yates. Pass—Edwin Faust, Guy Ramsay, Marie Schwindt, Eric Ramsey, Dorothy Truax, Norah Tuckey, Gladys Sutton, John Aitkens, On trial—Howard Craig, Madaleen Hyslop, Ella Aitkens, Ida Glintz.

Thos. Rankin.
Prin.

SR. III. to JR. IV.

Honours—Jack Van Horne, Pearl Riehl, Franklin Bush, Jack McConnell, Ila Moore. Pass—Kathleen Pye, Grace George, Willie Goode, Eldon Yates, Morris McCarter, Delbert Anderson, Arthur Royce, Harry Myles, On trial,—Kathleen Perdue, Charlie Wallace, Russell Childs.

J. Stead.

GRADE V to GRADE VI.

Honors—Donald Gowanlock, Rhoda Hampson, Doris Polley, Walter Hartman, Wesley Hehr., Pass;—(Laurina Procknow, Nelson Fortunel, Della MacNeill, Eddie Singer, Roy Johnston, Wallace Hunt, Robert Gowanlock, Verna Anderson On trial—Emma Webber, Norman McCartney, Anna Rolehenbach, Harvey Paull.

M. Ross.

GRADE IV to GRADE V

Honours—R. Fruin, R. Hunter, D. George, H. Moore, V. Bell. Pass—E. Truax, M. Shaw, K. Perdue, E. Dietsche, M. Dietz, L. Searle, L. Mortimer, B. Orner, O. Sieling, M. Appel, H. Bush, S. Hehn. On trial.—A. Buehlow, K. Fortune, C. Fields.

A. Warren.

JR. II to SR. II

Honours;—M. Jones, B. Cheshire, P. McConnell. Pass;—H. George, S. Anderson, M. Fletch. E. Taylor, M. Beemer, A. Kerney. P. Webb, E. Watts, G. Schwindt, M. Faust, J. Godwin, A. Richenbaeh, S. Fennel. G Wallace.

SR. I. to JR. II

Pass;—B. Royce, F. McCarter, E. Long, J. George, M. Hundt, G. Hilker, S. Simpson, W. Monk, A. Craig, B. Johnston, C. Buehlow,

A. Halliday.

JR. FIRST to SR. FIRST

Honours—M. Bell, D. Ernest, F. Hartman, A. Leake, D. Hynes. Pass—G. McGregor, H. Dietz, M. Silver, H. Reichenback, L. Gowanlock.

PRIMER to FIRST BOOK

Honours—D. Webb, F. Leeson, G. King, D. Trimble, E. Richardson, H. Taylor, B. Trimble, E. Reed. Pass:—R. Yates, A. Fennell, P. George, S. Lewis, M. Harrison, W. Fennell.

W. Thompson.

GRADE I to GRADE II

Elma Binkley, Luella Procknow, Wallace Riley, Donelda McConnell, Eldon Knepflar, Lillian Polley, Millard Fisk, Billy Bolden, Earl Ferguson. Violet Gibson, Gladys Gibson.

A. D. Thompson.

Mr. Barney Wilhelm, of Hamilton, motored here on Saturday and spent the holiday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Wilhelm. He returned on Tuesday accompanied as far as Guelph by his cousin, Sergt. Ted. Wilhelm, who has been transferred from London Hospital to Guelph Military Hospital.

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TOWN AND DISTRICT

July.

Mr. Frank Yack, of Hamilton, spent the holiday in town.

Miss Ida Fehrenbach has taken a position at Bremner's Fair.

Miss Maisie Etsell has taken a position at Ramsey's Shoe Store.

Miss Minnie Garner has taken a position at the Merchants Bank.

Mrs. Calvin Clubb and babe returned to her home at London on Saturday.

Miss Gladys Miller is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Harry Denny at Toronto.

Mrs. Harry Truax and family left on Saturday for their cottage at Saubie Beach.

Miss Edna Ross, of Hamilton, is visiting her friend, Miss Greta McFarlane.

Mrs. D. Miller spent Dominion Day with friends in Carrick visiting the Camp Meeting.

Mr. Percy Kuin, of Guelph, spent the holiday with his cousin, Mr. Nick McIntee.

Mrs. Ed. Dies, Jackson St., had new potatoes in her garden early last week as big as hen's eggs.

Mr. Fred Benninger, Jerome Bruder and Milton MacGregor motored to Port Elgin on Monday.

Miss Donalda McKechnie, who has been teaching at Essex, arrived home this week for the vacation.

Miss Madge Sinclair of the Clinton High School Staff, has arrived home for the summer vacation.

Mr. Ernie Hosch, of Kitchener, spent over the holiday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs Laurence Hesch.

Mrs. Robt. Walton and two children of Toronto are visiting her parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Sanderson.

Mr. John St. Marie, of Toronto, and Miss Matilda St. Marie, of Kitchener, spent the holiday at their home here.

The Walkerton Baptist and Christain Sunday School are holding their annual picnic on Saturday afternoon July 6th.

Mr. John Korman accompanied by Mrs. Wm. Henning, Misses Gertrude and Kathleen Oberle, motored to Saubie Beach on Friday and spent a few days there.

The Misses Rife spent Monday at Port Elgin.

Mr. W. G Cheshire spent Dominion Day at Wiarton.

Miss Ruby Norrish is spending this week in Detroit.

Mr Fred Beninger spent Dominion Day at Port Elgin.

Lieut. Harry Harcourt returned to Toronto on Tuesday.

Miss Gertie Eckel is attending Summer School at Whitby.

Mr. Leo. Goetz of Guelph spent Dominion Day at his old home.

Mr. Robert Russell, took over rural mail route No 4 on Monday.

Mr. Val. Schurter left on Wednesday for London to don the khaki.

Mrs. Thomas Cunningham is visiting her mother and sisters at Detroit.

Mrs. Jos. Freiberger left Saturday on a visit to friends at Kitchener.

Miss Hamel, of Mildmay, has been a guest at Mr. Walter Widmeyer's.

Miss Hullett of Toronto spent the week with Rev. and Mrs. G. C. Rock.

Mrs. E. M. Stauffer has rented the residence opposite Mr. Hibbert's at one time occupied by the late Dr. Sinclair.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Zuber jr. and babe, of Hamilton, visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Obrecht over the week-end.

Pte. Albert J Ernst, of London, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr and Mrs. John Ernst of Chepstow.

Miss Annie Kerney went to Southampton on a visit to her father, who is engaged on the repairing of the Saugeen Power Co's. dam.

TENDERS FOR SHED

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 10th. July inst. for the South Shed at the Public School grounds. Shed to be taken down and removed before 31 August next. Terms Cash.

M. J. Ramsey,
Chairman Walkerton.
Public School Board.

Mr. Alf. Weber spent over the holiday with friends at Teeswater.

Miss Arsenia Kraemer of Mildmay spent the week-end with relatives in town.

Mrs. Conrad Hoffert of Carlsruhe is visiting her daughter. Mrs. John Ruetz.

Mrs. D. Wilson of Toronto is holidaying with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Tolton.

Miss Reta Weiler of Mildmay spent the holiday at the home of her friend, Miss Anna Weiler.

Miss Amelia Weber spent over the week-end at the home of her brother. Mr. Alex Weber of Chepstow.

Misses Mae and Ella Hyslop of Kitchener spent the holiday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Hyslop.

Mr. Andrew Waechter, Mr. and Mrs. John Ruetz and son Albert, and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Zettler of Carlsruhe motored to Mount Forest on Sunday.

Mr. George Lippert, furniture man of Kitchener, visited his aunt, Mrs. Eph. Runstedtler and his cousin, Mrs. J. W. Trussler, over the holiday, leaving for Kitchener Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Herb Leslie returned home last week from Hamilton accompanied by her brother Mr. Chris Ross and his bride. Other visitors at the Leslie home the past week were:—Mr. and Mrs. Harold Leslie of Toronto, Miss Mary Garbutt and Miss Thelma Ross of Hamilton.

Mrs. A. P. Sieveright spent from Friday until Monday with friends at Toronto.

Mr. A. D. Lamont B. A. has taken a position at the creamery for the vacation.

Sapper Joseph Fehrenbach, of Brockville, spent a few days' leave at his home here.

Misses Iva Taggart and Ethel Glintz visited with relatives at Harriston over the week-end.

Mrs. John Clancy, of Cargill, spent Sunday with her son, Mr. J. T. Clancy, G. T. R. Agent.

Mr. Boisie Farewell has taken a position at the Walkerton Creamery for the summer vacation months.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Parker of Cargill visited the latter's sister-in-law Mrs. Val. Kaufmann, on Tuesday.

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LIVE NEWS OF NEIGHBORING VILLAGES AND COUNTRYSIDE

:-: Happenings of the Week Collected for the Readers of The Telescope by a Staff of Wideawake Correspondents :-:

FORMOSA

Monday July 1st. was very quiet in our burg.

Mrs. George Reinhardt has returned to her home after spending a couple of days in Toronto.

Joseph Weber is seriously ill with pleurisy and pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Nich Rudolph of Tara spent Sunday with relatives here.

Albert Hergett and family and Leo Hergett and family of Kitchener spent a couple of days with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hauck.

Art Tiede of Kitchener spent a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gust Tiede.

Mr. and Alex Oberle motored to Southampton last Sunday and returned to their home here Monday.

Some farmers of this vicinity have started haying.

The stork visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gregory Beninger and brought them an infant boy last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hundt motored to Southampton last Sunday.

SOLWAY

Mr. S. Bell, of Teeswater, spent the week-end at Mr. Chas. Ormiston's.

Miss Ethel Michell returned to Toronto on Monday.

Mr. Pat Quirk, accompanied by his mother, Mrs. P. Quirk, A. O'Neill, Mrs. Wroxeter and Miss M. Dales, of Walkerton, spent Sunday with Greenock friends.

Miss Margaret Clancy of near Chepstow, spent a few days last week at Mr. Wm. Lambertus'.

The lawn social held at the home of Mr. Ed. Connors, under the auspices of the Solway Branch of the Preparedness League drew a large crowd and was a success. The program which consisted of recitations, speeches and instrumental and vocal music was much enjoyed by all. Rev. Father Hoffarth occupied the chair. A box of chocolates which was donated by some of the members of the league, brought over $31 and was won by John Lay of Walkerton. The rocking chair donated by Mrs. Myles brought over $11 and was won by Miss I. Matell of Walkerton who held the lucky number. The proceeds, which will be devoted to the purchase of soldiers' comforts, amounted to $70.

Miss E. McGarity is holidaying at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Lambertus and Gemma Lambertus of Walkerton visited Mr. and Mrs. Alex Stroeder and family of the South Line, spent Sunday at Jno. Stroeder's.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Michell and children and Misses Ethel and Miriam Michell spent Sunday with Chesley friends.

Mr. Bill Dorsch, of Kitchener,, visited at the home of his uncle, Mr. Wm. Lambertus, last week.

A number from here attended the Golden Party in Walkerton on Friday last.

PINKERTON

Report of S. S. No. 5. Greenock for June 1918.

Jr. IV to Sr. IV—Pass—Stanley Clark 73, Hilda Kenny 69. Recommended- John Elphick. Geraldine Knox.

Jr. III to Sr. III—Honors—Eileen Lambertus 76. Pass—Everett Pinkerton 74, Joe Kenney 68, Merton Taylor 67, Ray Clark 66. Recommended—Eva Elphick. Dennis Donnelly, Edmund Campbell.

Sr. II to Jr. III—Pass—Patricia Desmond 71, Roy Campbell 63. Recommended Charlie Andrews.

Jr. II to Sr. II—George McKee.

Jr. I to Sr. I—Hilda Lambertus, Carl Elphick, Gerald Donnelly, Florence Kenny, Marie Donnelly, Charlie Desmond, Stella Donnelly.

Primer (a)—Eileen Donnelly, Elmond Pinkerton, Hazel Trumbly, Gretta Richardson (b)—Frank Desmond. Lena Anstett. (Note No failures reported.)

F. M. Diehl,
(Teacher.)

MILDMAY

Pte. Elmo and Jack Schnurr and Clarence Kunkel of Carling Heights, London, spent the week-end with friends in town and returned on Tuesday morning.

The weather for the Carrick Camp-meeting this year was not very pleasant but the crowd in the bush was very great. The services were well attended at all times. Dr. Staebler of Cleveland preached three inspiring sermons on Sunday and also preached on other days also. The automobiles were much in evidence also. The camp-meeting grounds and road were just black with cars, many of them coming from a distance.

Mr. Joe Reptke of Guelph visited a few days this week at Mrs. Mary Wendt's.

Schools closed here last Friday for the summer vacation.

Rev. A. W. Geild preached his farewell sermon here on Sunday morning and leaves this week for his new charge at Ponsonby five miles north of Guelph. Mr. Geild made many friends here who will greatly miss him. He is a fine likeable young man, and our young folks will lose a true friend, one who always looked after their best interests. We wish him success in his new charge.

Mr. Jac. Becker, our milkman, purchased a new Ford car from the local Garage and Gordon Dickison also purchased a car from his employer, Mr. Ed. Kalbfleish.

MAPLE HILL

Promotions for June.

Sr. IV—Pass—M. Pinkney.

Jr. IV—Honours—D. Walker, Pass—A. Schilling, Recommended—G. Leach.

Jr. III—Honours—L. Schilling. A. Pinkney, Pass—G. Harnock.

Sr. II—Honours—O. Pfohl.

Jr. II—Pass E. Fisk.

Jr. I—Honours—D. Siekel, V. Little. M. Schilling, Pass—E. Pfohl, M. Fisk.

Jr. Pr.—A. Brockelbank, C. Cunningham, R. Burrell, M. Fisk.

E. M. Tueple,
Teacher.

HANOVER

While on a fishing trip to the Kimberley Valley Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Mearns of Toronto, accompanied by Dr. and Mrs. Clarkson spent the week-end with Dr. and the Misses Mearns. Dr. Clarkson, who is Professor of Clinical Medicine in the University of Toronto was very much pleased with our progressive town.

The patriotic dance held in the roller rink under the auspices of the I.O. D. E. was a splendid success and the ladies will net a tidy sum as a result for the Red Cross. Guests were present from Owen Sound, Chesley, Holstein, Walkerton and the country districts, and everything from the one-step to the old-time reel was danced with enthusiasm. Kelly's orchestra of Owen Sound provided the music.

The Hanover R. C. church held another very successful social in the roller rink on Tuesday evening last when they cleared about $100—which is going some in times like these. The ladies worked very hard for the event, but when the receipts were counted they were a very happy, though tired, little crowd. The social was an enjoyable affair as usual. The Hanover band was on hand and provided excellent music.

Miss Laura McNab of Deaforo has secured a position in the Royal Bank at Hanover.

One of the finest specimens of brook trout caught in this vicinity this year was landed by Mr. Chris. Weis at the rear of the power house of the Portland Cement Co. It weighed 3¼ pounds and measured 18½ inches. It was certainly a beauty.

There was an incipient blaze last week at Mr. Thos. Beamish's, Marshall St., when the roof of the summer kitchen was partly burned. Fifty dollars would cover the damage done. The brigade turned out promptly.

Lieut. Norman W. Helwig, a former member of the 147th. Greys, has been officially gazetted as an observer in the Royal Air Force. Lieut. Helwig is a native of Hanover and was one of the most popular officers in the Grey unit. He served for some time in France with the 58th. Battalion before transferring to the air service.

DUNKELD

Cadet Harry Parker of a Western Company of the Royal Air Force is here on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Parker, Elora Road.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Smith of Brantford were week-end visitors at the home of the latter's brother and other relatives in this vicinity.

Mr. William Barry was a business visitor in Toronto last week.

Mr. John Burns of Ottawa visited his mother here over the holiday.

Mrs. William Merchant returned Friday from the Toronto Hospital. Her many friends will be pleased to learn of her rapid recovery from a recent operation.

Mr. John Clancy spent the week-end with his mother. Mrs. M. Clancy on the town line. He was accompanied by his little daughter, Nellie and son, Jack, who will spend the summer vacation at Mr. Jos. Corrigan's.

Dr. Thomas O'Hogan, the celebrated Canadian poet, was a caller here last week.

Pte. Albert Ernst of London spent over the holiday at his home. Albert, as a soldier sure looks the part and woe to the enemy that should happen to question his ability as a target hitter.

Mrs. Dan Cassidy and little son, Jimmie of Riversdale, spent Sunday at the former's home here.

Mr. William Lambertus left on Saturday for Toronto where he will undergo a minor operation in St. Michael's Hospital.

Despite the inclemency of the elements a few journeyed to Port Elgin on Dominion Day.

Mr. Jos. Heba was handling the road grader around Elmwood and Paisley last week.

The Messrs. Schnurr of Kitchener motored here and spent the holiday with friends and relatives.

Mrs and Miss Schuler spent Tuesday in Enniskillen.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Clancy of town and Miss Mary Clancy motored up and spent over Sunday with friends.

Pte. Wilbert Hornbeck, whom we reported some time ago as having had both legs blown off at the Front was calling on old friends and relatives here last Wednesday, accompanied by his sister of Kitchener. Few returned men have seen as much fighting as Hornbeck, who apparently participated in the battle of the Somme, Vimy Ridge and several others. Neither can he boast of having come through all engagements unscathed for unfortunately he lost a limb at the Somme and also had the other badly crippled. He is also suffering from the effects of a gas attack besides a wound in the head the result of being hit by a brick during an enemy bombardment. He enlisted shortly after the outbreak of hostilities and went over with the 27 Battalion.

A Monster meeting of the local members of the United Farmers' Association is being held here tonight (Tuesday.) Some local agricultural critics will be the principal speakers of the evening and some rural topics will in all likelyhood be discussed and perplexing problems properly dealt with. The aim of this organization is to bring the agriculturists into closer co operation, thereby strengthening their efficiency o the present crisis and for the purpose of adopting a general system with which to cope with the labor scarcity and the present general war-time situation. Their efforts bid fair to meet with unbounded success.

SOUTH LINE

The folks of S. S. No. 4, Brant held their annual picnic on Friday afternoon and report a fine time. The weather was ideal, the crowd was big and everybody enjoyed themselves. A sports committee composed of Messrs. H. Traynor, S. Kirstine and John Tanner, looked after the games and provided lots of fun. The only incident to mar the affair was when "Bassie" Kirstine while performing stunts on the baseball field, had the misfortune to sprain his ankle. The tight-roping contest, which was a great feature, was won by Graeme Kirstine, Clayton Fortune taking second prize. The children took advantage of the occasion to present a handsome clock to their teacher, Miss Hamilton, who is giving up her position at holidays.

CARRICK COUNCIL

Town Hall, Mildmay, June 24, 1918.

Carrick Council met this date pursuant to adjournment. All the members present. The Reeve in the chair. The minutes of last meeting were read and adopted

FINANCE REPORT

The following accounts were referred to the Finance Committee and disposed of as follows:

Sawyer & Massey, shear for grad'r	13 00
George Schneider, 2 pieces timber and repairing bridge	2 50
H. Wildfang, 38 yds gravl	5 86
S. F. Herring, equalizing D P S 3, Howick and equalizing 13, Belmore	8 00
A St. Marie, loss of sheep by dogs	16 45
John Hahn, 120 loads gravl	9 75
J. A. Johnston, half year's sal- ary as clerk	137 50
Hy Keelan, half year's salary as Treasurer	45 00
Jos. Hoelzle, grav'l acc't	9 86
Jas. Kemp, loss of sheep by dogs	16 45
Philip Rumwurm, 1 14" tile	85
Jacob Palm, acc't for tile, and bal. contract price	70 60
Village of Neustadt, use of 3 dys and man to run same	10 50
M Filsinger 1 mtg and 11 dys H&B	6 50
Jos Montag 1 " 1 " "	4 00
A Lewis, 1 " 1 " "	4 00
C. Wagner 1 " 1 " "	4 00
J Juergens, 1 " 1 " "	4 00

Mrs. W. H. Lowry and Miss McKee, on behalf of the Womens Institute, asked for the assistance in their patriotic work.

Montag—Wagner—That the sum of twenty-five dollars be granted to the Belmore Women's Institute.

Lewis—Juergens—That the sum of thirty-five dollars be granted to the Belmore Women's Institute.—The amendment was carried.

By-law No. 10, providing for borrowing $1500 to meet the current expenditures was read a first time.

Lewis—Montag—That by-law No. 10 be now read a second and third time and finally passed—Carried.

Juergens—Wagner—That this council do now adjourn to meet again on Monday, the 29th. day of July next, to strike the rates for the year, and to transact general business.—School trustees will please hand in their requisitions to the Clerk before that date.—Carried.

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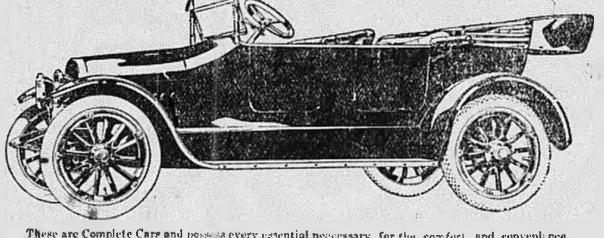
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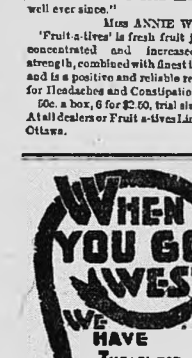
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Seventeen

A Tale of Youth and Summer Time and the Baxter Family, Especially William

By

BOOTH TARKINGTON

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"I don't know," said Jane. "He doesn't like mince or anything. He's seventeen years old."

After that the two stared moodily at the ground for a little while, chastened by the severe presence above; then Jane brightened.

"I know!" she exclaimed coolly. "Let's play callers. Right here by this bush'll be my house. You come to call on me, an' we'll talk about our children. You be Mrs. Smith, an' I'm Mrs. Jones." And in the character of a hospitable matron she advanced graciously toward the new neighbor. "Why, my dear Mrs. Smith, come right in! I thought you'd call this morning. I want to tell you about my lovely little daughter. She's only ten years old an' says the brightest things! You really must"—

But here Jane interrupted herself abruptly and, hopping behind the residential bush, peeped over it, not at Mrs. Smith, but at a boy of ten or eleven who was passing along the sidewalk. Her expression was gravely interested, somewhat complacent, and Mrs. Smith was not so lacking in perception that she failed to understand how completely—for the time being, at least—calling was suspended.

The boy whistled briskly "My Country, 'Tis of Thee," and, though his knowledge of the air failed him when he finished the second line, he was not disheartened, but began at the beginning again, continuing repeatedly after this fashion to effect mendicancy by patriotism. He whistled fondly. He walked with ostentatious intent to be at some heavy affair in the distance. His ears were red. He looked neither to the right nor to the left—that is, he looked neither to the right nor to the left until he had passed the Baxters' fence. But when he had gone as far as the upper corner of the fence beyond he turned his head and looked back, without any expression, except that of a whistler, at Jane. And then, still whistling "My Country, 'Tis of Thee," and with blank pink face over his shoulder, he proceeded until he was out of sight.

"Who was that boy?" the new neighbor then inquired.

"It's **Ronnie**," Jane said placidly. "He's in our Sunday school. He's in love of me."

"Jane!"

Again the outraged and ink stained countenance glared down from the window.

"What you want?" Jane asked.

"What you mean talking about such things?" William demanded. "In all my life I never heard anything as disgusting! Shame on you!"

The little girl from across the street looked upward thoughtfully. "He's mad," she remarked, and, regardless of Jane's previous information, "it is your papa, isn't it?" she insisted.

"No!" said Jane testily. "I told you five times it's my brother Willie."

"Oh!" said the little girl, and, grasping the fact that William's position was in dignity and authority negligible compared with that which she had persisted in imagining, she felt it safe to cast her upward gaze with disfavor. "He acts kind of crazy," she murmured.

"He's in love of Miss Pratt," said Jane. "She's goin' away today. She said she'd go before, but today she is! Mr. Parcher, where she visits, he's almost dead, she's stayed so long. She's awful, I think."

William, to whom all was audible, shouted hoarsely, "I'll see to you!" and disappeared from the window.

"Will he come down here?" the little girl asked, taking a step toward the gate.

"No. He's just gone to call mamma. All she'll do'll be to tell us to go play somewhere else. Then we can go talk to Genesis."

"Who?"

"Genesis. He's puttin' a load of coal in the cellar window with a shovel. He's nice."

"What's he put the coal in the window for?"

"He's a colored man," said Jane.

"Shall we go talk to him now?"

"No," Jane said thoughtfully. "Let's be playin' callers when mamma comes to tell us to go 'way. What was your name?"

"Rannie."

"No, it wasn't."

"It is the Rannie," the little girl insisted. "My whole name's Mary Randolph Elrsted, but my short name's Rannie."

Jane laughed. "What a funny name!" she said. "I didn't mean your real name; I meant your callers' name. One of us was Mrs. Jones, and one was"—

"I want to be Mrs. Jones," said Rannie.

"Oh, my dear Mrs. Jones," Jane began at once, "I want to tell you about my lovely children. I have two, one only seven years old and the other"—

"Jane!" called Mrs. Baxter from William's window.

"Yes'm!"

"You must go somewhere else to play. Willie's trying to work at his studies up here, and he says you've disturbed him very much."

"Yes'm."

The obedient Jane and her friend turned to go, and as they went Miss Mary Randolph Elrsted showed her uplifted eyes to linger with increased disfavor upon William, who appeared beside Mrs. Baxter at the window.

"I tell you what let's do," Rannie suggested in a lowered voice. "He got so fresh with us an' made your mother come an' all, let's—let's"—

She hesitated.

"Let's what?" Jane urged her in an eager whisper.

"Let's think up somep'n he won't like and do it!"

They disappeared round the corner of the house, their heads close together.

Upstairs Mrs. Baxter moved to the door of her son's room, pretending to be unconscious of the gaze he maintained upon her. Mustering courage to hum a little tune and affecting inconsequence, she had nearly crossed the threshold when he said sternly:

"And this is all you intend to say to that child?"

"Why, yes, Willie."

"And yet I told you what she said!" he cried. "I told you I heard her stand there and tell that dirty faced little girl how that idiot boy that's always walkin' past here, four or five times a day, whistling and looking back, was in love of her! Ye godly! What kind of a person will she grow up into if you don't punish her for havin' ideas like that at her age? I never heard of such a thing! That worm walkin' past here four or five times a day just to look at Jane! And her standing there, calmly tellin' that sooty faced little girl, 'He's in love of me.' Why, it's enough to sicken a man! Honestly, if I had my way, I'd see that both she and that little Freddie Banks got a first class whipping!"

"Don't you think, Willie," said Mrs. Baxter—"don't you think that, considering the rather noncommittal method of Freddie's courtship, you are suggesting extreme measures?"

"Well, she certainly ought to be punished!" he insisted, and then, with a reversal to agony, he shuddered. "That's the least of it!" he cried. "It's the insulting things you always allow her to say of one of the noblest girls in the United States—that's what counts! On the very last day—yes, almost the last hour—that Miss Pratt's in this town you let your only daughter stand there and speak disrespectfully of her, and then all you do is to tell her to 'go play somewhere else!'"

"You're all wrought up"—

"I am not wrought up!" shouted William. "Why should I be charged with"—

"Now, now!" Mrs. Baxter said. "You'll feel better tomorrow."

"What do you mean by that?" he demanded, breathing deeply.

For reply she only shook her head in an odd little way.

"You'll be all right, Willie," she said softly and closed the door.

Alone, William lifted clinched hands in a series of tumultuous gestures at the ceiling; then he moaned and sank into a chair at his writing table. Presently a comparative calm was restored to him, and with reverent fingers he took from a drawer a one pound box of candy, covered with white tissue paper, girdled with blue ribbon. He set the box gently beside him upon the table, then from beneath a large fresh blotter drew forth some scribbled sheets. These he placed before him and, taking infinite pains with his handwriting, slowly copied:

Dear Lola—I presume when you are reading these lines it will be this afternoon, and you will be on the train moving rapidly away from this old place here farther and farther from it all. As I sit here at my old desk and look back upon it all while I am writing this farewell letter I hope when you are reading it you also will look back upon it all and think of one you called (alias) Little Boy Baxter. As I sit here this morning that you are going away at last I look back and I cannot recognize in my whole life which has been like this summer, because a great change has come over me this summer. If you would like to know what this means it was something like I said when John Watson got there yesterday afternoon and interrupted what I said. May you enjoy this candy and think of the giver. I will put something in with this letter. It is something maybe you would like to have and in exchange I would give all I possess for one of you if you would send it to me when you get home. Please do this for now my heart is braking. Yours sincerely,

WILLIAM S. BAXTER.
(ALIAS) LITTLE BOY BAXTER.

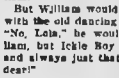
CHAPTER XXI.

The Last Sad Rites.

WILLIAM opened the box of candy and placed the letter upon the top layer of chocolates. Upon the letter he placed a small photograph, wrapped in tissue paper, of himself. Then with a pair of scissors he trimmed an oblong of white cardboard to fit into the box. Upon this piece of cardboard he laboriously wrote, copying from a tortured, inky sheet before him:

In Dream

By WILLIAM S. BAXTER.



The sunset light
Fades into night
But never will I forget
The smile that haunts me yet
Through the future four long years
I hope you will remember with tears
While far away on station
Whilst receiving my education
Though far away you seem
I were me then in dream.

He placed his poem between the photograph and the letter, closed the box and tied the tissue paper about it again with the blue ribbon. Throughout these rites—they were rites both in spirit and in manner—he was subject to little catchings of the breath, half gulp, half sigh. But the dolorous tokens passed, and he sat with elbows upon the table, his chin upon his hands, reverie in his eyes.

He was aroused from reverie too by wondering what Miss Pratt would think of him when she read "In Dream" on the train that afternoon. For reasons purely intuitive and decidedly without foundation in fact he was satisfied that no rival farewell poem would be offered her, and so it may be that he thought "In Dream" might show her at last in one blaze of light what her eyes had sometimes destinuly intimated she did perceive in part—the difference between William and such average, rather well meaning, fairly good hearted people as Joe Bullitt, Wallace Banks, Johnnie Watson and others. Yes, when she came to read "In Dream" and to "look back upon it all" she would surely know—at last!



I Would See Thee In Dream.

And then, when the future four long years—while receiving his education—had passed he would go to her. He would go to her, and she would take him by the hand and lead him to her father and say, "Father, this is William."

But William would turn to her, and, with the old dancing light in his eyes, "No, Lola," he would say, "not William, but Ickie Boy Baxter. Always and always just that for you, oh, my dear!"

And then, as in story and film and farce and the pleasantest kinds of drama, her father would say, with kindly raillery, "Well, when you two young people get through you'll find me in the library, where I have a pretty good business proposition to lay before you, young man."

And when the white waistcoated, white sideburned old man had, chuckling, left the room William would slowly lift his arms. But Lola would move back from him a step—only a step—and after laying a finger archly upon her lips to check him, "Wait, sir," she would say. "I have a question to ask you, sir."

"What question, Lola?"

"This question, sir," she would reply: "In all that summer, sir, so long ago, why did you never tell me what you were until I had gone away and it was too late to show you what I felt? Ah, Ickie Boy Baxter, I never understood until I looked back upon it all after I had read 'In Dream' on the train that day! *Then I knew!*"

"And now, Lola?" William would say. "Do you understand me now?"

Shyly she would advance the one short step she had put between them, while he, with lifted, yearning arms, this time destined to no disappointment—

At so vital a moment did Mrs. Baxter knock at his door and consoling reverie cease to minister unto William. He started, placed the sacred box out of sight and spoke gruffly.

"What you want?"

"I'm not coming in, Willie," said his mother. "I just wanted to know—I thought maybe you were looking out of the window and noticed where those children went—Jane and that little girl from across the street—Elrsted, her name must be."

"No; I did not."

"I just wondered," Mrs. Baxter said timidly. "Genesis thinks he heard the little Elrsted girl telling Jane she had plenty of money for car fare. He thinks they went somewhere on a street car. I thought maybe you noticed wheth"—

"I told you I did not."

"All right," she said placatively. "I didn't mean to bother you, dear."

Following this there was a silence, but no sound of receding footsteps indicated Mrs. Baxter's departure from the other side of the closed door.

"Well, what you want?" William shouted.

"Nothing—nothing at all," said the compassionate voice. "I just thought I'd have lunch a little later than usual, not till half past 1—that is, if—well, I thought probably you meant to go to the station to see Miss Pratt off on the 1 o'clock train."

"How'd you find out she's going at 1 o'clock?"

"Why—why, Jane mentioned it," Mrs. Baxter replied, "with obvious timidity. "Jane said"—

She was interrupted by the loud, desperate sound of William's fist smiting his writing table, as sensitive was his condition. "This is just unbearable!" he cried. "Nobody's business to refer from that child!"

"Why, Willie, I don't see how it matters if"—

He uttered a cry. "No! Nothing matters! Nothing matters at all! Do you s'pose I want that child, with her insults, discussing when Miss Pratt is or is not going away? Don't you know there are some things that have no business to be talked about by every Tom, Dick and Harry?"

"Yes, dear," she said. "I understand, of course. Jane only told me she met Mr. Parcher on the street, and he mentioned that Miss Pratt was going at 1 o'clock today. That's all I"—

"You say you understand," he wailed, "and you send Rannie 23 from closed door, 'and yet, even on such a day as this, you keep talking! Can't you see sometimes there's times when a person can't stand to"—

"Yes, Willie," Mrs. Baxter interposed hurriedly. "Of course! I'm going now. I have to go hunt up those children, anyway. You try to be back for lunch at half past 1, and don't worry, dear. You really will be all right."

He went to his mirror and, gazing long, long and piercingly at the William there limned, enacted almost unconsciously a little scene of parting. The look of suffering upon the mirrored face slowly altered. In its place came one still sorrowful, but tempered with sweet indulgence. He stretched out his hand as if he set it upon a head at about the height of his shoulder.

"Yes, it may mean—it may mean forever," he said in a low, tremulous voice. "Little girl, we must be brave."

And the while his eyes gazed into the mirror they became expressive of a momentary pleased surprise, as if even in the arts of sorrow he found himself doing better than he knew. But his sorrow was none the less genuine because of that.

Then he noticed the ink upon his forehead and went away to wash. When he returned he did an unusual thing—he brushed his coat thoroughly, removing it for this special purpose. After that he earnestly combed and brushed his hair and rolled his tie. Next he took from a drawer two clean handkerchiefs, put a little cologne upon one and placed the other, part of the colored border of the handkerchief being left outside in exhibition, and, with the other he carefully wiped his shoes. Finally he sawed it back and forth across them, and, with a sigh, languidly dropped it upon the floor, where it remained.

Returning to the mirror, he again

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Art Schnurr Tells of His Trip From Southern States To Military Camp In France Giving Interesting Impression Along the Way

Somewhere in France,
May 29th, 1918.

Dear Friend Mr. Eedy:—

Your kind appreciation of my former letters to you, has influenced me in deciding to write this message relating to you some of my many experiences during the past months. What better material could a person desire for writing a letter than a trip similiar to the one I have just recently taken. Travelling about 6,000 miles on land and water over territory I had never before cast eyes on is a most memorable experience, one, a person seems almost preyed upon to divulge and having an illusion that I may be able to cause you interest and pleasure I will endeavor to arouse you into perusing my prose.

Perhaps I had better revert to the entraining at Camp Forrest, for truly to make the story complete that should be included. It was on a Sunday morning that our special train left that Southern training camp, a train consisting of almost a score of Pullman coaches. The route we travelled was as follows: Our first stop was made at that historical Southern city Chattenooga, but it was only a matter of a few minutes until we continued our journey, the delay seemingly being to allow us to bid adieu to Old Dixie and the "Sunny South." We steamed thru the eastern part of the State of Tennessee and it is a 100% butter looking farming district in that of the western part of the State which I viewed on the trip from Camp Sherman to Camp Forrest. At Knoxville, Tenn., we were permitted to leave the troop train and size up a bit of that city. It was during the hours of darkness that we travelled thru the State of North Carolina, so what I saw of that had better not be commented on.

The early daybreak of Monday shone upon us as our train speedily continued on the journey and our first inspiring sight was the beautiful sunrise between two peaks of those familiar "blue-ridged-mountains" of East Virginia. Nature's beauty seemed at its utmost as we gazed upon many miles of enjoyment as snow-capped mountains. We had which of stop at Roanoke, Va., when permission was granted to leave our train and trek up and we around a few of the city's streets, ten... city, attractive city of some fifty Mr. E... and inhabitants. As we journeyed was we... into the Eastern State of ... land and toward the Capitol City, ... proceed... ington. the patriotism of the purchas... was most pronounced. One con... ed to $2... hand-wave greeted us and bid ... rewell as the train steamed on.

Mis... each depot, Red Cross representa... home ... passed sweets and tobacco to the ...

Mr. ... on board. Darkness just com... Miss E... ced to usher upon us as we wound and M... way into Washington, and much to family regret I was prevented from gazing day at... more of it than I did. Got a cer...

Mr. ... amount of satisfaction, though, in ren... etching a glimpse of the Capitol and Michenate building... with the picturesque ... Trienome and wond...rful illuminations. ... which afforded me a hazy idea of how the artistic must be their entirety at the ... early hour of daybreak. I saw all possible of another of America's large cities, Baltimore. In the rural districts Ga... the most noticeable feature was the ... much better class of farms and lands ... than what we had seen in the States ... just traversed. We were not the least ... negligent in our observations of the ... cities of Philadelphia, Newark and Jer... sey City, ... of the country scenes ... thruout the parts of Pennsylvania and ... New Jersey, thru which we passed. It was Tuesday noon when we arrived in Jersey City and a little later in the ... day when we arrived at Camp Merritt. I could write you pages of what happened and what we saw on the trip, but most of it is of secondary interest, so will refrain from relating same, other than to remark that the trip proved a memorable one for me and the people we passed on route, greeted and farewelled us most enthusiastically.

Our sojourn in Camp Merritt, was of only a few days duration, just long enough to complete preparations for embarking for overseas, and very few of us regretted when the time arrived to leave that camp, for it isn't near as comfortable and convenient as our two former American Camps we were at. The only pleasing feature of Camp Merritt is its being in close proximity to New York City, of which we took advantage as long as possible.

It was on a Monday morning that we cast a farewell glance over Camp Merritt and journeyed to our designated port and embarked on our transport. What a glowing narration I could give you of the wonderful "floating palace" we made the trip overseas on. But, not just a few words must suffice for the present. In the few words I desire to give you a conception of the boat, a monate , one of the largest afloat, equal in size, to almost three square blocks of the old town there, and higher than Walkerton's highest building. Were I privileged to disclose the name of it, you would immediately recognize the immensity of it, and if Walkerton had a population equal to the number of troops it will hold, both the Telescope and Times would be issuing flourishing dailies instead of weeklies. "A floating palace", what an appropriate name for it ere being converted into a troop-ship, for the luxurious staterooms and promenades, the beautifully decorated swimming pool, theatre and dining halls, and lounging apartments, the huge galley, and lastly the powerful engines and giant wheels, all add their quota to one's bewilderment. Just for humor sake, I'll be candid and admit that I got lost many times on it while making the trip across and spent hours in trying to locate myself, of course many others were equally as unfortunate.

A few remarks about my trip, naturally seems necessary to include and in doing this I'm going to quote a few extracts from my diary of my overseas trip.

Wednesday, 6 a. m.—The great size of this boat was the compelling factor in forcing it to float down the river and into the ocean as the tide receded, so shortly after daybreak the great engines and huge wheels were released and we slowly moved away from port, into the river. As we drifted down the Hudson, into the Atlantic, I gazed on scenery unapproachable. The immense New York harbor all the lofty skyscrapers of that world-famed city and other startling features, principally among which was in reality viewing the beautiful "Statute of Liberty," the gift of France to America and the symbol of Democracy for which the Allies are fighting with a spirit unfaltering.

Was quite fortunate in being attached to the mess detail, my duties consisting of supervising the meals at one of the many feeding stations. Thru this I secured a permanent pass to visit most every part of the boat, of which I missed nothing. Without a pass, one was deprived of a good many privileges I enjoyed.

Thursday morning a friend and I mounted to B deck where we refreshed on the sea-breezes and with the aid of our field glasses sighted a half dozen large vessels some miles distant. As I gazed over the continuous fields of water, I was seized with a most unusual feeling, no, not one of sickness, but really as if in a dream rather than actually experiencing what was happening. The water was quite calm, the boat cut its way thru the water swiftly and everything seemed ideal as we leisured away on deck.

Thursday evening attended a movie show on F deck, movie hall.

We are being fed real well, the meals varying with the following victuals: Potatoes, beef and pork, vegetables, puddings and pies, coffee, butter and bread, oranges and apples and all one desires to eat.

Each day we received the wireless reports of all the latest war and general news and baseball games.

Saturday we passed thru the only semblance of a storm, a strong wind with a few rain-showers caused the sea to roll some, but found no trouble in braving it on a boat such as this one.

Monday after partaking of dinner I strolled to a most comfortable spot on C deck where I seated myself and basked in the sun-shine. Water alone does not arouse one with encouraging thoughts, so I indulged in an aftermath of the past months. Recollections of those old scenes, friends and folks around Walkerton were innumerable and I enjoyed several hours of diversion in thoughts of you all.

Had a very pleasant chat with a couple of nurses amongst the many on board, and it truly felt good to speak to some of the "fair-sex" after a couple months' isolation from them.

Tuesday evening a score or more of our Company congregated on B deck, where we leisured away the evening hours by singing most every song we knew, in real Caruso melody. The day had been an ideal summer one on water, with one exception, which was a small rain-shower, it really adding pleasure rather than displeasure to the day's travel. This pleasure was in the form of a beautiful rainbow replete with all colors and occuring just at a most brilliant sunset. It shone with a clear reflection on the blue sea-waters, which caused many to ejaculate.

We were treated to band music most every day by one of the different bands.

Germany's submarine warfare, appeared as a myth as far as we were concerned, for not a one was visible to us. Even at that, though, a happy relief came to us when we sighted land, early one morning. European land, of course, though we hadn't the least idea where we were at. T was while the boat anchored out in the bay for hours, that we attained full advantage of the decks and studied the quaint old scenery about us, very pretty in some respects but peculiar looking in others. Around and before us were boats of every description, even to submarines of which I obtained my first realistic impression. All these and the scenery enlivened our interest until our turn came for disembarking.

One of France's oldest camps was provided as a home for us when we arrived in this Republic. The camp seemed to show its age in every respect too, for the mere mention that Napoleon the Great had built and obtained valued service from it in his historical days, assures you that the comforts and conveniences there were never meant for the "Sammies" of 1918 accustomed to the best of training camps America could build. We did find a few features of historical interest there, though, which eased our discomfort somewhat. Our abode there lasted but a few days, when we again entrained and experienced a three-day trip thru France.

My first impressions of the French people, their homes, buildings, etc. were not very laudable, but one should hardly draw conclusions from the peasantry class, and that is the class we found inhabiting this first district.

Traversing some seven hundred miles of this country fully convinced me of its beauty. Finer and cleaner looking farms I never viewed before. Long stretches of fields, with scarcely a fence around but in many cases well trimmed hedges. Large white-stone houses and barns set off symmetrically by the back ground of fields of green crops in advanced stages of maturity. Very few forests or bushes and very clean appearing crushed-stone roads. The villages of which there is one every few miles, the numerous large cities and towns thru which we journeyed contained their quota of attractiveness as well. Most every building of white-stone, streets very narrow, peculiar looking vehicles and the modes of the people, were very noticeable. Predominating all else in these places was the large stone-church, situated in most cases on a hill, of unusual architecture, and a striking indication of their interior beauty. Even the smallest village did not lack its church, and I realize now about how beautiful that wonderful Rheims Cathedral must have been ere Germany committed her atrocious bombing.

Twould hardly do for me to overlook the railroads here, after experiencing the trip we had on them. The engines are surely "dinkeys" in comparison to those of your roads there, though they have a few larger ones near Paris, the box-cars aren't half the size I was so accustomed to seeing while the coaches sure look like a joke, they have no rear entrances, but side doors and a door to every seat, appearing more like one of Toronto's summer street cars. It's surprising how they make as much speed as they do with their trains, but they get to their destination in quick time. Their pullman and dining cars are much better appearing and more comfortable.

When we detrained, we had a march of some five miles and finally landed in this village, where we have been billeted ever since. Our quarters are pretentiously cupied buildings thruout the village, in some cases quite comfortable in others not quite so pleasing. The village is about the size of Cargill and reminds me a good deal of that place in regard to layout. There's a pretty little river flowing thru it, also has a railroad, glass factory and flour mill, the two latter doing little or nothing since the war broke out. The little stone church occupies the centre of the village and like in most every village in this country is the principal object in the place. Have been told that it was built in 1100, and on my numerous visits to it, I am fully convinced it is all of that age. The pastor is surely a typical "Little French Priest." Aristocracy seems to hold its own here very well for one wealthy family owns practically every building in the village and also the farm lands for miles around. The nearest fair-sized place is five kilometres away and we are only a few hours ride from Paris.

There are very few men left here and they are mostly all aged ones. Nearly every family has one, two or three men in the army, and in many cases the womenfolk have moved together, causing many houses to be unoccupied. They seem to live on soup, bread and wine and are rationed by the Government in most everything. They dress very neatly, though not lavishly. A few of the Mademoiselles keep us informed that France is the style creator for habilliment, and there are a few oli (pretty) ones in this burg too. The people appear in very good spirits, though having passed through four years of depression, they offer a welcome smile to us Americans whenever we meet them. The contrast in Bulgets has proven the most displeasing feature here, and prevents us from conversing with these people as we would like. Some of us have a French-English vocabulary and by means of it we are able to make them understand a little. Our system has been to look up a word we wish to say, repeat it and then ejaculate some what. We have learned a few of the common phrases such as bonh jour Mademoiselle (good day Miss) and komonh vous portay vous (how do you do) so whenever we exclaim these, they believe we can parler Francais and begin to rhyme off a streak. Our only resort is to pull out our vocabulary. Gee, it's awful to meet one of these young French girls and not know how to converse with her. Yes I have had the experience, and you would have laughed yourself into a dilemma could you have seen me.

The change from camp to village life is some contrast, but I myself enjoy it. We do most of our drilling in adjacent fields and on the country roads. The drilling is much more interesting than what we have previously had and we are fast getting into shape to put the cleaners on the Hun. We have during the past week done a great deal of practice shooting with our machine guns, and it's fine sport. If we ever get near the Kaiser it will be "good bye, Old Willie."

The fellows are all in find spirits, we are being treated as well as possible. We enjoy our leisure hours indulging in baseball, football, etc. With me writing proves a diversion. Co. "C" pride themselves on having the finest staff of officers to be had, and I'll go one better and say they can't be equalled.

At times I actually don't feel that I am in France. I have enjoyed the very best of spirits right along and have not worried as to future days. Was a bit lonely for mail and those much sought for home papers, but now that the mail is arriving I feel quite contented. The Telescope and Times of April 11th reached me yesterday and though six weeks late they proved interesting.

My fond hopes are that the censor overlooks the length of this letter, finds nothing in it to detach and that it reaches you just as written. I trust my efforts to make it interesting for you are realized. My assurance to you, Mrs. Eedy and all my friends there is that I many times recall pleasant thoughts of you all and entertain one fond desire that soon the world carnage will end successfully for the Allies and all will be able to turn to their loved ones there.

With very best wishes to all, I remain ever

Your friend,
Art.

Address:—Pte. Art. J. Schnurr,
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WITH THE AMERICAN FORCES

George Pattullo (he is one of the Woodstock Pattullos) writing in Saturday evening Post, tells of two incidents connected with aerial warfare. Seven of them, he says, were sitting in at a game of poker in an American camp. "I had," he says, "walked round my chair three times, with the happy result of seeing a pair finally, and had just said to the dealer, 'Gimme three off the roof,' when suddenly we caught the unmistakable hum of an airplane motor. Everybody paused; for a moment the dealer's fingers grew stiff and he hesitated. Then he smiled and did his duty; for the noise was a steady cheerful purr, which is the sound a French machine makes. We all leaned back comfortably and gave a tilt to our cigars. The hum increased in volume and passed overhead. It was as beautiful as Handel's Largo for our gallant allies were off to bomb the blue blazes out of the dirty boches and we wished these daring airmen a safe journey and a bull's-eye with every shot."

But there was another occasion in which the noise overhead came, not from French, but from German air craft. And in the midst of it one of the meaningless patients down the hall began to rave.

"Let's go home!" he wailed. "Let's go home!" His voice sank to a pitiful moan. "Let's go home!"

"Poor, poor fellow!" says Pattullo. "I heartily seconded the motion, for all the while the raiders were dropping their terrible explosives."

Mr. Pattullo describes the march of one American unit in the war zone. "Despite the long and punishing trip, and with packs weighing more than seventy pounds to carry, they did twenty-four miles before five o'clock that night," he says. "A few fell out, of course, either with sore feet or because they were all in, but these were less than three per cent. of the total number; and the others were able to 'Boy howdy!' on another at the finish."

BRUCE PREPAREDNESS LEAGUE

The Annual meeting of the League was held at Southampton last week

Mr. W. D. Cargill, M. P. P., presided. The matters under dicussion were the publication of "Brace in Khaki", which was not considered advisable and the appointing of a committee to further the idea of placing returned Bruce soldiers on the land.

The committee will study the questions, and report at a later meeting of the league.

The officers elected were:—

Hon. President—Judge Klein, Walkerton.

President—W. D. Cargill, M. P. P. Cargill.

Secy.—Ex-Warden McNab, Walkerton.

Treasurer—E. R. Sayles, Port Elgin

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There are six or seven pretty models to choose from and in all sizes from 36 to 42. Exceptionally good value at **$2.25, $2.50, $2.75, $3.00 and $3.75.**

Women's Fine Wool Sweater Coats

For Cool Evenings and Outing Wear

They are knit in pure wool yarns and in colors that are most charming—Rose, Corn shade and Pekin Blue with white stripe cuffs, collar, pockets and sash.

These coats are immensely popular just now and hardly a day in the week passes that they cannot be worn in comfort.

Women's Silk Gloves

Special at 75c and $1.00

The very nicest silk gloves are those that carry the NIAGARA MAID signature. They come in black, white, grey and mode, with double tipped fingers and every pair perfect fitting. Sizes 6½ to 8. Very special values at **75c and $1.00.**

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You'll find here just what you have been looking for in a smart cap, the kind that feel comfortable on a motor trip.

They come in plain tan and checked grey and are very smart in appearance. Prices **$1.25 and $1.50.**

White Lisle Stockings

at 40c and 50c; Half-silk at 75c and All-silk at $1.00 and $2.00.

White clad feet are so much in vogue just now that we think a few paragraphs about silk stockings will be interesting. These are all good qualities on sale in our hosiery department.

Women's white Lisle Stockings, sizes 8½ to 10. Per pair **40c, 45c and 50c.**

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We have many other interesting Items on Sale well worthy of your inspection, priced very low for quick sale.

Sunshades and Parasols clearing out at quick-selling prices. Come in good time before the choice ones are sold.

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NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Don't borrow your neighbors Telescope. Subscribe for it yourself—75c. from now until January 1, 1919.

Mr. Herb Fach, of Preston, and Miss Olive Musack, of Kitchener, spent over the holiday at the latter's home here.

Mr. H. C. Fawcett, of Stratford, formerly manager of the Merchants Bank here, visited friends in town this week.

Dr. and Mrs. G. H. Corram and family, of Toronto, spent Sunday at the Queen's, while on their way to camp at Port Elgin.

Mr. Charles Petteplace returned to St Catherines on Wednesday after spending two week's vacation at his home here.

A citizen complains to the Telescope of the nauseating odor of the sewer at the corner of Gibson and Jane Sts. It needs a bath badly.

Those who can not get coal will learn with amazement that the U. S. production of bituminous coal is increasing, and is now 12,000,000 tons weekly.

Thos Tullock jr. of North Brant who has been under Military training at London, returned home this week, having been rejected by the Medical Examiners.

Mr. Ed. Musack returned to Preston on Tuesday after a few weeks' vacation under the parental roof. He was accompanied by his brother, Frank, who expects to take a position there.

Mrs. Harvey Brockelbank, who was taken ill while visiting her sister, Mrs. Johnston at Stayner, has quite recovered and is expected home, along with her sister, Miss Fraser, the coming week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Schwindt and family motored to Kitchener on Friday. Cadet Oscar Schwindt who accompanied them took the train from that city for Leaside Aviation Camp where he reported for Overseas duty.

Miss Florence Verity of Newmarket who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Wilfrid Ritchie, returned home on Saturday, Mr. Ritchie taking her home in the car, along with Mrs. Wm. Wolfe. Mrs. Will Verity and four children returned with them to visit here for few days.

No Licenses For Garden Parties

Food regulations and just how far they go have been causing more or less vexation to societies, fraternal and church, which have been planning the usual summer Lawn Socials and so on. The question has been taken up with the authorities at Ottawa, and as a consequence they have given out a definite ruling that no license is required for serving refreshments at lawn socials, tea-meetings, public or private luncheons, picnics, fairs, lodge, club or fraternal meetings and such like functions. The board, however points out that refreshments served at such functions should be kept to the spirit of food conservation and should be strictly to the limits placed upon public eating places.

Mrs. J. F. Ross came up from Forest Monday on account of her mother's serious illness

Union prayer since on Wednesday evening was conducted by Mr. Norman Robertson.

Miss Etta Ernest returned on Tuesday after a two weeks' vacation at West Toronto.

Mr. R. Fruin has bough: Miss Carroll's house and lot, just east of Gibson St., for $650.

The wheat crop of India is estimated at 357,000,000 bushels. Eighty million bushels will be available for exportation.

A report from the Canadian Forestry Corps overseas to the Militia Department records that one company in France has made a record production of sawn lumber—a total of 166,000 feet, board measure in ten hours.

A fishing party started out from town about four o'clock one evening recently, for Kinlough, and succeeded in landing twenty-five pike from 1½ to 4 lbs. in weight and were home again about dark. How is that for thrift and daylight saving?—Teeswater News.

More Work For The Printers

On and after July 1st the licensing regulations of the Canada Food Board require that all bakers, grocers, manufacturers of breakfast foods and cereals, millers, retail butchers fish dealers, flour and feed dealers, canners, and packers, shall place on every letter head, contract, order, acceptance of order, invoice, price list, quotation and advertisement issued, the words "Canada Food Board License Number", followed by the number of the license, and shall show the name of the license under which the business is carried on. The Food Board regulations are constantly making it more difficult for retailers to carry on business and a large number of the smaller ones are being forced to shut up the shop.

Taught Three Generations

Speaking of Walkerton's new Public School Principal the Paisley Advocate says:—Mr. Rankin has a length of experience in public school teaching which spans, we are safe in saying, over three generations, as some of those whom he first taught are now grandparents of public school children. He is a graduate of Paisley public school, his student days here dating back to that period when men of mature years and full beards, who had left the farms to seek the paths of learning, occupied seats at the feet of such master instructors as Principal McKellar, McIntyre and McKee. Educationalists of the calibre of these mentioned are nowadays at the head of our larger institutions, such as the collegiate institutes or big town high schools. There were not so many frills to the public school course in those days, but there was such a thorough grounding in the work taken up that those, who like Mr. Rankin are still physically fit, are still able to hold their own with the more modern pedagogue.

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A SAD FATALITY

Mr. Rudolph Misch, Fell From Roof Of Barn Receiving Injuries From Which He Died

A sad fatality occurred at the farm of Amos Pletsch, west of the G. T. R. Station on Thursday night. Rudolph Misch, along with several other employees of the Knechtel Furniture factory had volunteered to help Mr. Pletsch shingle his new barn. Mr. Misch was working on the roof near the top, when by some means he slipped and rolled off the high roof. As he fell he grasped a bundle of shingles which fell with him. His body struck in the branches of the tree and then crashed to the ground. When his companions hurried to the scene they found him in a dying condition. He was conscious for a few minutes but before reaching the hospital, to which he was hurried, he lapsed into unconsciousness and expired the following afternoon at three-fifteen o'clock. It was found that his left arm and left leg had been broken by the fall and there was severe concussion of the brain. The sad and sudden taking off of one just in the prime of life awakened the deepest feelings of sympathy for the stricken family. The deceased, who was in his 62nd year, was an almost lifelong resident of this neighborhood. He came at the age of seven years with his parents to Carrick, later settling on the Durham Road West, Brant. He was a cabinet maker by trade and before coming to Walkerton eleven years ago he worked at his trade at Hepworth and Wiarton. Ever since coming here he had been in the employ of the Knechtel Furniture Co. The deceased was a quiet good living man of good principles, respected and liked by neighbors and fellow workmen. He was a member of the Lutheran Church, and a teacher in the Sunday School, for a number of years. His wife, who survives him was formerly Miss Anne Ahrens of North Brant. He leaves one son, Aaron, a student at Stratford Business College, and two daughters Mrs. Clarence Kreuger of Walkerton and Miss Luella at home. Louis, Albert J. and Adolph Misch are brothers and Mrs. (Bertha) Toltz of Carrick is an only sister. The funeral was held from his late residence, Ridout St., on Monday afternoon, to Walkerton Cemetery. Rev. H. R. Lamach, pastor of the Lutheran Church conducted the services. There was a large attendance at the service, including his fellow-workmen at Knechtels, the factory having shut down for the occasion.

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Kiddies Enthusiastic

The children of the town are getting enthusiastic over the Chatauqua week. They are earning all the pennies they can and saving them to buy their tickets.

Congregational Meeting

Knox Congregation will hold a meeting next Tuesday night at 8 p.m. when the question of making a call to the pastorate of Knox Church will be discussed.

Transferred To Harriston

Mr. Frank Smith, the popular teller-accountant of the Royal Bank, Cargill, and son of Mr. John Smith, Walkerton, has been transferred to the Harriston Branch.

Attending Silver Jubilee

Mr. John O'Malley left on Monday for Barrie to be present at the celebration of the Silver Jubilee of his brother Rev. Fr. O'Malley which took place on Tuesday morning.

Landed At Halifax

Major A. McL. Moffat and Paymaster Capt. Farquhar Shaw, late of the 160th Batt'n are among the Canadian officers who were reported on Friday to have landed at Halifax.

May Come Home

Capt. G. H. D. Martyn, who has had an important post with the war office in England, wrote home lately that he expects to return to Canada very soon. A later letter stated that the matter was still in abeyance and might be all off.

Charlie Bryce Home

Another of Walkerton's young heroes who has played his part nobly in the fight for democracy and freedom, in the person of Charlie Bryce, arrived home on the noon C. P. R. train yesterday. Charlie was severely wounded several months ago and after being treated in hospitals in England has been invalided home, and will shortly go to a convalescent home for further treatment. Charlie is a member of a family which is surely doing its bit in the war having two brothers still in France, Walter with the Signallers and Chester with the American forces.

Can't Get the Goods

Carmenal, rejemeh and other substitutes which the Food Board orders the public to use after July 1st, are not to be had in Walkerton. A number of dealers have their orders in but these lines are scarce and hard to get. Mr. Harry Pletsch of Walkerton Flour Mills, has had a large order in for some time but has not yet got the goods. At prevailing market prices the substitutes will sell considerably higher than wheat flour, Mr. Pletsch states. Under the circumstances, the Food Board will have to go slow in enforcing the order to use substitutes.

NEWS ABOUT TOWN

City Dairy Ice Cream bricks at Mrs. Stead's.

Mr Lorne A Eedy is in Toronto on business.

Mr Philip Gress of Carrick is on the sick list.

Mr. H. A. Havill is holidaying at the Sauble.

Mr. Wm. Barry jr. left for Toronto on Monday

Mr. Herman Buehlow went to Guelph on Monday.

Charlie McNab is spending the summer holidays at Elora.

Mrs. Jas. Warren and Miss Agnes are visiting in Kincardine.

Mrs. Wm. Sieling and family spent the week-end at Chepstow.

Mrs. John O'Malley returned from a visit to Buffalo, Friday night.

Mr. Walter Colling of Chicago is visiting at his old home here.

Mrs. Ted McConnell and daughter Hazel, are visiting friends in Toronto.

Miss Florence Wilton left on Friday for Toronto where she will visit relatives.

Mrs. Will Hall of Stratford is visiting at Ex-Reeve Con. Schmidt's, Carrick.

Miss Sarah Campbell of Chicago is spending the summer at her home in Brant.

Take a City Dairy Ice Cream brick home with you. To be had at Mrs. Stead's.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Claney spent Sunday at the former's home in Cargill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McGregor and family were visitors in Pinkerton on Sunday.

Miss Annie Crawford, of the Bell Telephone staff, is spending this week in Kincardine.

Mr. and Mrs. John Berberick of Sauk City, Wis., were visitors at Mr. J. T. Claney's last week.

Mr. Lee Bruder of Hanover and sister, Edna, visited at Mr. John Ruetz's on Sunday.

Mrs. J. H. Appel and daughter, Mildred left Monday on a week's visit to Southampton.

Miss Stella Bush spent a few days of this week with her friend, Miss Tillie Hauck of Formosa.

Rev. I. P. McLennan pastor of the Baptist Church at Perth has paid a visit to his parents, Rev. D. and Mrs. McLennan last week and returned today.

Mr. Jno. Elliott, of the Mitchell High School Staff who taught in Walkerton some years ago spent a few days of this week at Mr. E. H. Sheffield's.

Jos. Dietrich, formerly teacher at Riversdale, who is taking an officer's training course with the University Company at Toronto, spent Sunday at his old home.

Mrs. Allen and two children of New Hamburg, Mr and Mrs. Oscar Seigmiller of Mildmay Miss Permilda Steinmiller and Mr. Mel. Hammond of Gurrie spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Adam Seigmiller.

Miss Gretchen Schwindt is spending this week in Hanover.

Mrs. Albert Battle was a visitor in Guelph on Saturday.

Mr. John Claney of Cargill was a visitor in town Tuesday.

Mr. Russel Bryden spent Sunday with friends at Toronto.

Prin. and Mrs. Morgan left Thursday to spend the holidays at Toronto.

Mrs. Lee of Guelph spent a few days of last week visiting Mrs. Erdman.

Rev L. H. Currie of Grimsby will preach at Knox Church next Sunday.

Miss Gertrude Eckel is spending her holidays at Whitby and at Toronto.

Miss Lydia Weiler is holidaying with relatives at Niagara Falls, New York.

Mrs Fred Ermel returned on Monday from Kitchener where she has spent the past week.

Pte. Wilfred Dietrich of London, spent the week-end on last leave at his home in Brant.

Mr. and Mrs Louis Heyd and family of Kitchener visited friends in Walkerton the past week.

Misses Holm and Wallace arrived home Saturday from an enjoyable holiday trip to Detroit.

Miss Hazel Irwin sang a beautiful solo "Ashamed of Jesus?" at the Methodist Church Sunday night.

Mr. J. H. Rancelottum who has been on the sick list the past two weeks is able to be about again.

Mrs. G. S. Schwindt and daughter, Marie spent Sunday at the Knechtel cottage in Southampton.

Miss Florence Taylor, daughter of Mr. William Taylor has been engaged as teacher at Otter Creek.

D. C. Wilson piano tuner, will be in town about July 12th. Orders may be left at Mr. James Totten's.

A number of Walkerton merchants have been discussing the possibilities of a union delivery system.

Mrs. Hallam and little Miss Kathery ine Giles of Toronto are spending a few weeks at Mr. Arthur Lee's.

Mrs. (Dr.) McMillan of Claresholm, Alta and little daughter, Madeline, are visiting the former's sister, Mrs. T. Pye.

Pte. Cecil McLeod of Brant who was been having 30 day's leave assisting his father on the farm, returned to London this week.

Mrs. Dora Miller left on Saturday for Chesley where she will spend a few days visiting her sister, Mrs. John Kemkes.

Mrs. Harry Traynor and family and Mr. and Mrs. Greenwood of Durham motored over Sunday on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Stevens.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hertel and Mr. and Mrs. John Hallman motored here from Hanover and spent the day at Mrs. M. Fehrenbach's.

Mrs. McKay, formerly of Harriston, who was the guest of Mrs. James Whitehead last week, left for her home at Regina on Saturday.

Mr. Lou Anderson, who enlisted with the 71st and was invalided home, has been awarded a Class A War service badge by the military authorities.

Mr. and Mrs. John Garbutt and daughters of Brant motored to London on Sunday to see their son, Walter, who will leave for Overseas shortly.

Messrs. Heiman and John Wilhelm and Leonard Monahon motored with Mr. Pat Quirk to Formosa on Sunday and spent the day at Mr. Allen Hauck's.

A strawberry social was held at the home of Mr. Philip Gress Carrick on Tuesday evening. A free-will collection for Red Cross was taken amounting to $1.00.

Messrs Sandy and James McCarter motored to Toronto on Saturday to see their sister, Mrs. Turnbull of Woodbridge, who has been seriously ill at Toronto General Hospital.

Mr. Walter P. Harris, Manager of the Bell Telephone Co., at Owen Sound, wife and family, were visitors on Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Robinson. While in Walkerton, Mr. Harris met his brother, Rev. Fr. Harris of Chepstow who was here assisting at the R. C. Church.

Mrs. W. H. Adams and little daughter, of Toronto, are spending the summer with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Truax M. P. Mr. Adams, who came up with them from the city on Saturday, has not been feeling the best and will take a trip down the St. Lawrence shortly for a change and rest.

Married At Calgary

Mr. Robt. Bryce received word this week from his daughter Miss May, who went west last year that she had been married in Calgary to Mr. Jack Vibert of that city.

Turf Club Meeting

A meeting will be held to-night (Thursday) at 7 o'clock in the council chamber of the town hall to re-organize the Walkerton Turf Club. Those who are behind the project, are hoping to have a race-meet here this year and are urging everyone interested to be present and assist in organizing.

Cargill Bowlers Here

Five rinks of Cargill bowlers motored here on Monday evening and after games of sixteen ends, three worsted their opponents the local bowlers while the other two went down to defeat. Fowlie defeated McNab's rink by 4 shots; Garland was up 5 on Rourke and Kyle defeated Seawright by 6, while Saunder's rink was beaten by Fye 5, shots; and Loughleen by Henderson's rink by 4 leaving the visitors up six shots on the total score.

Sixth Brother Ordered To Report

Jack McKinnon who has been employed at George Bros' livery for several years received notice this week to report at London for military duty. Jack has had one brother who has made the supreme sacrifice and four others are in khaki, having enlisted voluntary and he was the sole remaining son at home with his aged parents. George Bros. have been hard hit by the M. S. A., Tom Wolfe, who has been their competent boarman for many years having had to report for duty at London this week. Tom was also the sole support of a widowed mother, one brother having been killed in action.

New Provincial Dog Law

A new provincial dog law has been passed by the Ontario Legislature which will put the can on some of the surplus supply mongrel canines in Walkerton, in the form of doubling up the dog tax. In future a dog owner must pay $3 annually, for one dog and $4 for each additional or $4 for one bitch and $6 for each additional. Other clauses provide that any person may kill any dog which is found pursuing, worrying or wounding sheep, or any dog which is found straying between sunset and sunrise from the premises on which such dog is habitually kept in the days to come when a stray dog appears on the horizon we will hear farmer Corntassel sing "Johnny Get Your Gun".

Heads The List

A young Walkerton student, H. Nelson Lay, son of Mr. H. M. Lay, manager of the Can. Bank of Commerce, has distinguished himself at the examinations for entrance to the Royal Naval College. Nelson came first in the list of sixteen successful students throughout Canada. In the mathematical subjects, which are of most importance in the study of seamanship he did particularly well, and on the whole averaged about 75 per cent on the regular subjects. The college has been lately removed from Halifax, N. S. to Esquimalt, B. C. and Nelson will begin a three years' course on September 15th. At the end of his course he may if he wishes, obtain a commission in His Majesty's Navy, and as he is a descendant of the Nelsons of Norfolk, Eng., who gave to Britain her greatest Admiral, it is quite possible that Nelson will take advantage of the offer. Otherwise he is free to enter any other profession. Among the names of successful candidates in the list is that of Charles Kingsmill of Lennoxville, Que. a nephew of Admiral Kingsmill, and a grandson of the late Judge Kingsmill, of Walkerton.

Results of Music Examinations

Pupils of Mr. E. H. Leeson were examined by Peter C. Kennedy, Musical Director of the Canadian Academy of Music, and organist and choirmaster of Bloor St. Presbyterian Ch., Toronto on Thursday last, in Piano and Voice culture. Of twenty-one who tried in Shelburne and Walkerton no pupil took less than second class honors. Walkerton results.

Intermediate Piano—First class Honors— Miss Sadie Bremner.

Junior Piano—1st. Class Honors—Miss Edna Walsh. 2nd. Class Honors—Misses Gertrude Lewis and Stella Taggart.

Preparatory piano—1st. Class Honors—Misses Ruth Hunter, Mary Perdue, Mable Godwin.

2nd. Class Honors:—Miss Gladys McCarter, Graham Holm, Miss Kathleen Perdue.

Intermediate Vocal:—1st. Class Honors, Miss Helene Whitehead.

Junior Vocal, 1st. Class Honors,—Misses Aileen McCool, Hazel Irwin, Frances Seller.

OLD RESIDENT PASSES

Death of Mrs. R. H. McKay Removes a Kind Motherly Soul Whose Memory Will be Treasured By Family and Friends

The death occurred at the family home, Young St., Walkerton, on Thursday morning July 4th., of Flora Morrison, beloved wife of Mr. R. H. McKay, in her 78th year. Since taking a stroke about two years ago, Mrs. McKay's health had been poorly and shortly after a final stroke on Sunday afternoon of last week, she lapsed into a quiet sleep from which she passed peacefully away four days later.

Mrs. McKay was born at Scourie, Sutherlandshire, Scotland, being the daughter of Donald Morrison, merchant, of that place. When she was seven years old her parents and family came to Canada, settling in the Township of East Nissouri, Oxford County just across the highway from the famous Scottish township of Zorra. Her husband's people settled in the same neighborhood. In fact by a strange coincidence Mrs. McKay and her husband were born in the same year, in the same town of Scourie. The families were well-acquainted, came to Canada in the same boat, and settled in the same neighborhood in East Nissouri. Mr. McKay went as a youth to the nearby city of London to find employment and as it was there in 1866 that they were made man and wife. The young husband was at that time the foreman in a fanning mill factory, and just a couple of years later they came up to Walkerton. The Queen's Bush was being rapidly settled and Mr. McKay started a factory to make fanning mills for the incoming farmers. There was but little of the present town of Walkerton standing at that time, the south ward being practically all bush. In 1872 Mr. McKay erected a house on the lot where the family residence now stands, opened up McKay's subdivision which takes in several residential blocks in that part of the town.

With a large family growing up around her, Mrs. McKay's activities centred in the home. Hers was a personality that radiated kindness and good cheer, making home the most attractive spot on earth for her devoted family and a visit to her hospitable fireside an inspiration to her friends. The patience and beautiful strength of character shown in trouble and family bereavement, was still evident in her last illness. Although suffering greatly and being practically deprived of speech the last two years, a very close friend said that during all that time she had never made the slightest murmur or complaint. Her lovely spirit was manifest to the last.

Besides her husband, the surviving members of the family are:—Geo. D., William R. of Walkerton, and John A. of Calgary; Mrs. Wm. Lumsden of Belleville; Mrs. W. J. F. Ross of Forest.

Mrs. Janet Coates of Winnipeg and Mr. William Morrison of London, both formerly of Walkerton are the only surviving sister and brother.

The funeral was held on Saturday afternoon from the family residence to Walkerton Cemetery, Rev. Thos. Wilson conducting the service. A large number of old friends from town and country were in attendance. The floral tributes were exceptionally beautiful, including wreaths from a score or more of friends from out of town.

The pall-bearers were:—Messrs. D. McKechnie, D. McKerracher, Nevin Robertson, H. McKerracher, J. G. Hibbert, H. M. Lay.

Friends and relatives present from outside points included:—James Eagleman, Goderich; William McKay, London; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Morrison, Blythe; William Morrison, London; W. J. F. Ross, of Forest; Wm. Lumsden, Belleville; Hugh McKerracher and son James of Paisley. Mrs. Neil Morrison and Miss Flo. Morrison of Buffalo.

Confirmation At English Church

Rt. Rev. David Williams, Bishop of Huron, will conduct Confirmation Services at St. Thomas Church next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

Turned Back At New York

The draft of the R. A. F. which left Toronto last week and of which Cadet Oscar Schwindt was a member, was broken up at New York and a large number of them sent back to Toronto. This was found necessary owing to the boat, on which they were to sail for Overseas, being overcrowded. Cadet Schwindt was one of those who was sent back and Oscar is now waiting in Toronto for the departure of another draft.

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Mrs Garner 1, Miss Grainger 50c, Mrs Cahoon 50c, Mrs Jarvis 25c, Mrs J. McGill 25c, Miss Lumley 25c, Miss McKinnon 25c, Mrs Heughan 25c, Mrs Huck 25c, Miss Etsell 50c, Mrs Tuckey 25c. Mrs O. McConnell 1, Mrs Goodfallow 50c, Mrs. Bannister 25c. Total $6.

Mrs Searle 25c, Mrs Griffith 25c, Mrs Rankin 25c, Mrs Miller 50c, Mrs Rainsbottom 50c, R Schuett 50c, Mrs Thos. Hyslop 25c, Mrs John Wilhelm 25c. Alex Thompson 50c, Mrs Harrison 50c. Miss Vera Anderson 15c, John McCool $1. Total $4.90.

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Mrs. Sheffield $1, Miss Sheffield 1, Mrs. E. Myles 1, Mr. David Robertson 2. E. Pengelly 50c, Father J. P. Cummings 1, Sisters Notre Dame 1, Mrs. Halliday 1, Mrs. W. George 35c, Mrs. R. Player 2, Mrs McPhail 1, Robt. Irwin 1, Mrs. J. Lamberton 50c, Mrs. J. Watt 50c, Mrs. G. Farrer 50c, Mr. McKinnon 25c, Mr. N. C. McKay 1, Mrs. W. Shaw 1, Dr. Fred Hughes, (Waterloo) 1, Miss Stephen 1, Mrs. C. Petteplace 1, Mrs. C. L. Grant 50c, Dr. Porter 1, Mrs. Porter 50c, Mrs. Ball 25c, Mrs. I. Buehlow 50c, Mrs. J. H. Hunter 1, Mrs. Schumacher 10c, Mrs. Heffernan 25c, Mrs. McIntee 25c. Miss Blair 25c, Mrs. J. Kunkel 10c, Mrs. Bilger 25c, Mrs. Stelzhagen 50c. Mrs G. Walker 25c, Mrs. A. Haas 10c, Mrs. Walford 25c.

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LAZINESS INCREASES HIGH COST OF LIVING

"Cash and carry" milk is educating people to shop instead of telephoning orders, remarks the New York Commercial. Loose milk is sold under state regulations to those who carry it away for three cents a quart less than the same milk delivered in bottles, and thousands of people are taking advantage of the difference in price. If similar concessions in the retail prices of other necessaries of living were made the cost of living would be greatly reduced and tradespeople would still make fair profits. Costs of delivery and losses on returned goods are heavy tolls upon retail trade. Those who pay cash and carry home their purchases should receive a reasonable rebate. Those who ask a retailer to deliver a pair of gloves, a can of baking powder, or a loaf of bread should pay for the service, but those who are not ashamed to carry small packages should not have to pay the cost of delivering such goods to those who are too vain or lazy to help themselves. It is more trouble to carry milk home than to handle any other commodity, and the "cash and carry" experiment proves that the system can be extended to other things.

A FARMER FEEDS A LOT

(Weekly Sun)

What value is a man on an Ontario farm to supply feed for others? In the recent meeting of the U. F. O. at Toronto it was stated that a man on an Ontario farm supplies sufficient food to feed from 75 to 100 people. This estimate was, if anything, on the conservative side.

One of the leaders of the movement two years ago took long enough off from his work to figure up what his production amounted to, and when he was through had come to the conclusion that he produced enough to feed 300 people and to clothe 60 or 70 others—doing this with the help of two men in the summer and one in winter. (He failed to show how the 230 others were to be clothed, but perhaps they would move to a warmer climate where a minimum of clothing is required!)

Among the articles produced on the farm in question were 60 hogs; 20 fat cattle, weighing about 1,200 each; 40 fat lambs; close to 1,000 bushels of wheat, $600 worth of cream, and 500 pounds of wool.

When he was telling this another director told of selling more beef cattle from his own farm than the people of Clinton, a town of 2,300 could consume.

A third man in the room told that in their beef ring it was estimated that an 800-pound steer, live weight, would run 20 average families for a week.

LETTER FROM FRED JEWELL

Mrs. Jewel had two letters last week from her son, Fred, who is still in the hospital at Bexhill-on-Sea, Sussex, England. Fred writes:—

Dear Mother:—

I received 8 letters from you to-day and was glad to hear you are well and the rest of you too. I got them in one bunch but they had been over to France and came back again to me, here. Well, I am feeling just the same but I hope you are well and happy. I don't think I will get home this year, for this war is not finished.

June 12th, 1918.

I received your letters and also the money you sent to me today. I got three letters today that were sent by the bunk they were dated Feb. 20, 1918; Jan. 28, 1918; Dec 27, 1917. These all came in one bunch.

I don't know what is going to turn up yet, but I am feeling just about the same. The weather over here is just like summer these days. I do wish this war was over so I could come home to see you and all of my friends again. It is now almost three years since I left home a long time too. It seems like five years to me. I got a good number of letters from Mabel, two at the same time as yours, and also some from my friend about the town. Would you tell Simon Small to drop me a line and let me know how he made out on his trip. There is not a boy in this camp I know from home yet, but I got a letter from Ernie Cartwright some time ago. He is well and back in the trenches again. I will write and let you know what I get on my board, when I leave here. I will let you know where I have gone to. Well, dear mother, I hope this letter finds you well and happy. So good-bye

Fred.

OUR WESTERN LETTER

In April the experts were sending bulletins to the East saying that the season in the West was a month ahead and this year's wheat crop was assured and would be the greatest on record etc. etc. and that before a lot of the grain was ever sprouted. I don't think you will find many of those experts shouting off now. The season certainly opened early and during March and April the weather was ideal. Then in May it turned cold. We had several days of snow and one week it froze hard nearly every night. It looked more like late Fall than the middle of May. Then we had two or three weeks of fine weather and the grain came on with a jump. On June 18th. we had the heaviest and longest lasting hail storm I have seen. Next day the fields looked as if millions of young hogs had been driven over them. This has set back the grain but not otherwise damaged it. Wherever I have been the wheat looks fine, oats and barley also look well but are away behind. A number of people are complaining of damage done by cut worms. One man near here has 80 acres of wheat completely destroyed, he has resown it with barley. This last week has been cold with cold showers from the North, it feels as if it would like to snow. The season now is as backward as any I have experienced but I can say that in the eleven years I have been here I have never seen a crop failure in this section. Usually the wild rose bushes are pink with blossoms this time of year, at present you will only find an odd blossom opened yet. Everything looks like a good crop of hay. A number of farmers here have been badly off for help for the past three years or so their sons having gone to the towns where big wages obtained. When conscription came in these boys hiked for home and got exemption in the ground that they were necessary on the farm. I know one man whose farm has been rented for the past five years because his son wouldn't stay at home and he got him exempted on these grounds. There have been lots of cases of hardship, of men called who were really needed. I think this false swearing and obtaining exemptions where they weren't deserved has given the authorities an idea that all farmers are liars, as some one had to go, often the wrong man was picked.

Raising Poultry

"What," said the lady who does her own shopping, "is the price of these chickens?"

"A dollar and and a quarter apiece, ma'am," replied the market woman."

"Did you raise them yourself?" asked the lady.

"Oh, yes, ma'am. They was only $1.10 last week."—Youth's Companion.

The Women of France

In France recently figures showed that there are now 475,000 women at work in munition factories at $2.00 per day plus 50c from the Government with 25c in the army. Thrift is as strong a principle with French women that French banks are carrying larger deposits than ever before, despite the fact that $18,000,000,000 towards the finances of the war came from popular subscription.

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Tenders Wanted

Tenders will be received up to July 13th for the Building of a concrete arch through the road known as North Street at Paisley in the Township of Greenock. Plan and specification can be seen at Denis Phelan's. Tenders will be opened at the Place where the work has to be done.

Tenders will be received up to July 15 for the Building of a retaining wall around the concrete Abutments of the Steel Bridge at Riversdale. Tenders will be opened at the Bridge at 4 P. M. on Monday 15th.

Denis Phelan.

BRUCE W. C. T. U.

Held Their Annual Session at Teeswater—An Interesting and Profitable Session

The thirtieth Annual Convention of Bruce County W. C. T. U. met in Knox Church, Teeswater, Wednesday morning, June 26th, at 9.30.

The executive met for business and decided to ask the County Council for a grant to help their donations to the Red Triangle. The appointment of Resolution and Plan of Work Committee strongly advocated Women Trustees in rural communities, on the ground that the teachers should not have to speak of immoral or questionable subjects to the principal but to a woman trustee. In the reports from different branches of work, Mrs. John Clark gave a splendid paper on Anti-Narcotics bringing to the notice of the women that Essex County the farmers are increasing their acreage of tobacco and dropping wheat so great is the demand and good prices for this deadly weed. Mrs. Halliday of Chesley spoke on 'Citizenship' touching on moral education and increasing the voting power of women.

Scientific Temperance by Mrs. Stauffer, Walkerton, showed the benefit it would be to the children to have this subject taught in the schools.

Fairs by Mrs. Bonnet, Wiarton, showed the practical benefit to the children thru the seeds and potatoes given them and the thought of trained agriculturalists thru rural fairs was well handled.

The convention decided to approach the county council and ask that body to treat them as they do other organizations.

At the public meeting on Wednesday evening, Rev. W. A. Bradley occupied the chair. Rev. C. Durant conveyed the welcome of the municipality in the absence of the rector. A good musical program was provided by the united choirs of the Presbyterian and Methodist churches. An excellent address was delivered by Mrs. Stevens of Toronto, provincial president.

The officers for the following year are as follows: President, Mrs. B. C. Ashcroft, Wiarton; first vice-president, Mrs. F. F. Moore, Teeswater; second vice-president, Mrs. William Halliday, Chesley; recording secretary, Mrs. A. B. Stauffer, Walkerton; treasurer, Mrs. H. B. Putnan, Paisley; corresponding secretary, Mrs. J. G. Simpson Wiarton.

The honor roll of mothers, members, of the W. C. T. U., who have sons at the front was read. It was a long roll.

Flashes From The Convention

County Supt. of Anti-Narcotics deplored the fact that two of our Ontario Counties are using so much land in growing tobacco that might be used to grow food stuffs.

Upward of one thousand dollars was raised for free drinks and comforts for the soldiers at the front and more is still being collected.

Walkerton sent a bale of clothing to the Indians valued at forty two dollars.

Mrs. Stevens, Provincial President not only instructed but enthused all those who were privileged to hear her.

Teeswater supplied us with excellent music. They certainly have fine talent and were more than generous with their hospitality and we look forward with pleasure to a return to that village.

LAW APPLIES TO PICNICS

Complete information relative to the new food regulations, which are now in operation, have been received by Mr. Robt. Goode, Chairman of the Local Food Board.

Under the new regulations the law governing the serving of food in public eating houses applies to lawn socials, bazaars, tea meetings, public luncheons, dinners, picnics, fairs, exhibitions, lodges, clubs, etc But it is not necessary to secure a license for certain gatherings at which food or refreshment is to be served to 15 or more persons other than the members of the family giving the affair. They include private and semi-private luncheons, dinners, parties and picnics But the law demands that the regulations governing the serving of food must be adhered to.

Under the old regulations the hour for the evening meal was from six to nine o'clock, but under the new regulations it is from 5.30 to 8.30 o'clock. The daylight saving measure has been responsible for the change.

In eating houses beef and veal shall not be served except at evening meal on Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, except when stews made from shucks, brisket, plates, flanks and left-overs are served. Such stews may be served at any mid-day meal.

Bread as a garnish, except under poached eggs, is prohibited.

Not more than a half ounce of butter or oleomargarine shall be served to any one meal, unless more is requested, when not more than an additional half ounce shall be served.

Town and District

Dandelion wine is to be put under the ban.

The housewife is to have all the sugar she wants for preserving. That is, of course, if she can pay for it.

A strike of 30 moulders occurred at the Western Foundry, Wingham, last week. It is understood the difficulty is over the question of the open shop.

The country will soon be a lap ahead of the villages, towns and cities in the race for automobile ownership. Of the 78,435 cars in Ontario, 47,337 are owned by the rural people, and 31,008 by the townsfolk.

Late society news from Orangeville, as reported in the Sun: Miss Gordon and Miss Cora Hayward underwent operations for the removal of bunions recently, and both young ladies are getting along nicely.

Mrs. Wm. McDonald of Chesley, wife of the local member for North Bruce, was very badly burned last week while cleaning a pair of gloves with gasoline. Her condition is still critical, but there are good hopes for her recovery.

In the restaurants in Roumania you can get nothing but beans to eat—there are seven meatless days a week No stores are open because there is nothing to sell in the way of clothing. Ever since the beginning of the war the import of cotton has ceased. The Germans occupied two-thirds of the country and stripped it of all the materials they were in need of.

If you can think of anything that can be done to beautify or build up our town, go to it. Keep your capital at home, patronize home industries; help your merchants so they can sell cheaper; always get your work done in your town if possible; subscribe and pay for home papers, don't steal or borrow the reading of them. If you follow these suggestions and your town does not improve and build up it will not be your fault Try it.

Not Easy Lives

Oh, do not pray for easy lives. Pray to be stronger men. Do not pray for tasks equal to your powers. Pray for powers equal to your tasks. Then the doing of your work shall be no miracle. But you shall be a miracle. Every day you shall wonder at yourself, at the richness of life which has come to you by the grace of God.—Phillips Brooks.

Bank Roll in Rags

Thinking he was doing his mother a kindness, Willie Schmidt, a 10-year-old lad, of Kitchener, Ont., sold a sack of rags to a Jew for five cents which later were again sold to a wholesale junk dealer for six cents. Hidden in the sack of rags was the family bank roll containing $40, and all efforts to find it have proved fruitless. The rags became mixed at the warehouse.

An Awful Conundrum

The gimlet-eyed man, given to propounding conundrums, sprang a new one on a friend the other day.

"What," he asked, "is three-sevenths of chicken, two-thirds of cat, and one-half of goat?"

It was, of course, given up.

"Well" said the gimlet-eyed man, triumphantly, "the answer's Chicago. "Chi, is three-sevenths of chicken; 'ca, is two thirds of cat, and 'go' is one-half 'goat.'"

Whereupon they threw him out of the place.

Orafton Accidentally Shot

Pte. Roy Potter, a resident of Sarawak, is now lying in Owen Sound hospital suffering from injuries in his right hand as a result of an accident on Monday of last week. He was home on leave, due to report within a day or so, and was working with his father in the field. Having borrowed from a neighbor a gun he decided to return it, going to the barn to get it. It was while taking the fire arm to its owner that the gun was accidently discharged, the charge going into the right hand, severing the thumb and first two fingers.

Cow Gored Woman

Orangeville Banner:—While Tom Craig, a Mono farmer, was delivering some cattle to A. Robinson, a local buyer, at the C.P.R. stockyards between 10 and 11 o'clock Tuesday forenoon a cow went crazy and spread terror in the South and East Wards. The maddened animal broke from the bunch near the C.P.R. station and started up Margaret street, trampling gardens and attacking anything and everything that chanced to get into her way. She made a dash into Sam Street's garden Miss Street who was hanging out clothes. She knocked the unfortunate woman down and gored her badly, one horn entering her left side and cutting an ugly wound about ten inches in length diagonally across the abdomen. From Margaret street the animal made her way to Mill St., where she rushed into Jas. A. Arnott's premises, tumbled over the fence into Mrs. Jas. Williams' back yard and chased Miss Williams into the house. A couple of doors south she chased J. B. Irwin over a fence and finally attacked Mrs. John Richardson, goring her in the thigh, dislocating a thumb and bruising her badly about the body. The infuriated animal was finally rounded up in Robt. Curry's yard on Church street.

S. BRUCE REGISTRATION

Some Interesting Figures Presented by the Registrar, Mr. Geo. D. McKay.

Mr. Geo. D. McKay, who had charge of the registration for South Bruce, has issued the returns as follows:—

Municipality	Males	Females	Total
Tp. of Elderslie	515	519	1034
Tp. of Brant	780	754	1534
Tp. of Carrick	1167	1218	2385
Tp. of Culross	280	268	548
Tp. of Kinloss	536	539	1075
Tp. of Huron	811	817	1628
Tp. of Greenock	547	552	1099
Town of Chesley	607	742	1349
" Walkerton	889	1108	1997
Village of Paisley	282	393	645
" Teeswater	476	554	1030
" Lucknow	386	489	875
	7276	7923	15199

Unincorporated Villages, Total, which are included in the above. Mildmay 999, Formosa 718, Ripley 755, Elmwood 348, Cargill 399.

The following are those who have recorded the highest individual registrations:—(1) Albert W. Hinsperger, of Mildmay, 529, (2) John Farquharson, of Teeswater, 434, (3) L. A. Brink, of Teeswater, 336.

Mrs. L. H McNamara, of Walkerton, recorded 281 registrations, the highest by any lady assistant deputy registrar.

Practically every school teacher in the riding took part in the duties. The methods of taking the registration were uniform, and I am glad to say the work was well done. It would be hard to make particular mention of the helpers, but in many cases the thoroughness of the completion of the cards and the beautiful penmanship could not be excelled.

The remuneration allowed to the deputy registrars and their assistants for their services, in most cases, has already been promised to Red Cross or other Patriotic causes. In every case the assistance was cheerfully volunteered, and it has been a pleasure to me to have such cordiality and co-operation in the performance of the duties required.

I wish to express my gratification to the several newspaper publishers, who have so many demands made upon them for free advertising, but who have very kindly responded to my requests for publication of registration information in their newspaper columns.

Geo. D. McKay,
Registrar.

BRUCE COUNTY RATES FOR 1918

Below is a table giving the county council's assessment upon each municipality for 1918, also for 1917, which shows that the tax rate for county purposes will this year be doubled in nearly every town, village and township. The increase is due largely to the grants for patriotic purposes:

	1917	1918
Albemarle..... $	981 82	$ 1964 50
Amabel	3427 51	7663 00
Arran	8143 41	16330 88
Brant	11794 62	27601 85
Bruce	8852 55	17885 65
Carrick.....	12062 79	22230 07
Culross.....	8854 90	17728 08
Eastnor.....	2214 96	4434 91
Elderslie.....	8353 83	16724 10
Greenock.....	8357 87	16723 01
Huron.....	11245 86	22515 20
Kinloss.....	6091 32	12286 67
Kincardine Tp..	9559 76	19139 48
Lindsay.....	398 56	797 99
Saugeen.....	4837 15	9684 43
St. Edmunds....	179 10	358 60
Chesley.....	2469 35	4823 82
Hepworth.....	269 56	539 70
Lion's Head....	340 70	682 30
Lucknow.....	1098 47	2199 10
Paisley.....	1106 79	2213 87
Port Elgin.....	1493 61	2982 35
Tara.....	752 46	1506 51
Southampton...	1533 32	3069 40
Teeswater.....	916 58	1833 07
Tiverton	324 07	646 81
Kincardine.....	2514 39	5031 04
Walkerton.....	2644 46	5291 42
Wiarton.....	2413 60	4828 28
	$124216 34	$216284 07

Cost Of Victory Loan

The published figures revealing the actual cost of floating the Victory Loan show that out of total expenditures amounting to $2,000,000, only $200,000 went to all the newspapers and journals in Canada for advertising, while $750, 000 went as commission to brokers. $1,110,000 to canvassers, and $984,000 to bankers."

Captured Live Fox.

Foxes are noted for their great cunning, but we have a man in this town who succeeded in outwitting one of these animals on Sunday morning. When Pete Lobsinger was driving north in his car on Sunday morning, he noticed a dog giving chase to a fox. Pete stopped his machine and headed off Mr. Fox as it crossed the road, and between the dog and Pete they gave the fox such a merry chase that the fox was captured as it attempted to crawl through a hole in the fence. The fox is nearly full grown but it fell an easy victim to Pete.—Mildmay Gazette.

TO SAVE THE HAY CROP

Efficient Machinery and Careful Cutting Required.

Spraying for Potato Blight Begins—By Using Bordeaux Mixture and Paris Green Increased Potato Crop Will Be Harvested.

(Contributed by Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.)

IN a season of labor scarcity haying is a problem on the average farm. It is necessary to make use of all the modern machinery available in order to expedite the saving of this important crop. First, then, we must emphasize the use of machinery in curing and storing. Men are not to be had in plentiful supply, but, in most cases some form of co-operation may be resorted to in order to obtain the use of tedders, hay loaders and horse forks to handle the bulk of the crop. By all means plan to use machinery in place of men this year or otherwise considerable of the crop will not be harvested in the best possible condition.

It is usually safe to cut after a rain when the weather appears to have cleared. Red clover should be cut when about one-third of the heads have turned brown. The tedder should then be used until the crop is dry enough to rake—a period which will vary according to the weight of the cutting, the weather and the amount of sap in the stalk. While it is possible to make slightly better hay by cocking up, this will be a practice of doubtful value this year in view of the labor shortage. Gather with a side-delivery rake if possible, or in small windrows with an ordinary dump rake. The hay loader works best with a small windrow. By all means use a loader if possible and to facilitate matters a sliding rack may be used so that when one-half the rack is loaded it may be pulled ahead and the remainder loaded.

We mention red clover because it is the commonest and most satisfactory hay crop, and is used in all general farming hay mixtures.

Timothy should be cut either after it is out of the first blossom or after the second blossom has fallen—generally the latter. It will require less tedding than clover, is more easily cured and may be drawn in cooler after cutting. Do not let it get too ripe and woody.

Alfalfa should be cut when the young shoots are noticed starting out from the axils of the lower leaves on the stalks, and should be handled much like red clover, only greater care is necessary to preserve the leaves, a very valuable portion of the plants.—Prof. Wade Toole, Ontario Agricultural College.

Spray for Potato Rot.

Late blight and rot is the most destructive disease of potatoes in Ontario. In wet seasons it frequently destroys a very large proportion of the crop and causes a loss of many thousands of dollars to the farmers of the province. This is to a large extent a needless loss, for "late blight" and "rot" can be prevented by timely, thorough and intelligent spraying with Bordeaux mixture.

Directions for Spraying.

Spray with Bordeaux mixture, strength 4 to 6 pounds of copper sulphate (bluestone) and 4 pounds of lime to 40 gallons (imperial) of water. Commence spraying when the plants are from five to eight inches high, and keep the foliage covered with Bordeaux throughout the season. Forty to 100 gallons of the Bordeaux mixture will be required for each application, the amount to be used depending upon the size of the plants. Take special care to see that the spraying is very thoroughly done if the weather is at all damp about the 15th of July, as blight often begins at this time. Add a poison when necessary for potato beetles—arsenate of lead paste, 3½ lbs. to each 40 gallons of the liquid spray, or Paris green 2 lbs. to 40 gallons or a mixture of 2 lbs. of arsenate of lead paste and 1 lb. of Paris green to 40 gallons. From three to seven applications should be made, depending upon the season, the wetter the weather the larger the number. Do not put off spraying because it looks like rain. If the spray is on the plants half an hour before the rain comes it will be dry and sufficient of it will stick to prevent infection, which takes place during or soon after rain. Spraying as described above should prevent not only late blight and rot but also early blight and potato beetles. For late blight and rot only, it is not necessary to commence spraying until about the 10th of July, but in Ontario it is usually advisable to spray for all three.

A hand pump barrel sprayer can be used for small lots of potatoes. Most men who grow any considerable acreage of potatoes consider that a power potato sprayer is a good investment. The best results from spraying are obtained with machines fitted with T-joint attachments so as to insure covering both surfaces of the leaves at each spraying.

Precautions Necessary to Insure Success.

1. Start spraying before the blight appears. Spraying is done to prevent, not to cure.

2. Spray thoroughly, which can be done only when the mixture is applied with a good pressure so as to insure covering every portion of the plants.

3. Do not hesitate to spray because it look like rain. If the spray is on the plants half an hour before rain comes sufficient of it will stick to prevent infection, which takes place during or soon after rain. If the spraying is left until after a prolonged rain it is very likely to be too late to do much good.

4. Careless spraying never pays Spray thoroughly or not at all.—Prof. J. E. Howitt, Ontario Agricultural College.

TOWN STREET LIGHTING

Will Continue Without New Contract Until Fall Before Which Time It Is Hoped Hydro Will Act - Otherwise A Vote on New Contract In January

The Special Committee appointed to take up the matter of the expiring street lighting contract reported at Monday nights Council meeting. Their report is given in the Council minutes which follow. The Committee is still doing business and is hoping to get the Hydro Power Commission on the job before Fall. In the meantime the Company has agreed to continue the Street lighting service at the old figure. As the Hydro people claim to have a scheme completed to take over the local power company's plant and to finance the proposition for the town there seems no reason why there shouldn't be something doing within the next few months.

The Fire Brigade

The Fire & Light Committee, Reeve Douglas chairman, brought in its report following the consultation with the newly-appointed chief, A. McCartney. The Committee made a number of recommendations, which were carried, of which the following is a summary:—

Personnel of Fire Brigade:—Hon. Treas.—R. E. Truax M. P., Chief Art McCartney, John Erdman, Roy Wesley, R. B. Ferguson, Anthony Wingefolder, David Freiberger, Jno. McIntee, Guy Henderson, Louis Anderson, Louis Runstedler, Frank Bolden, Thos. Singer, Paul Jones.

The men to be paid $20 per annum.

The company to have 4 practices in season and to be paid $1.00 per man per practice. Chief to get no extra pay for practices or other duties.

The company to be composed of 12 paid men and the Chief and the Hon. Treas. making in all a company of 14.

Dissatisfied With Watering

Judge Klein complained that the street-watering was not properly done in front of his property on St George St, and he would object to paying for it. Mrs. W. S. McGregor wrote the Council that only one tank a day passed her property and that the dust was very bad. Cars were also run at an immoderate speed, making the dust worse than ever. These two complaints were referred to committee, the matter to be taken up with the street-watering contractor.

Fuel Controller Resigns

Mayor A. P. Johnston tendered his resignation as Fuel-Controller. Complaints re closets, street matters etc. took up so much of his time he said that he asked to be relieved. His resignation was accepted and a successor will be named at next meeting of the Council.

Fire Chief McCartney stated that only 1 pairs of boots out of 12 pairs bought lately were on-hand and there were no gloves. Some equipment too needed repairing. The Chairman will go into this matter with the Chief.

Town Treasurer Collins asked that a by-law be passed authorizing him and the Mayor to borrow $5,000 from the Merchants Bank for current expenditures, which was done.

Want More Money

Messrs Alex. George and David George wrote the Council that hereafter they would not run horses nor draw hose reels to fires at less than $5 a team. This matter was referred to the Fire & Light Com., who referred it back to the Council for discussion. The present fee allowed by the Council is $2.

Coun. Lippert favored filing the letters. The Council he said, should not be dictated to by anybody. There was no obligation to reply to the communications. If the Committee thought they were not paying the price, it was their business to recommend an increase.

Coun. George said the citizens were entitled to fire protection, and the Council should deal with the two communications one way or the other.

Couns. Lippert and Pletsch moved that the two letters be filed.—Carried.

A Good Suggestion

Coun. George suggested that as under the new arrangements the fire brigade was small and most of the men would be needed at a fire that certain rules be drafted. For instance, that only one-third of the members be permitted to be absent from town at the same time, that the Capt. and Chief could not both be away the same day etc.

The Council agreed to have the Chairman talk these matters over with the Fire Chief and come to some arrangement.

Wants A New Sewer

Contractor Alex. Haas wrote the Council that last year's Council had promised to build a sewer on Campbell St. where he had erected a new residence but had not done so. He now had another proposition to build a second new house and asked that the Council do something. He understood a number of the neighbors were willing to pay for sewer connection.

Want Race Track Fixed

A deputation composed of D. Robertson, Robt. Irwin, H. Irwin and others waited on the Council asking that the old race be fixed up and suggesting a grant to put a roof on the grandstand at the Fair grounds. If the Council would comply with their request they proposed to organize a Track Association and have races here occasionally. A committee composed of Couns. Lippert, Pletch and George was appointed to meet a committee of citizens composed of: Messrs. R. Irwin, Geo. D McKay and I. Glintz, look into the matter and report at next Council meeting.

The Street-Lighting Contract

Mr. D. Robertson K. C., president of the Walkerton Light & Power Co. said he had gone into the matter of the Street-lighting contract with Mr. Rowland and the Council's Committee. It was found that the Council could not make a contract without a vote of the people. As the Council did not wish a vote until January, the company was willing to let the street-lighting run along at the present price, without a renewal of contract, until October, and see if Hydro does anything in the meantime. He pointed out that the contract only called for 80 candle power lights on the Front St. and the company had been supplying 100 candle power lights, also 60 candle power lights on the other streets instead of 40. When the old contract was made the company was able to buy the larger lamps for renewals at 89 cts. There are now $1.20. The smaller lamps now costs the company $1, in place of 60 cts.

The Special Committee appointed by the Council to deal with this matter brought in the following report:—The Light Committee appointed to take up the matter of Street-Lighting met on June 10th and came to the conclusion that Mayor and F. W. Lippert go to Toronto and interview the Ontario Hydro Commission re same. The above named went to Toronto and they met Mr. James, Hydro Engineer, who stated that they had a proposition in shape to present the Walkerton Electric Light and Power Company with a view toward buying out their plant. We afterward met the President Mr. Robertson and Mr. Rowland of the Walkerton Electric Light and Power Co. and it was shown that this Council could not enter into a contract without presenting by-law to be voted on by the ratepayers. The Company agreed to let the matter stand as it is and collect the usual charges per month for Town Hall, Power and Street Light until Fall when the Hydro Commission will have had time to place their proposition before the Electric Light Company and possibly arrive at some arrangement. If that cannot be done by this time the Council to prepare same. By-law to place before the electors at the January Elections.

It will pay you to study the merchants' ads. in this week's Telescope.

PORT ELGIN BEACH, FINE LOTS FOR SALE

I have been instructed by the Singer estate to sell the lots and cottages in this beautiful Grove. Plans and particulars at my office. Parties desiring to spend the summer at Old Lake Huron should not miss this opportunity as this is the most desirable location on the shore with good bathing and boating.

D. C. Cassin, Port Elgin.
Real Estate and Insurance.

SENT UP FOR TRIAL

Reeve Fisinger Of Carrick, Charged With Using Seditious Language, Is Out On $500 Bail

Reeve Moses Fisinger of Carrick received a summons last Wednesday afternoon to appear at Walkerton Police Court at 2 p. m. Thursday last to answer a charge of having made treasonable and seditious utterances before a number of individuals in the village of Mildmay. The information was laid by Dominion Police J. E. Grieves and T. A. Muxworthy of London.

Court was opened at the Town Hall at 2 p. m. Thursday but was adjourned for two hours to allow the defendant's lawyer, Mr. O. E. Klein, to get here from Port Elgin. As Mr. Klein did not arrive on the afternoon train, the preliminary hearing was proceeded with before Magistrate Telton, County Crown Attorney Dixon appearing for the Crown. Four witnesses were examined.

Mrs. Jacob Schmidt of Mildmay gave evidence that Reeve Fisinger had talked to her at the home of her mother Mrs. Susan Kloepfer at Mildmay, last December and was settling up with her brother Mike. He said, "We won't fight for those Catholics in France" and also, "They are shipping the women over there by the carload for the use of the men."

Fisinger was permitted by the magistrate to question the witness. In doing so he denied having made the statements, saying that as he had known Mrs. Schmidt all her life to be a Catholic, he was hardly likely to make any such statement to her.

Mr. Ed Kulbleisch, hardware merchant and garage owner of Mildmay, said that at the beginning of June he, Jack Harper and two others had a conversation with Reeve Fisinger at his garage. Fisinger was in town to take the train for Toronto with the Farmers' Delegation. He quoted the defendant as saying, "The Boys now being sent across are sold like little pigs at $8 a head. Perhaps the Govt. was using the money for clothing or transportation."

The defendant on being allowed to question the witness asked:—Did I not say that I heard what you say about the boys being sold? Did I not also say "You hear so many things that you can't believe anything." The witness answered "yes" to both questions.

John Harper, farmer, of Carrick, corroborated Mr. Kulbleisch's testimony. Asked by Magistrate Telton whether he made any comment at the time in reply to Fisinger's remarks, Harper said:—"I told Fisinger I would not like to make the statement."

Fisinger, on taking the box for examination said he had been down to Ottawa with the Farmers, Delegation and was going to Toronto on the day referred to by the witnesses. A meeting of the ratepayers of the township had been called without consulting him. He was made chairman and was asked if farmer boys ought to go and fight. He replied that he thought one man had as much right to go as another and that the military authorities certainly knew more about it than we did. He asked them to choose somebody else as a delegate but the meeting forced him into it. He heard so many matters discussed by the farmers at Ottawa. One of them was:—"Is it true that the boys are sent over that way, at $8 a head." When I got back to Mildmay, said Fisinger, we were talking about this matter. I told them I heard it but you hear so much you can't believe anything. I think, said the defendant, I have done as much as any white man. He stated he had given the casting vote at the Council to give $1,000 to the Y. M. C. A. He produced statements signed by Mr. J. C. Thompson, president of the Carrick Preparedness League, stating that Fisinger had been largely instrumental in securing patriotic grants from the Carrick Council and had been active in patriotic work on many occasions. A statement from the Township clerk, J. A. Johnston, said that Fisinger had devoted a great deal of time and energy to patriotic movements. In concluding his statement, Fisinger said that the trouble had been made for him through spite by people who never contributed anything nor did anything.

Asked by the two Dominion Police present if he didn't try to settle the case with W. J. McNally, the defendant said he had asked him to drop it as there was nothing in it and he didn't want a great splurge in the papers.

Philip Gress, farmer, of Carrick, was permitted to make a statement on behalf of Fisinger. He said:—"As regards the statement with reference to soldiers being sold at $8 to $10 a head, we heard them at Ottawa and on the train both going and coming. They were heard at Toronto. The reason for those statements may be due possibly to the temper that the farmers were in. I can corroborate Mr. Fisinger's statements about this talk going on about the soldiers. Where it was originated nobody knows but it was there and circulated quite freely so it is altogether likely that Mr. Fisinger just gave that talk as he had heard it."

At the conclusion of the hearing, the magistrate, at the suggestion of the Crown Attorney, decided to send the defendant up for trial.

He was allowed to go on his own bail for $500.

Bowlers At Southampton

A rink of local bowlers comprised of R. Krueger, H. C. Hunter, E. McConnel and T. Pye (skip) went to Southampton on Thursday last to try and lift the Keystone Trophy which the Southampton club is holding. The local rink put up a good game but were worsted by E. E. Short's rink by five shots.

Successful Garden Party

The Red Cross Workers of S S No 4 Brant, are to be congratulated on the success of their lawn social which was held on the lawn of Mr. Hugh Traynor, South Line, on Monday Evn'g. A very large crowd assembled and enjoyed the excellent program and other attractions. Mr. Hy. Tanner held the lucky ticket which won the chair, donated by Mr E. Myles, furniture dealer. The sale of tickets for this chair netted the ladies $26.00. Other articles were put up for auction which included a bag of flour donated by Knechtel of Hanover, an apron by Seigner and a cushion by [illegible]. Cigars and music donated by [illegible] brought high money and were very thankful for the [illegible]. The program consisted of [illegible], Misses Ermel, Dippel, [illegible] Armstrong, and Messrs. [illegible] Ruttle, all of which were [illegible] by the crowd. Miss Flora [illegible] ham recited in her excellent [illegible] Fields of Clifford as [illegible] made a good impression [illegible] ers. The chair was ably [illegible] Mr. D. McKerracher and [illegible] ers assisted in the pro[illegible] total proceeds amounted to [illegible] 00.

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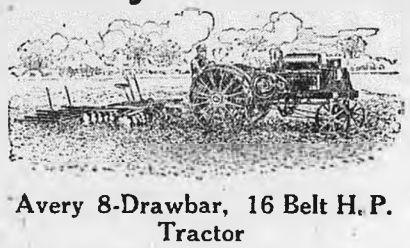
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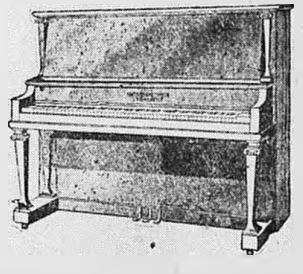
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:-: Happenings of the Week Collected for the Readers of The Telescope by a Staff of Wideawake Correspondents :-:

MILDMAY

Manager A. C. Welk of the Merchant's Bank visited Formosa on Sunday.

Pte. Edward Schneider who is in a draft going overseas soon spent a few days at his home here last week on his last leave.

Mrs. James Stewart who sustained a broken arm a week ago is now much improved and able to be about again.

The local Ford agents got in another carload of Fords last week.

Mrs Harry Biehl of Gore Bay is spending a week or two with her mother Mrs. James Johnston. She is accompanied by two little children, Leslie and Pauline.

Pte. Leo. Herringer (Pope) returned home from London and is spending a few weeks here.

Mr. Wm. F. Wendt and Mr. Riptke of Gowish motored up to Bruce Twp. and spent a few days with the latter's brother Mr. John Riptke of con. 6.

The 5 Act Drama "East Lynne" put on by the Fordwich Dramatic Club last Friday evening in the Town Hall was pronounced by those who were present to be a first class entertainment The Hall was well filled. Many people came from other places. The proceeds go to the Red Cross.

Mr Samuel Liesemer, jeweller of of Detroit motored to Mildmay and is spending a week with his brother Mr Peter Liesemer Mr Gordon Dickison took in the garden party at the South Line Brant on Monday evening.

Next Sunday evening Rev Mr Murno a native Japanese Minister will preach in the Evangelical church in the interests of the Bible Society.

Mr Thomas Hickling conducted the church services in the Methodist church Sunday morning in the absence of the minister Rev. Chapman. No services were held in the evening.

PINKERTON

The local Red Cross Society packed and shipped the following articles last week:

Red Cross Supplies—20 towels, 22 suits pyjamas, 1 pillow, 2 pillow cases, 1 quilt 1 pd. old linen.

Soldiers Comforts—24 towels, 39 pr. socks, 72 personal property bags, 50 flannel shirts.

Pte. Melville Reid returned to London, on Tuesday after spending a ten days leave at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruby and family of Conner spent over the holiday at Mr. Clark's

Miss Zeta Clark nurse in training at Galt and Mrs. E. Webb also of Galt are visiting at the home of parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Clark.

The ladies of the Red Cross Society wish to thank Mrs Wm. Taylor for his generous donation of $25.00

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Pitcher, Mr. and Mrs. C. Pitcher and Miss Alma Reid returned from Toronto and spent a few days at the latter's home here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Moffatt of Edmonton are visiting the former's parents Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Moffat.

EAST BRUCE

Mr James Pace is improving the appearance of his line house by having it painted.

Mr. James Pace spent the week-end visiting friends at Windsor.

Mr. Howard McKeeman is engaged to Mr. James B. McKay.

Mr. Mawhinney of Tiverton spent Sunday at Mr. W. J. Boag's.

BRANT AVENUE

As quite a few of our live agriculturists got interested and finally they decided to have a meeting called in the interests of the farmers club, so last Tuesday night July 2nd Mr Wm Barry Dunkeld opened the doors of his home and about a dozen people gathered together with the aid of a lamp fellows already members of the Malcolm Farmers Club, in the persons of Messrs Alex Pace, P Fisher and Lamont who gave the public there some of interesting facts and items of their experience of their past business. Mr Wm Barry acted as chairman. Before they departed for home 16 members were signed up for business on a start and elected some officers and his Tuesday July 9th inst another meeting was held in Mr Frank Schuler's Hall at Dunkeld which hall the club has rented for this year. About 5 new members were signed up leaving a club of 31 members. They decided to hold their next monthly meeting on Tuesday Aug 6th when everybody who is interested in such work should attend, as there will be some (expert speakers) of other clubs there to explain all facts clearly to all. Everybody welcome, also the Ladies.

Private Frank Sutter of London is home on 30 days leave to assist at haying and harvesting on his and his father's farms.

Mr and Mrs Jos J Ernst visited friends at Riversdale and Inniskillen on Sunday.

Mr. James McCarter and son Norman and Miss Florence motored to Toronto on Saturday to visit Mr McCarters only sister who was reported to be seriously ill.

Mr Anthony Himmelspach of Carlsruhe visited his brother-in-law Mrs. J. Ruetz over Sat. and Sunday.

Mr Jos. J. Zettler left Wednesday morning for Toronto to dispose of a carload of cattle and hogs he shipped the previous day, also on business transactions about the organization of the Farmers Club of Dunkeld of which Joe was elected Sec. Treas. last week.

Well if we get an occasional shower of rain right along till harvest like we had the last few weeks, we may by chance get a fair supply of food to feed our Country's hungry ones.

Haying has commenced in full swing all over and the biggest hindrance to rapid hustling is the unsettled weather. We should not kick at rain for its needed bad but in spite of this there are always some kickers running at large who are never satisfied, no matter how much or how easy they get what they have.

GLAMIS

Miss Flossie McLennan is home from Sault Ste. Marie.

The Union S S picnic to Inverhuron on Tuesday was a decided success.

Mrs. Dezall and family, Miss May Ferris and their father have moved into the Baptist manse for a few months.

Mr. McCauley spent a few days with his mother in Tara.

Mrs. Will Woods, and sons returned to Sarnia last week prior to returning to their home in Tioga, North Dakota.

Miss McIntyre, Miss Laura Cunningham, and Master Campbell McIntyre have been camping at Inverhuron, for a few days

Miss Maur of Toronto is a guest of Mrs. Reith at "The Manse".

Miss Kate Hughes of St. Catherines, who is on a visit to her home near Tiverton, spent a few days with Miss Susie Thompson.

Rev. J. P. McLennan of Perth spent the week-end here.

Miss Jessie Imrie of Kitchener is a visitor at George Webb's.

Charles J. McKinnon of Wallaceburg is home for his summer vacation.

Mrs. Angus McLean and daughter, Nurse Mamie McLean left last week on a visit to relatives at Schleicher.

Miss Zeta Black of Clifford spent a few days at the Misses Rowson's.

Rev. J. P. McLennan preached in the Baptist church on Sunday evening.

Mr. J. Cunningham is undergoing treatment in Walkerton.

Miss Margaret Campbell of Harriston was a Sunday visitor at her home.

SOLWAY

Mr and Mrs Wm Lambertus and Miss Clara, motored to Kitchener on Saturday and spent the week-end with friends and relatives.

Winfrid Dietrich of London was home for the week-end.

Mr and Mrs Alex Knoll and baby spent Sunday with friends in Mildmay.

Mr. Ben Mitchell and two children spent a few days last week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs John Whitehead near Walkerton.

Mr and Mrs John Strueder accompanied by the latter's parents Mr and Mrs J Fisher of Carlsruhe and Mrs Henry Kirstine, of the South Line, visited friends near Guelph on Sunday.

A few from here attended the Baptist S S picnic on Saturday.

Eugene Dietrich returned last week from London having been exempted as physically unfit for overseas.

Dave Coates motored to Toronto one day last week and visited friends there.

Miss Mary Tulluck is holidaying at her home here.

FORMOSA

Farmers are busy at haying now. They say if the military boys will not be granted furlough leave they are unable to save their crops.

David Zimmer and Herb. Illebran of London military camp spent last week-end under the parental roof.

Mrs. William Lambertus, who has been spending a couple of weeks with relatives and friends here, returned to her home in Hepworth.

Gerald Oberle and his sister, Irene motored to Owen Sound last Saturday.

List of successful pupils who were promoted.

JR. IV TO SR. IV.

Hon.—Marie Schnurr. Pass—Olivia Kraemer, Hildegarde Strauss, Rupert Weishar, Laura Scheffler, Willis Waechter, Johanna Fedy, Hilaria Zettel.

SR. III TO JR. IV.

Hon.—Elizabeth Massel, Georginia Kuntz, Marie Dentinger. Pass—Leo Oberle, Clara Oberle, Mary Weis, Anthony Brick, Harry Oberle, Clarence Weiss.

JR. III TO SR. III.

Pass—Elvira Montag, Mildred Bildstein, Henrietta Zettel, William Massel, Gertrude Zimmer, Matrona Brick, Ludwina Kuntz, Laura Beninger, Margaret Kraemer, Clara Lehman.

SR. II TO JR. III.

Hon.—Leonard Oberle, Henry Opperman. Pass—Edwina Weiss, Juletta Weiler, Vera Noll, Marianne Albrecht, Alphons Schill, Daniel Weiss, John Schnitzler, Cornelius Obermeyer, Vera Oberle, Frances Tiede, Margaret Beninger, Elmer Schefter, Melinda Schnurr, Bernolda Bruder, Loretta Duerer, Cornelius Meyer, Emelia Beninger, Otto Ditner, Matilda Rettinger.

SR. I TO JR. II.

Hon.—Rose Schill, Arthur Gutscher, Henry Kuntz, Edward Schnurr, Henry Strauss.

Pass—Reuben Schumker, Edgar Oberle, Rose Duerer, Leonard Beninger, Leo Weber, Frank Beninger, Robert Weiler, Edwin Rettinger, Gordon Vogt, Raph Ditner, Joseph Hoffele, Reta Montag, Leonard Zettel.

JR. I TO SR. I.

Pass—Francis McCue, Matilnda Schnurr, Melinda Weiss, Edwin Oberle, Willie Zimmer, Ermina Dentinger, Joseph Kraemer, Magnus Rettinger, Lucia Beninger, Charles Reinhardt, Ralbina Schill, Seraphine Albrecht, Eileen Weishar, Herbert Kuntz, Albin Beninger, Leander Weiss, Oscar Heiss, Clara Rettinger, Emelia Tiede, Nora Schlosser, Clarence Rettinger, Georgina Rettinger, Loretta Schloss, Bernilda Montag, Annie Reinhardt, Leander Strauss, Melvin Kuntz, John Ratte.

GREENOCK

Some of the boys home from London on leave over the week-end were: Miss Kraemer, Alex Kirschner and Alex Dietner.

A party was held at Mr. John Ratchler's on Friday evening. All report an enjoyable time.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Fisk and Mrs. and Mrs. Jno. Fisk took a trip to Guelph and Kitchener last week.

Mr. Thos. Wallace has purchased Mr. Wm. Latimer's residence at Greenock.

Mr. and Mrs H. Hawthorne spent Sunday at Mr. Wm. Ritchie's at Paisley.

A few of the farmers have commenced haying. It is an excellent crop.

WESTFORD

Master Walter Linehan of Toronto spent a few days with friends here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Haldenby and a party of friends motored to London to see their sons one day last week.

Mrs. Symons of Munising Mich. and her sister Mrs. Alex. Hewitt and little son Jack of Kinloss visited at Mrs. P. Linehen's friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Kelly of Walkerton accompanied by Mr. R. F. Clancy and son Rod Motored to Dan Murray's last friday.

Miss May Cassidy who has been visiting friends in Toronto for the past month has returned to her home.

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Misses Mabel and Nellie Clancy, who have spent the last couple of weeks holidaying at their home, returned to Walkerville and London.

A team of Bowlers from here attended the garden party in Walkerton last Friday. They won one game and lost one.

Mr. Jos. Clancy jr. returned to Oshawa after a few months' visit at his home.

Mr. James Alexander, of Oshawa, spent the holiday in town.

Mrs. R. A. Fawbie and Mrs. F. F. Balsdon returned to town last week.

Miss F. Newman spent the holiday at her home in Owen Sound.

Mr F. A. Cargill, late of the Roya Bank Staff, returned to his home to help on the farm for the remainder of the summer. Miss Myrtle Elder is the new clerk on the staff, also the first girl clerk in the Bank in Cargill.

Pte. Lawrence Bester and Wm. Fabree were home from London over the week-end.

School days are over for two months. oh, joy, says the boy. The teachers are sorry also. They will likely be experienced farmers when they return.

Geo. Roxburn is the latest purchaser of a new Ford car.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Rousseau motored to Hamilton and St. Catherines last week.

HANOVER

An aged lady passed away at her home in Hanover in the person of Mrs. Thos. Beamish, mother of Constable Beamish. Death was due to heart failure. She was 74 years of age.

Mr. Geo. A. McGeagh's Ford car was taken from his lawn during the early hours of Monday morning last week. Mr. McGeagh discovered it, after a search the next morning, near the Grand Trunk station with one of the axles broken.

Mrs. John Mills has been elected District President of the Women's Inst. for the coming year

Major George H. Musgrove of Hanover has been awarded the Distinguished Service Order, the second most coveted decoration bestowed by the British Army and only superseded by the Victoria Cross.

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Seventeen

A Tale of Youth and Summer Time and the Baxter Family, Especially William

By
BOOTH TARKINGTON

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brushed his hair. He went so far this time as to brush his eyebrows, which seemed not much altered by the operation. Suddenly he was deeply affected by something seen in the glass.

"By George!" he exclaimed aloud.

Seizing a small hand mirror, he placed it in juxtaposition to his right eye and closely studied his left profile as exhibited in the larger mirror. Then he examined his right profile, subjecting it to a like scrutiny, emotional, yet attentive and prolonged.

"By George!" he exclaimed again. "By George!"

He had made a discovery. There was a downy shadow upon his upper lip. What he had just found out was that this down could be seen projecting beyond the line of his lip, like a tiny nimbus. It could be seen in profile.

"By George!" William exclaimed.

He was still occupied with the two mirrors when his mother again tapped softly upon his door, rousing him as from a dream, brief but engaging, to the heavy realities of that day.

"What do you want now?"

"I won't come in," said Mrs. Baxter. "I just came to see."

"See what?"

"I wondered—I thought perhaps you needed something. I knew your watch was out of order"—

"For'tean's sake, what if it is?"

She offered a murmur of placative laughter as her apology and said:



There Was a Downy Shadow Upon His Upper Lip.

"Well, I just thought I'd tell you because, if you did intend going to the station, I thought you probably wouldn't want to miss it and get there too late. I've got your hat here, all nicely brushed for you. It's nearly twenty minutes of 1, Willie."

"What?"

"Yes, it is. It's"—

She had no further speech with him.

Breathless, William flung open his door, seized the hat, rocketed down the stairs and out through the front door, which he left open behind him. Eight seconds later he returned at a gallop, hurtled up the stairs and into his room, emerging instantly with something concealed under his coat.

Mrs. Baxter sighed and went to a window in her own room and looked out.

William was already more than halfway to the next corner, where there was a car line that ran to the station, but the distance was not too great for Mrs. Baxter to comprehend the nature of the symmetrical white parcel now carried in his right hand. Her face became pensive as she gazed after the flying slender figure. There came to her mind the recollection of a seventeen-year-old boy who had brought a box of candy—a small one, like William's—to the station once, long ago, when she had been visiting in another town. For just a moment she thought of that boy she had known so many years ago, and a smile came vaguely upon her face. She wondered what kind of a woman he had married and how many children he had and whether he was a widower—

The fleeting recollection passed. She turned from the window and shook her head, puzzled.

"Now, where on earth could Jane and that little Kirsted girl have gone?" she murmured.

At the station William, descending from the street car, found that he had six minutes to spare. Reassured of so much by the great clock in the station tower, he entered the building and, with calm and dignified steps, crossed the large waiting room. Those calm and dignified steps were taken by feet which little betrayed the tremulousness of the knees above them.

He made sure that the person he sought was not in the waiting room. Therefore he turned in the doors which gave admission to the tracks, but before he went out he paused for an instant of displeasure. Hard by the door stood a telephone booth, and from inside this booth a little girl of nine or ten was peering expertly out at William, her face just above the lower level of the glass window in the door.

Even a prospect thus curtailed revealed her as a smudged and dusty little girl. To William she suggested nothing familiar. As his glance happened to encounter hers the peering eyes grew instantly brighter with excitement. She exposed her whole countenance at the window and impulsively made a face at him.

Three seconds later the dusty faced little girl and her mouse were spent utterly from William's mind. For as the doors swung together behind him he saw Miss Pratt. There were no gates nor iron barriers to obscure the view. There was no train shed to darken the air. She was at some distance, perhaps 200 feet, along the tracks, where the sleeping cars of the long train would stop. But there she stood, mistakable far as other on this wide earth.

There she stood—a glowing little figure in the hazy September sunlight, her hair an amber mist under the adorable little hat, a small bunch of violets at her waist, a larger bunch of fragrant but less expensive sweet peas in her right hand, half a dozen pink roses in her left, her little dog Flopit in the crook of one arm and a one pound box of candy in the crook of the other—ineffable, radiant, starry, she stood.

Near her also stood her young hostess and Wallace Banks, Johnnie Watson and Joe Bullitt, three young gentlemen in a condition of solemn tensity. Miss Parcher saw William as he emerged from the station building, and she waved her parasol in greeting, attracting the attention of the others to him, so that they all turned and stared.

Seventeen sometimes finds it embarrassing, even in a state of deep emotion, to walk 200 feet or thereabout toward a group of people who steadfastly watch the long approach. And when the watching group contains the lady of all the world before whom one wishes to appear most debonair, and contains not only her, but several rivals who, though fairly good hearted, might hardly be trusted to neglect such an opportunity to murmur something jocular about one— No, it cannot be said that William appeared to be wholly without self consciousness.

In fancy he had prophesied for this moment something utterly different. He had seen himself parting from her, the two alone as within a cloud. He had seen himself gently placing his box of candy in her hands, some of his fingers just touching some of hers and remaining thus lightly in contact to the very last. He had seen himself bending toward the sweet blond head to murmur the few last words of simple eloquence, while her eyes lifted in mysterious appeal to his. And he had put no other figures, not even Miss Parcher's, into this picture.

Parting is the most dramatic moment in young love, and if there is one time when the lover wishes to present a lofty but graceful appearance it is at the last. To leave with the loved one for recollection a final picture of manly dignity in sorrow—that, above all things, is the lover's desire. And yet, even at the beginning of William's 200 foot advance, later so much discussed, he felt the heat surging over his ears, as he took off his hat, thinking to wave it jauntily in reply to Miss Parcher, he made but an uncertain gesture of it, so that he wished he had not tried it. Moreover, he had covered less than a third of the distance when he became aware that all of the group were staring at him with unaccountable eagerness and had begun to laugh.

William felt certain that his attire was in no way disordered nor in itself a cause for laughter. All of these people had often seen him dressed as he was today and had preserved their gravity. But in spite of himself he took off his hat again and looked to see if anything about it might explain this mirth, which at his action increased. Nay, the laughter began to be shared by strangers.

CHAPTER XXII.
The Bride to Be.

WILLIAM'S inward state became chaotic.

He tried to smile carelessly to prove his composure, but he found that he had lost almost all control over his features. He had no knowledge of his actual expression except that it hurt him. In desperation he fell back upon



They Were Walking With Their "Stummicks Out of Joint."

hauteur. He managed to frown and walked proudly. At that they laughed the more, Wallace Banks rudely pointing again and again at William, and not till the oncoming sufferer reached a spot within twenty feet of these delighted people did he grasp the significance of Wallace's repeated gesture of pointing. Even then he understood only when the gesture was supplemented by half articulate shouts:

"Behind you! Look behind you!"

The stung youth turned.

There, directly behind him, he beheld an exclusive little procession consisting of two damsels in single file, the first soiled with house moving, the second with apple sauce.

For greater caution they had removed their shoes, and each damsel as she paraded dangled from each far extended hand a shoe. And both damsels, whether beneath apple sauce or dust smudge, were suffused with the raptures of a great mockery.

They were walking with their "stummicks out o' joint."

At sight of William's face they squealed. They turned and ran. They got themselves out of sight.

Simultaneously the air filled with solid thunder and the pompous train shook the ground. Ah, what a the word! This was the thing that meant to bear away the golden girl and honeysuckle of the world—meant to and would, unshaking one iron second!

Now a porter had her handbag.

Dear heaven, to be a porter—yes, a colored one! What of that now? Just to be a simple porter and journey with her to the far, strange pearl among cities whence she had come!

The gentle porter bowed her toward the steps of his car, but first she gave Flopit into the hands of May Parcher for a moment and whispered a word to Wallace Banks, then to Joe Bullitt, then to Johnnie Watson; then she ran to William.

She took his hand.

"Don't forget," she whispered—"don't forget Lola."

He stood stock still. His face was blank.

She infolded May Parcher, kissed her devotedly; then, with Flopit once more under her arm, she ran and



"Why, Willie Baxter!" she cried, blinking at him.

jumped upon the steps just as the train began to move. She stood there, on the lowest step, slowly gliding away from them, and in her eyes there was a sparkle of tears, left, it may be, from her laughter at poor William's pageant with Jane and Ruenle Kirsted, or, it may be, not.

She could not wave to her friends in answer to their gestures of farewell, for her arms were too full of Flopit and roses and candy and sweet peas, but she kept nodding to them in a way that showed them how much she thanked them for being sorry she was going and made it clear that she was sorry too and loved them all.

"Goodby!" she meant.

Faster she glided. The engine passed from sight round a curve beyond a culvert, but for a moment longer they could see the little figure upon the steps, and to the very last glimpse they had of her the small, golden head was still nodding "Goodby!" Then those steps whereon she stood passed in their turn beneath the culvert, and they saw her no more.

Lola Pratt was gone!

Wet eyed, her young hostess of the long summer turned away and stumbled against William. "Why, Willie Baxter!" she cried, blinking at him.

The last car of the train had rounded the curve and disappeared, but William was still waving farewell, not with his handkerchief, but with a symmetrical one pound parcel, wrapped in white tissue paper, girdled with blue ribbon.

"Never mind," said May Parcher. "Let's all walk uptown together and talk about her on the way, and we'll go by the express office, and you can send your candy to her by express, Willie."

In the smallish house which all summer long, from morning until late at night, had resounded with the voices of young people, echoing their songs, murmurous with their theories of love or vibrating with their glee, sometimes shaking all over during their more boisterous moods—in that house, now comparatively so vacant, the proprietor stood and breathed deep breaths.

"Hah!" he breathed sonorously. He gave himself several resounding slaps upon the chest, then went out to the porch and sat in a rocking chair near his wife. He spread himself out expansively. "My glory," he said, "I believe I'll take off my coat! I haven't had my coat off outside of my own room all summer. I believe I'll take a vacation! By George, I believe I'll stay home this afternoon!"

"That's nice," said Mrs. Parcher.

"Hah!" he said. "My glory, I believe I'll take off my shoes!"

And, meeting no objection, he proceeded to carry out this plan.

"Hah-ah!" he said and placed his stockinged feet upon the railing, where a number of vines, running upon strings, made a screen between the porch and the street. He lit a large cigar. "Well, well," he said, "that tastes good! If this keeps on I'll be in as good shape as I was last spring before you know it!" Leaning far back in the rocking chair, his hands behind his head, he smoked with fervor, but suddenly he jumped in a way which showed that his nerves were far from normal. His feet came to the floor with a thump, he jerked the cigar out of his mouth and turned a face of consternation upon his wife.

"What's the matter?"

"Suppose," said Mr. Parcher hoarsily —"suppose she missed her train!"

Mrs. Parcher shook her head.

"Think not?" he said brightening. "I ordered the livery stable to have a carriage here in lots of time."

"They did," said Mrs. Parcher severely; "about $5 worth."

"Well, I don't mind that," he returned, putting his feet up again. "After all, she was a mighty fine little girl in her way. The only trouble with me was that crowd of boys. Having to listen to them liked to kill me, and I believe if she'd stayed just one more day I'd been a goner!"

"Mr. Parcher!" a youthful voice protested.

He rose and, separating two of the vines which screened the end of the porch from the street, looked out. Two small maidens had paused upon the sidewalk and were peering over the picket fence.

"Mr. Parcher," said Jane as soon as his head appeared between the vines—"Mr. Parcher, Miss Pratt's gone. She's gone away on the cars."

"You think so?" he asked gravely.

"We saw her," said Jane. "Ruenle an' I were there. Willie was goin' to chase us, I guess, but we went in the baggage room behind trunks, an' we saw her go. She got on the cars, an' it went with her in it. Honest, she's gone away, Mr. Parcher."

Before speaking Mr. Parcher took a long look at this telepathic child. In his fond eyes she was a marvel and a darling.

"Well, thank you, Jane," he said.

Jane, however, had turned her head and was staring at the corner, which was out of his sight.

"Oo-oo-ooh!" she murmured.

"What's the trouble, Jane?"

"Willie!" she said. "It's Willie an' that Joe Bullitt an' Johnnie Watson an' Mr. Wallace Banks. They're with Miss May Parcher. They're comin' right here!"

Mr. Parcher gave forth a low moan and turned pathetically to his wife, but she cheered him with a laugh.

"They've only walked up from the station with May," she said. "They won't come in. You'll see!"

Believed, Mr. Parcher turned again to speak to Jane, but she was not there. He caught but a glimpse of her, running up the street as fast as she could, hand in hand with her companion.

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Women's Meetings In Full Swing—The Summer Institute Meetings Are of Benefit to Every Woman Who Attends—Topics to Be Discussed and Work Planned.

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POTATOES are sprayed to prevent such fungus disease as Early Blight and Late Blight and Rot. These diseases are caused by plants known as fungi Those fungi which derive their nourishment from living plants injure them in so doing in various ways and thus give rise to what are known as fungus diseases.

In combating the great majority of fungus diseases methods of prevention only are practicable. Spraying potatoes is not done to cure but to prevent disease. In other words the object of spraying is to cover the surface of the leaves and stems with a substance, poisonous to the spores of fungi, in which they cannot grow, and penetrate the plant. Spraying, therefore, in order to be effective, must be timely and thorough. The spray mixture must be on the plants before the spores reach them and the surface of the leaves and stems must be covered so completely that there is not the smallest space on which a spore can germinate.

Efficient spraying of potatoes depends:

1. Upon the use of the proper fungicide. Bordeaux mixture has so far proved to be the only satisfactory spray mixture for potato diseases.

2. Upon timely and repeated spraying. Spraying should be commenced when the plants are from six to eight inches high and repeated at intervals of from a week to ten days throughout the growing season. From three to seven applications will be required, the number depending upon the weather, the wetter the weather the more frequent the spraying.

3. Upon the liberal use of Bordeaux mixture. From 50 to 100 gallons of Bordeaux mixture should be used per acre at each application.

4. Upon thorough spraying, which means the covering of every portion of the plant with the Bordeaux mixture in the form of a fine mist. This is best done only when the solution is applied with good pressure so as to ensure covering every portion of the plant. The best results from spraying are obtained when potato nozzles are used which are fitted with T-joint attachments, so as to cover both surfaces of the leaves at each spraying.

Upon spraying before rather than after prolonged rainy periods. Protection of the plants takes place during or soon after rain. Therefore it is of the utmost importance to have the spray mixture on the plants when the rain comes. — Prof. J. E. Howitt, Ontario Agricultural College.

The Importance of Women's Institute Meetings.

A series of meetings which, to the women of rural Ontario, have always proved worth while, and increasingly so the last year or two, is the Women's Institute meetings. These are important because they are so far-reaching in their nature. They afford the town and country woman, no matter what her denomination may be, a channel through which she can be of all-round service to humanity.

Since the war began Red Cross and other patriotic work has, of course, received first consideration. The alleviation of suffering seems peculiarly woman's work. The need is greater to-day than ever.

The great demand by the Allies for certain foods such a beef, pork, wheat and sugar has caused the housewife to change her methods of we-war days. She must now learn substitute and to eliminate various forms of waste. Perishable foods must be more widely used, not only in summer, but also in winter. These must be conserved through proper storage, canning or drying. Such subjects as these may be discussed at the meetings. An expert demonstrator may be secured from the Department to give information or a practical demonstration to assist the housewife. The members may club together and do their canning in one centre with one fire if they choose, and in addition to the work accomplished may have a social time together.

The children in the rural districts must not be forgotten. They must be prepared for the great responsibilities which are too soon to fall upon them. Their education must not be neglected. They must not be handicapped by physical imperfections. Subjects of importance to the child must be discussed and means adopted to improve conditions. The Medical Inspection of rural schools and the clinics held through the Women's Institute are doing much to improve conditions.

The girls also need attention. We are apt to forget the girls in our anxiety for the boys. Their lives and their prospects for the future are being affected by this war. Hence opportunities for study, for amusement, for developing their talents to the full, must be afforded them. Many of these opportunities may be secured through the Institute.

Surely with subjects of such vital importance as the above-mentioned, all meetings should be worth while. We would call the attention of all to the importance of the summer meeting, held throughout June, when the delegate from the Department is in attendance. She has the latest information on all subjects of importance to the Institutes, and is a specialist on her own particular subjects. — G. A. Putnam, Superintendent Women's Institutes.

TOWN AND DISTRICT NEWS

Study the ads.

Eight local pages.

Chesley tax rate is 30 mills the dollar for this year.

Try the Telescope for neat job printing at moderate prices.

Rev. Thos. Wilson is preaching at Grand Valley during July.

Misses Ada and Verna Bolden are visiting relatives in Owen Sound.

There are now six young ladies working in the three Orangeville banks.

Miss Ruby Norrish has resigned her position as teacher of S. S. No.1 Brant.

Twenty-five Galt men were caught without registration papers and fined $6 each.

Mrs. Jewell returned on Thursday from a two weeks' visit with friends in Wallace Tp.

Mrs. Robt. Yeates and son Howard of St. Marys has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Jas. Halladay, and her uncles, the Messrs. Chartreau at Riversdale.

The Food Board reminds churches and other organizations that the regulations must be strictly observed in picnics, socials, public luncheons dinners, etc.

There is to be no restriction upon the quantity of sugar to be purchased during the preserving season, providing it is used for that purpose, not hoarded.

A subscriber wants to know why it is "O Promise Me", is always sung at weddings. The "O" is an appeal. Promise is generally broken and "me" —well you have known who is "me" in married life.

A party of people from Chesley had the misfortune to have their automobile destroyed by fire, near Orchard last week. The gas tank was leaking and they lighted a match to observe more closely. The gasoline did the rest, and the party had to procure another car to get home.

Geo. H. Mooney's residence at Ripley was struck by lightning a week ago Sunday evening and the members of the family had a narrow escape. The chimney was split and bricks torn away. The lightning followed the gas pipe attached to the chimney to the sitting room where the "ball of fire" exploded. The shock was terrific.

The English humorist who complained that a person cannot be burned in England without showing his sugar ticket was within the truth. The sugar ticket has to be returned before a death certificate is issued, in order that no other person may obtain two tickets. On the other hand, a sugar ticket is issued with every birth certificate.

Back To France

Nursing Sister Jessie Wilson, daughter of Rev. Thos. Wilson of Walkerton, who has been nursing at Bracebridge Hospital, England, the past year, has been transferred to France again.

Tell Us the News

Telephone, telegraph, tell-a-woman but better still, tell the Telescope. To print all the local news is our ambition. You can help us make the home paper all that it should be by phoning in every items of news that you know.

Hepworth Reeve Gets Pin From Duke

Mr. James Douglas, Reeve of Hepworth, is the proud possessor of a fine little tie pin which was presented to him by the Duke of Devonshire on his recent visit to Hepworth. Just before "the Governor-General's" train pulled out the Duke presented the Reeve with the pin which has the Devonshire coat of arms and the letter "D" engraved thereon. Mr. Douglass personally drove the Duke around the different points of interest in his car while at Hepworth.

Brilliant Work

In the literature paper set for the pupils of the third form in the departmental examinations held last week appeared the poem of the late Col. John McCrae "The Anxious Dead," and following his name were the words "died of wounds in France." It is a matter of common knowledge, and known quite well by the pupils who wrote on the paper that the late Col. John McCrae was not wounded but died of pneumonia and meningitis, even if the party who set the examination paper did not know it.

Negro City

"Fifteen minutes from Times Square," New York, and we are in the midst of the largest negro settlement in the world, a town of over 70,000 inhabitants, lying in the district between 125th and 145th streets on the east side of the city; a town with its own social and club life, its own churches (and it rivals Brooklyn in the number of these) its theatres, its newspapers, its doctors and dentists, lawyers and architects, its own armory for colored troops and its own corps of women workers who are looking after the comfort and welfare of these troops. It has already sent to France its crack regiment, the 15th, which became the 367th Infantry in the National Army.

Mr. Tommy Wolfe of George Bros. staff reported for military service this week.

Orilla has 1200 cords of wood in sight for next winter and they are not fearing a coal famine.

Miss Vera Norrish B. A. of Niagara Falls Collegiate staff, who is home for the summer vacation.

Messrs. N. C. McKay, H. J. Bean and Mervin Norrish took a fishing trip to Markdale last Thursday.

Lt. Col. A. E. Belcher, of Toronto, has presented to the town of Southampton an oil painting of himself.

Never send a dollar away from home when the article that the dollar will purchase can be obtained at home. Money is our financial blood. It's circulation keeps the business body alive.

No gypsies are to be permitted to pursue their wanderings about Ontario this summer, the order that everyone must work being due for strict enforcement, and horse-trading and fortune-telling not being rated as work.

The busy physician opened the door of his consultation room and asked: "Who has been waiting the longest?" "Guess I have doctor," said a little man near the door, jumping up. "Here is a bill for the clothes you bought three years ago."

Mr. Beaton Wells of Pinkerton, Ex-Coun. of Greenock, is working in one of the big shipbuilding yards at Toronto. He was for several months on the construction of the big ocean freighter, War Ontario, which was launched last week. Mr. Wells, who was home for a few days the past week, says he likes the work and the wages are high.

Mr. George Lambertus arrived home on Thursday from a ten day's visit to his son, James at North Bay. North Bay is now a live progressive town of 12,000 population. It has fine public buildings and handsome residences, and as a town is inexcelled in neatness and cleanliness. Mr. Lambertus' son has a large drug business and is doing well there.

Woman Suffrage Not New

Translations of prehistoric tablets in the University of Pennsylvania museum have revealed that women mayors were regularly constituted public officials in Asia Minor 5,000 years ago.

He'd Learn Them

Bishop Paul Jones, of Utah, was asked by a committee the other day to support a rather extreme Sunday ordinance.

"Gentleman," said the Bishop, "the wife of one of my ministers saw her little boy last Sunday morning chasing the hens all over the farmyard with a club.

"I'll learn you", he was shouting, I'll learn you to lay eggs on the Sabbath!"

Loses An Eye

Norman Denny, the youngest of three sons of Mr. Wm. Denny who have been at the Front, has had his eye removed as a result of a wound from which he has been confined to a military hospital in England for several months. This plucky young chap enlisted with the 34th., Batt'n in 1915 at the age of 17 and was at the Front about two years, being in some of the worst fighting of the war. He expects to return home to Canada soon.

Tommy's "Manx" Shirt

A pretty V. A. D. nurse who officiates in the linen closet of one of London's big military hospitals according to a correspondent, relates this enlivening tale:

A few days ago fresh raiment was served out to a number of newly arrived Tommies who were in need of it. Suddenly one of the men said: "Say, nurse, what do you call cats that haven't any tails?"

"Why, those are Manx cats," replied the unsuspecting nurse.

"Well, then," said the Tommy, "you've given me a Manx shirt."

Bruce—Adamson

A Pomona, Cal. paper tells of the wedding of a former popular young Walkerton lady:—

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Olive Adamson, daughter of William Adamson of this city, and Ernest Bruce, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bruce, 147 San Francisco Avenue. The ceremony took place in Los Angeles Wednesday morning at 10:30 in the home of the officiating clergyman, Rev. James I. Myers, of the Alhambra Apartments. Relatives only were present to witness the service, those including the bride's father, William Adamson, and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce, parents of the bridegroom. A wedding luncheon at a down-town cafe followed the ceremony. Miss Adamson, who is a niece of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Adamson, Weber and Arroyo avenues, wore a gown of white satin and Georgette crepe with pearl trimings and white hat and shoes. After a few days at the Beach the couple will return to Pomona, where, after July 1st, they will be at home at 235 North Hamilton street. Mr. Bruce has been in the employ of Buck's grocery for the past year.

A new fertilizer factory may locate at Wingham. Ingersol people are behind the project.

Speaking of non-essential industries did you ever notice that the other fellow's always seems more so than your own?

Questionaires are being mailed to all who were granted exemption last fall by the local tribunals, and many of the men will probably be called up again for another hearing soon.

James Clark, 6th con. Howick suffered heavily from the severe wind and rain storm that passed over that section recently. His fine barn was literally torn to pieces by the wind.

A local enquirer asks the question; "The sun keeps warming the earth continually year after year, will it ever run out of its supply?" Scientists assure us the sun's heat will last for a few millions of years yet. No need for us to worry.

Decorations won by Canadian heroes on the field of battle cannot be worn by anyone but the recipient The Militia Department at Ottawa last week notified the District Headquarters to this effect. The ruling comes as a result of a flood of inquiries from relatives of deceased soldiers who have been honored for bravery.

When the grasshopper ceases to hop and the old cow quits her bawling; when the fishes no longer flop and the baby stops its squalling; when the dunners no longer dun—and the hoot-owl quits its hooting; when the riders ever cease to run and the burglar stops his looting; when the vine no longer runs and the skylark stops its larking; when the sun no longer shines and the young man quits his sparking; when the heavens begin to drop and the old maids stop advising, then it's time to shut up shop and quit your advertising.

Relieved From Service

Mr Clarence Oberle, of the Merchants Bank Staff, reported recently for military service at London but on re-examination was reduced to Class E. Clarence is the son of Mr and Mrs. Andrew Oberle, Walkerton. His brother, Roy, has been on the firing line for two years.

A Concrete Temple

A Buddhist temple now in course of construction at Hakodate, Japan, is being built of concrete. This is the first instance of the use of concrete in the construction of such an edifice. The building was designed by Japanese architects and constructed under the supervision of Japanese engineers; but the re-enforcing material came from the United States.

School In Cellars

The children of France are going to school in champagne cellars these days, where the sunshine never pierces through, ventilation is largely imaginary, and the noise of the guns booms down to punctuate the spelling of cat-a-pult. But that is the war zone, and war is the best reason in the world for leaving big modern school buildings to descend to cellars and dugouts in the ground; for even little children must endure bad air and artificial light when bombs and shells are the alternative.

Legal Weight Of Potatoes

Under the Dominion Inspection and Sales Act a bushel of potatoes must weigh 60 pounds, a peck must weigh 15 pounds, and a gallon 7½ pounds. A bag of potatoes must weigh 90 pounds and a barrel must contain 165 pounds of potatoes. A purchaser of a bag of potatoes who receives less than 90 pounds may invoke the penalties provided by the Act—for the first offence a fine not exceeding $25, for each subsequent offence a fine of no less than $50, with imprisonment in default of payment.

Put On a Choker

Two ladies were talking the other day and in some way the telephone subject came under discussion. They both had "party-line" telephones. One of the ladies was telling about how mean somebody in her neighborhood is. To use her own language, the somebody will "talk to some other fool for half an hour, and never say anything either, and here I will be nearly wild wanting to order things for dinner or tell Tom what I want him to fetch home. Are you bothered that way?" The other replied: "I used to be, but am not any more. A friend of mine who is connected with the service told me how to put on a choker, and I will tell you. You may have noticed those two metal knobs at the top of the instrument. Well, they are there whether you have noticed them or not. Now, when somebody has used the line about twice as long as she ought to, I just lay a key or a short piece of wire across those two knobs. Then, in a minute or two, I take off my short circuit and can get central all right. I used to feel as if I wanted to say bad words, but now I let gossips feel that way." The hint was thankfully received by the one to whom it was given, and perhaps others will be thankful too.

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A Sidelight on The Clothing Situation



Last week we received a letter from one of the largest manufacturers of men's and boys' clothing in Canada which in part reads as follows:-

"To give you some idea as to the condition of the Woolen Market, there has been only on woolen mill in Canada so far that hds accepted any orders for next Spring and this particular mill is asking such high prices that we have found it almost impossible to handle the goods they are showing. There is practically nothing whatever coming out from England and the little that is coming out is costing from 400 500 per cent over and above pre-war time prices.

This great scarcity of cloth is realized by few and we feel indeed fortunate that we have gathered together a big stock of such splendid materials. There will be a big demand for suits that are made right and here is where we can serve you best.

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Secure these while we have Your Size

1200 yards of Prints, Ginghams, Muslins, and Voilles, all good seasonable patterns, worth 25c to 35c a yard, now on sale at 20c a yard.

See big line of Ladies', Misses' and Children's plain and ribbed Cotton Hose on Sale at 25c and 35c a pair.

Children's Summer Outing Hats on Sale at one-third to one-half off regular prices.

Big table of Travellers' Samples and Seconds in Gloves, Hosiery, Underwear and Whitewear just when you require these goods at a remarkable saving in price.

We have many other interesting items on Sale well worthy of your inspection, priced very low for quick sale.

Sunshades and Parasols clearing out at quick-selling prices. Come in good time before the choice ones are sold.

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NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Mrs. Martin Kerney is on a week's visit to friends at Southampton.

Miss Maud Wilks returned on Monday to her home in Whitby after visiting friends here.

Dr. Hughes of Waterloo arrived here on Saturday and returned on Monday accompanied by Mrs. Hughes, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Fox who have been seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ryan, Messrs Albert Miller and Dave George and Miss Jeane Miller motored to Kitchener on Saturday and spent over Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H Brick, formerly of this town.

A. W Sheffield of Toronto was here last week attending the funeral of his sister in-law, the late Mrs. E. H. Sheffield. Mr. Sheffield has been with the wholesale dry goods firm of Gordon, MacKay & Co. the past twenty years.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hodgson and children, of Mount Denis, are visiting Mrs. Hodgson's father, Mr. James White, East Ward. Mr. Hodgson was forced to dispose of his boot and shoe business at Mount Denis owing to ill-health. They will probably remain in Walkerton for the summer.

Old Greenock Boy

Mr. Lawrence S. Beringer, an old Greenock boy, has developed a large Creamery business at Wingham and Grand Valley. Mr. Beringer has lately removed from Grand Valley to Wingham.

Baptist Picnic

The Baptist & Christian Sunday School held their postponed picnic in Mr. Reilly's bush on Saturday afternoon. There was a good turnout, the weather was ideal, and both big and little folks had a good time. The star feature of the sports was a race between Mr. James Whitehead and Miss Madge Sinclair. These are the days when the women are forging to the front and of course the lady won.

BORN

OKASZEK – In Kitchener, on Sunday, June 23rd., to Mr. and Mrs. David Okaszek, (nee Miss Cecelia Mosack), a son, (Robert Herbert Joseph.)

JOHNSTON – At Stayner, on Thursday July 4th, to Mr. and Mrs. Vern Johnson (nee Eva Fraser) a daughter.

FLEMING – In Redlaw Alta., on May 27th., to Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Fleming, nee (Lena McNab,) formerly of Chepstow, a son.

SYMONS.—At Redmond, Sask on Tuesday, June 25th, to Mr. and Mrs Norman S. Symons (nee Beth Bell) a son James Stanfield.

DIXON- At Olds, Alta. on Friday June 28th, to Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Dixon, a son (Harrie).

STROEDER – On the South Line Brant, on Sunday, June 23rd, to Mr and Mrs. Noah Stroeder, a son.

Messrs. Bert McDermott and Wm. Kennard motored here from Toronto and spent the week-end at the home of Mr. I Weber.

Mr. Alex Galbraith, the well-known horse-dealer of Paisley, died very suddenly last week. He was seized with a paralytic stroke on Thursday and passed away the following morning.

Fruit Outlook Poor

Mr. John Cunningham of Greenock, who returned last week from a business trip to the Hamilton and Grimsby district says that the outlook in all lines of fruit is very poor this year. Crops of all kinds are backyard owing to the continuous cold weather.

Foresters Attend Church

The members of the Canadian Order of Foresters held their Annual Church parade on Sunday night, attending the Baptist Church. There was a good turnout of the brethren Rev. G. C. Rock spoke on "Service" which he emphasized as the greatest thing in life. Miss Helene Whitehead sang beautifully "Abide with me." After returning to the Lodge rooms the Foresters passed a hearty vote of thanks to Rev. G. C. Rock for his eloquent and helpful message, to the choir, church officials, and all who contributed to the success of the annual parade.

CHILDREN'S AID

Editor Telescope

Dear Sir,

For some time I have felt that a report of services rendered during my time as Agent and Secretary of the Children's Aid Society of the County of Bruce from July 1st 1910 to April 1st 1918—might be looked for. In that time 70 complaintive neglected children came to the Board 57 children were placed in foster homes, 4 boys were placed in the Industrial School at Mimico, and 2 girls in the Alexandra School Toronto. 123 Board Meetings were held of which I missed one, being called to a funeral service. Over two thousand letters were sent out and over seven thousand miles covered as follows Toronto five times, Guelph once, White Church twice, Lucknow three times, Kincardine three times, Hanover once, Cargill four times, Paisley four times, Port Elgin six times, Southampton, five times, Epworth three times, Chesley five times, Owen Sound twice, Wiarton ten times; Lions Head twice, Dyers Bay once, Neustadt twice, Ripley twice together with many visits and consultations at home and replies to a number of telegrams and telephone messages from different places. I am pleased to say that I had the full sympathy and confidence of the Board and County Council as well as of J. J. Kelso Esq. of Toronto Supt. of Children's Aid Societies for the Province of Ontario. These approvals I have learned to appreciate very highly in my endeavours to do my best for neglected children which to me was a great pleasure.

Respectfully
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THE ENTRANCE EXAMS

Every Town Pupil at Walkerton Passed Without Exception—Tara Pupil Leads in East Bruce

The result of the High School Entrance Exams were confirmed by the Education Dept. on Friday night and immediately issued to the candidates by inspector John McCool. The results in Walkerton were particularly gratifying. Every pupil in both Public and Separate Schools was successful, a good proportion of them obtained honours. Considering the fact that the Public School class had a change of teachers in the term they certainly are to be congratulated. It is a feather in the cap of the teaching staff and the new Principal, Mr. Rankin.

The highest marks in East Bruce were obtained by Marion McAsh, of Tara Public School.

(Names in order of Merit)

Walkerton, 42 Candidates, 39 Successful

Honors—Elda Searle, Margaret Hossfeld, Helen Wilson, Bruce Hunter, Florence Norton, Gladys Fehrerbach, Mabel Godwin, Albert Richenbach, Claude Johnston.

Pass—Thomas Monahan, James Rennie, Adeline Becker, Milton McGregor, Florence O'Brocht, Loretta Schumacher, Helen Tolton, Melinda Schumacher, Gladys Jarvis, John Ermel, Malcolm Tolton, Reta Weiss, Marguerite Bell, Elizabeth O'Connor, Albert Weiler, Albert Roetz, Louisa Lippert, Pearl Sickel, Frances Crawford, Lorne Stevens, Gertrude Swanston, Earl Weiss, Minnie Petteplace, Allen Burrell, Vera Anderson, Adela Brocklebank, Louisa Schwan, Keyworth Sutton, Laverne Brocklebank, Wallace Johnston.

Mildmay, 22 Candidates

Honors—Hilda Hinsperger, Irene Hihn, Hedwig Beninger, Genevieve Weiler, Cecelia Beechey, Dora Schaus, Ellen Mahoney, Arthur Weiler, Edwin Herrgott.

Pass—Hilda Schneider, Ernie Miller, Albin Weiler, Leander Dentinger, Magnus Fedy, Christian Schnurr, Cletus Weiler, Harold Scott, Wilfred Fedy, Lawrence Tiede, Ethel Belle Hopf, Louis Privat.

Cargill, 16 Candidates

Honors—Florence Bettrick, Marie Meagher, Vera Abell.

Pass—Mary Beckberger, Joseph Zettel, Mary Mullin, Lillie Scott, Vera Lambertus, Thomas Powers, Ellen Waechter, John Clancy, Lillian L. Grainger, Bernice Garland.

Will Teach in Chatham

Mr. Jim Cameron B.A. who has been Mathmetical Master in the Renfrew Collegiate, is visiting his father and other relatives here. Jim has resigned his position at Renfrew and has accepted a similar position on the staff of the Chatham Collegiate.

Baptist Church

Rev. J. M. Warner, will occupy his former pulpit in the B and C. Church on Sunday.

Knox Church

The pulpit of Knox Church will be occupied next Sunday by Rev. W. C. Richardson of Arthur

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Underwent Operation

Mrs. Michael Hundt of Carlsruhe underwent an operation for tumor on the leg at Bruce County Hospital on Tuesday afternoon.

Jailed For Stealing Cattle

A Wiarton man, named Hepburn, was sent down for three months by the magistrate of that town, on a charge of stealing cattle.

In Precarious Condition

As we go to press, Mr. E. T. Gibson, who has been ill for many weeks is reported to be very low and slight hopes are entertained for his recovery.

Civic Holiday On Race Day

Walkerton's annual civic holiday has been set for race day, Thursday, August 8th, this year, instead of the first Monday in August as in former years.

Operation On Knee

Albert Clarke of the Royal Bank, Hanover, and a son of Mr. Sam Clarke of that town, was operated upon for necrosis of the knee at Bruce County Hospital by Dr. Hall on Tuesday.

Phillip Gress Dead

Word was received in Walkerton on Wednesday afternoon of the death of a well-known Carrick farmer in the person of Mr Phillip Gress. The deceased was 59 years of age. The funeral will be held on Friday to the Mildmay cemetery. Particulars next week.

Struck In Eye

David Monk, who was recently rejected from military duty, while working at the Knechtel factory on Thursday last was struck in the eye by a small block which flew back from a machine which he was operating. It was feared at first that he would lose the use of the injured optic, but medical aid will, it is expected, restore its usefulness.

Extend Call To Rev. Burgess

At the congregational meeting of Knox church held on Tuesday evening a call was extended to the Rev. W. H. Burgess of Chatham Presbytery. Only two votes were taken. On the second vote Mr. Burgess had over seventy per cent of all the votes cast and the call was then made unanimous. As the call has to be dealt with by the Bruce and Chatham Presbyteries, it will be several weeks before Mr. Burgess will commence his pastorate here.

NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Brown shoes restained at Ramsey's Shoe Store.

Miss Halladay is spending her holidays in Toronto.

Mr. John McPhail sr. of Otter Creek is reported to be very low.

Miss Eleanor O'Malley of Buffalo is expected home this Thursday.

Cushionette shoes need no breaking in sold at Ramsey's Shoe Store.

Women's Oxfords in black and brown sid at Ramsey's Shoe Store.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Vogan and babe motored to Southampton on Sunday.

Miss Bowman of Ambleside was the guest of Miss Lambertus on Monday.

Inspector McCool is taking a special summer course at the O. A. C., Guelph.

Rev. Father Haller, of Deemerton, called on old friends in town on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex McCarter spent Sunday at Mr. Tim Hanley's at Chepstow.

Mr. James O'Malley of Chicago is here visiting his brother, Mr. John O'Malley.

Master Kelly Lettner is spending a few days at camp with his aunt, Mrs. R. Krueger.

Mrs. S. W. Vogan and daughters, Clarice and Mrs. Scott, are on a week's visit at Southampton.

Mrs. W. H. Beatty and babe of Creighton Mines are visiting at Mr. Wm. Van Horne's

Mrs. Thos Cunningham and Miss Florence spent Sunday at Mr. Archie McKinnon's.

Barry Moore left this week to take a position with the C. P. R. at Camp Borden.

Mr. Carswell, of Hamilton, spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. (Rev.) Thos. Wilson.

Mr. John A. McKinnon has the contract for erecting a new sleeping porch and kitchen for a party at Hanover.

Women's White Poplin high shoes pumps and oxfords at Ramsey's Shoe Store.

The Dunkeld Farmers Club will hold a meeting at Schulers' Hall Dunkeld, on Tuesday evg. July 23rd.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Krueger and Mr and Mrs. Wingefelder are on a few week's camp at Bell's camp up the Saugeen.

Mr. and Mrs. Eaglesome of Calgary and Mr. and Mr. and Mrs. Fulton and Miss Watson of Clifford were visitors at Mr. Frank Rennie's on Sunday.

Corp. Murray Welsh of Kincardine has been awarded the D. C. M. Corp. Welsh who enlisted at the beginning of the war is now a prisoner in Germany.

Mr. Magnus A. Brillinger, son of Mr. John Brillinger of Walkerton, has purchased a pharmacy on St. Claire Ave, Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Thede of Port Elgin and Mrs. John Bilger of town left on Friday on a motor trip to Toronto, Hamilton and Burlington.

Russell H. Conwell D. D., L. L. D. Pastor of Temple Church, Philadelphia, one of the highest salaried ministers in U. S., will give his famous lecture "Acres of Diamonds" at the Walkerton Chautauqua.

Mr. D. McKerracher was in Toronto last week.

Mr. A. D. Lamont was in Toronto last week.

Miss Mary Bauman, of Kitchener, is visiting friends here.

Judge Klein spent a couple of days at Toronto last week.

Miss Myrtle Jenkins is spending her vacation at Gore Bay.

Mr. Herb. Hauch of Seaforth is visiting old friends in town.

Master Guy Ramsey is holidaying with friends at Toronto.

Miss Ruth Warren returned from her vacation on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Clancy are on a visit to friends in Detroit.

Miss Gertie Swanston left to-day on a visit to friends at Harriston.

Paris Green, Arsenate of Lead and Bluestone at S. W. Vogan's.

Mr. Merwyn Norrish was a visitor in Toronto and Hamilton last week.

Mr. D. C. Wilson, piano tuner of Toronto, was in town this week.

Try a Carborundum Section File, they are great at S. W. Vogan's.

Mrs. Gibson of Mount Forest is visiting at the home of Mr. E. T. Gibson.

Mr. Vincent Messmer of Kitchener visited old friends in town last week.

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Mr. Thomas Dixon was in Toronto on professional business last Wednesday.

Mrs. George Lambertus spent the week-end with friends at Kincardine.

Misses Inez and Kathleen Hahn, of Preston are visitors at Mr. Dan Miller's.

Pte Seraphine Kliest of London spent the week-end at his home in Carrick.

Mr. Jos Lippert went down to Toronto with a load of stock on Tuesday.

Mr. Levi Wilkin leaves this Thursday for London to report for military Service.

Miss Truax returned on Monday after a two weeks' visit to Southampton.

Mr. R. M Player spent Sunday with Mrs. Player and family at Southampton.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Royce and family and Mrs. P. Stevens spent Sunday in Hanover.

Miss Florence Messmer of Kitchener is visiting her friend, Miss Coletta Jarvis this week.

Miss Addie Schaefer of Hanover spent the week-end with her friend, Miss Jennie Hyslop.

Miss C. A. Teskey returned last week after a months' vacation to Ripley and Lucknow.

Dr. W. B. Halladay accompanied by his mother and sisters motored to Kincardine on Saturday.

Mrs Sweeting and little son, Norris of Toronto, are guests of the former's uncle, Rev. R. Perdue.

Mrs. Jos. Dentinger and son, Frankie are on a few week's visit to relatives at Hamilton and Kitchener.

Mrs. Charles Glebe and Mrs. William Wolfe left on Saturday to spend two weeks at Chatham and Detroit.

Mrs. J. H. Appel and daughter, Mildred arrived home on Tuesday from a week's camping at Southampton.

Mr. Bert Schumacher and Mr. Stewart of the Agricultural Staff, drove to Kincardine and Goderich on Monday.

Miss Nettie Kenny of Toronto is home on an extended vacation to her parents, Mr. and Mrs Pat Kenny here.

Mrs. J. E. Ferguson and Master Earl are spending this week with friends in Stratford and Niagara Falls.

Rev. and Mrs. G. C. Rock left on Friday last to spend a month's vacation at Detroit, Cleveland and other places.

The biggest circus tent ever seen in Walkerton will be used at the Chautauqua It will seat 2000 people at one time.

The famous Ben Greet Players will give Shakespeare's "The Comedy of Errors" at the Walkerton Chautauqua. Don't miss it.

The local military tribunal is sitting on Friday to dispose of the cases of John McKinnon of George Bros. livery and Jas. J. Ernest of Brant.

Our stock of flour and flour substitutes is complete; our prices will please you. See window for samples at the Central Grocery.—W. G. Searle

Father MacCorry will give his wonderful lecture, "The Story Beautiful" illustrated by colored photo pictures and accompanied by song and orchestra at the Walkerton Chautauqua.

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Tag Day

The Walkerton Preparedness League will hold Tag Day to replenish its treasury on the day of the races.

Notice

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to the 25th of July, for the sale of Score Cards and for Booth and other privileges at the Horse Races to be held on the 8th of August, 1918.—Geo. D. McKay, Sec'y.

18 Confirmed By Bishop.

Rt. Rev. Bishop Williams held confirmation service on Sunday confirming eighteen candidates. The Bishop preached a magnificent sermon from text: "Fight the good fight of Faith". In the afternoon he proceeded to Durham to hold another confirmation Service.

Miss Sutherland Resigns

Miss Sutherland who has been Superintendent of the Bruce County Hospital for the past two years has handed in her resignation to the Hospital Board, to take effect in September. In the removal of Miss Sutherland the hospital is losing the most capable superintendent who has officiated as such in the history of that institution, and residents in general will regret to hear of her proposed departure.

Home With His Bride

Sergeant J. Russell White son of License Inspector and Mrs. White, who has been with the Transport Medical Service arrived here this week with his bride who was formerly Miss Mary I. Watson B. A. of Hawkesbury Prescott Co. The young couple were married in Hawkesbury on Tuesday July 8th at the home of the bride whose father is a retired merchant of that town. They will spend a day or two here and Sergt. and Mrs. White will then leave, the former to report for duty on board ship at Halifax on Sunday night and the latter, for Hawkesbury where she will live with her parents until the conclusion of the war. The best wishes of the many old friends of the groom are extended to the young couple in their new sphere of life.

Police Court Case

On information laid by the military authorities, Mr. Henry Weishar appeared in the police court before Magistrates Tolton and Richardson on Wednesday charged with keeping and employing an absentee and deserter from military duty, knowing him to be such. Considerable evidence was taken but the case was adjourned for eight days for further hearing. If found guilty, Weishar is liable to a fine of not less than $100 and costs or more than $500. The young man, who created the trouble, was a native of Formosa, Kraemer by name, who had been in the West and after registering under the M.S.A., came to this part and secured employment with Weishar. Some weeks ago, he received notice to report for duty but paid no attention to the summons. It is alleged that his employer was aware of the fact that he had been ordered to report and in neglecting to dismiss Kraemer from his employment, he left himself liable under the act.

Three Years In Khaki

One of Walkerton's youngest and oldest War veteran's and a chap of whom his parents and the people of this town have great reason to be proud, is Arthur Farrar, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Farrar, who arrived home from Overseas on Saturday. Arthur is one of the most youthful boys that have come back after taking a heroic part in the awful struggle but he is one of the very oldest in service. When Arthur signed up with the 35th in 1915, he was slightly below the age limit. Since that time he has spent fifteen months on the battle-front and ten months in Military Hospitals in England, convalescing from a serious wound. It was the 7th of September of last year that Arthur was badly wounded in the right leg near Lens. The muscles were badly torn by the shrapnel and it will take two or three years for the injured member to recover, when Arthur hopes he will have the full use of it again. At the present time he walks with a limp, due to the necessity of holding the limb rigid as it has not the necessary strength. Needless to say he was glad to get home after three long years Overseas. Walkerton looked good to him, although all of his old chums are gone, most of them Overseas. Arthur looks well, considering all he has been through, and hopes in time to recover his former fitness in every respect. On Thursday night a public reception will be given for him and two other returned heroes and next week he leaves again to report at the Convalescent Hospital at Guelph.

DID YOU SEE 'EM?

By An Odd Chance Walkerton Citizens Had An Interesting Program Of Aeronautics Dished Up For Their Benefit On Monday.

Monday was Aeroplane Day at Walkerton. It was a day that will be remembered by every small boy in town as a red letter day as long as he lives. Youngsters and grownups too, who four days ago had never seen an air scout in their lives, now speak familiarly of "monoplanes" and "biplanes" and "joy sticks", "volplaning" and "spinning nose dives" and are ready to expatiate on aviation with quite an air of authority. It all started by a green pilot from Camp Borden getting lost early Monday morning and after doing a few turns over the town, spending the day in an adjoining field where the crowds flocked as to Ringling's Circus from morning to night. Later in the afternoon a skilled pilot arrived from Borden and after giving some nice exhibitions of alighting and getting away, completed the day's program by flying all over town just above the tree tops and doing some fancy turns and flips. Everybody had a chance to see the planes at work and probably not ten persons in town missed seeing the exhibition. It was a treat that the townspeople certainly enjoyed. In fact if the aviators had been specially brought here for an exhibition they couldn't have given the people a better chance to see their work.

A Yankee Cadet

The young aviator, whose straying off his course was responsible for the aeroplanes' visit to Walkerton, was an American Cadet from New York City. He left Borden early Monday morning to do a few turns around Collingwood, Barrie and other points and return to Camp. By some means he get completely lost. He started to land at Hanover but instinct probably told him that there was a better town a few miles distant. He came quite close to the ground and stampeded some horses at one farm. Some fair young damsels along the wayside also became terrified of the plane and ducked. After circling around Walkerton, looking for a landing place he started to land at the Fair Grounds but spying some horses pasturing there, he glided by and finally dropped in Robt. Simpson's field a half mile north-east of the town. He made a good landing just before his gasoline ran out. On wiring to Camp Borden for instructions he was told to wait here and a supply of "gas" would be sent him, the ordinary commercial gasoline not being used for the planes. The meant staying around all day. Crowds of people flocked out to see the novel visiter, to admire his machine and to ask a thousand and one questions. The aviator was a quiet well-bred young chap. He patiently answered the queries, foolish and otherwise, that were thrown at him, and certainly made a good impression on the people here. As the public understood that he could not leave his plane, several heaping baskets were dispatched to him at lunch time by thoughtful women of the town. "What are you lacking"" asked one of the quizzing crowd. "Gas and common sense" replied the young aviator who was in a somewhat penetential mood, anticinating a severe "calling" from his officer on returning to Camp.

The Joy-Stick

The machine which he flew, is the familiar type of Curtis biplane which is in use extensively at the training camps but is not as speedy or effective as the fighting planes used in France, although larger in size. Many people expected to see the plane steered by a wheel like an auto and were surprised to find that the steering is done with a vertical stick about the size of a cane, which can be inclined in any direction, every slight turn having a distinct effect in directing the course of the plane. The steering apparatus is known as the joy-stick and it is so sensitive to the manipulation of the pilot that the new flyer must learn to control his nerves and not do things with the "joy-stick" when the machine gets humpy up in the clouds. That is the principal thing the aviator has to guard against according to the boys of the training corps.

Have To Crank It

Like the tin-lizzy the aeroplane has to be cranked. At least the propeller which is located at the front of the machine has to be given a few twists by one of the mechanics to give it a start. It soon gathers speed and turns so rapidly that the eye can't follow its dizzy pace. Then the machine launches forward on three wheels along the ground. A few rods of a run and it rises gracefully as a bird in the air.

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Afternoon train, south bound—4.06 p. m.
Night train, north bound—9.25 p.m.

CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY COLLECTIONS

Editor Telescope

Dear Sir:—

During the recent collection for this Society, I understand that the canvassers met with perhaps more than the usual number of objections. Probably the chief one was that it is unnecessary to do this as the work is a county work and consequently ought to be wholly maintained by grants from the County Council. As to support, this Society does not differ very much from the Hospital. The Hospital, however, requires a much larger amount of funds.

In Counties where Children's Aid Society work is fully done, it has been found necessary to appeal to the public to assist. From recent annual statements, I find that the Society of the County of Grey obtained the sum of $1286 in this way, that of the County of Perth $1273, and that of Wellington and Guelph $2348. The above are, of course, the amounts obtained for the work of a year in each case.

Our Society has been in operation for about 20 years, and during this time no appeal of this kind was made. But the work was done on a very limited scale. The work is now being undertaken to an extent required by the needs of the county, and for this additional work, additional financial support is necessary. The War, so far from furnishing an argument against expansion just now, is rather a strong argument in favor as it is to be feared that a greater need for help from the Society will be called for on his account.

Our annual meeting will be held in October and at that time full information as to the finances and the work generally will be made public. It is believed that with the fuller light the objections will fade away, and that the advanced step taken will meet with general approval. Remember that the work of these societies is of the utmost importance, and will well repay the expenditure involved.

Thanking you, Mr. Editor, for the opportunity of making this explanation, I am,

Yours,
J. Morgan,
President C. A. Society.

Walkerton,
July 5, 1918.

EVERY GARDENER HIS OWN SEED GROWER

(Experimental Farms Note

While rigid selection from year to year is necessary for most kinds of vegetables when grown for seed; and while to keep them pure the different varieties have to be grown some distance apart, yet most of the seed grown in the home garden is likely to give almost or quite as satisfactory results or even better than that which is bought, and, as some seed may be difficult to obtain next year, it is recommended for each person who has a garden to let a few plants or specimens ripen, from which seed can be saved.

It is better to mark the best plant and save the seed from them rather than to save the seed which remain after the plants have been cropped.

The following minimum number of feet, plants or specimens to be saved is suggested as being sufficient to supply enough seed for the home garden in 1919: Beans, 5 ft.; Corn, 1 ear, Cucumbers, 1; Lettuce, 3 plants; Melons, 1; Peas, 5 ft; Radishes, 3 plants; Spinach, 3 plants. Squash, 1; Tomatoes, 3.

Either reserve a few feet of the row of beans, or, better still, mark a few productive plants free from disease.

FOOD BOARD REGULATIONS

On the 1st of July the Canada Food Board Order became effective requiring all public bakeries and private households also, to use 10% substitute flour. On the 15th of July this percentage is to be increased to 20% in all of Canada east of Port Arthur. The question then will arise in each housekeeper's mind, what are substitutes for wheat flour, where can they be had and how are they to be used. Substitutes as defined by the new law, include bran, shorts, corn flour, corn meal, edible cornstarch, hominy, corn grits, barley flour, rolled oats, meal, rice, rice flour, buckwheat flour, potato flour, tapioca flour, rye flour and rye meal. Potatoes are also classed as a substitute for wheat flour, in proportion of four pounds of potatoes to one of the other substitutes mentioned, on account of the higher percentage of water in potatoes.

It may be necessary to experiment with those substitute flours a few times before succeeding in producing a satisfactory loaf and opportunity should be taken to study the effect of these substitutes and the different methods of mixing, handling, fermenting and "proofing" of the doughs. As most of the wheat flour substitutes accelerate the fermentation, it will be better not to work the dough as long as usual. About four hours fermentation will be sufficient in a room of moderate temperature, divided as follows:—

2 hours 45 minutes for the first punch, 45 minutes for the second punch, 30 minutes is allowed before the dough is finally taken out, kneaded and cut into loaves. After being set in the pan, 45 minutes is enough for "proofing," when it is ready for the oven.

When corn meal, oat meal or other meal is used the moisture retaining qualities of the loaf may be improved by scalding these ingredients at a temperature of 150 degrees Fahrenheit and allowing two hours for cooling. Most of the wheat flour substitutes retain the moisture in the loaf longer than will the wheat flour and yield an increased amount of bread on account of their higher absorption of water, thus reducing the amount of yeast and shortening necessary. The following are a few of the recipes recommended to bakers. They will be useful also in private households when substitutes are to be mixed with wheat flour for bread.

Corn Flour Bread—2½ pounds standard flour, ½ pound corn flour, 1 tablespoon brown sugar, 2 tablespoon salt, ½ oz. yeast, 1 tablespoon fat, 3 cups of water. This should produce 4½ pounds of bread.

Barley Flour Bread—5½ cups wheat flour, 1½ cups barley flour, 2 cups milk and water, 1 cake compressed yeast, 2 tablespoons sugar, 2 tablespoons fat, 2 teaspoons salt. This should make two loaves.

Rice Yeast Bread—8 cups standard flour, 7 cups boiled rice, ½ cup milk and water, 1 cup warm water (for yeast) 1 cake compressed yeast, 4 teaspoons sugar, 4 teaspoons fat 1½ teaspoons salt. When ready for the pans will look like a stiff drop batter. The quantities mentioned make two loaves.

HER DAIRY COMPOSITION

Little Helen was asked by her teacher to prepare a paper on "The Dairy Cow." She had visited a farm once only but did her best.

"A dairy farm is a place where they raise milk. It is a white substance that turns yellow and makes butter when it's disturbed. Sometimes they fasten on a suction sweeper to get it from the cow, but most usually they do it by hand. All cows are divided into two yards, cows and bulls. They look much alike although the latter have meaner dispositions."

DON'T LOSE REGISTRATION CARDS

Parents whose children will reach the age of 16 within the next month or so must take them to the post office and have them registered at the earliest possible date.

This provision of the Registration Act is not generally known. Parents failing to have their children register, even if they reach the age of 16 only a month or two after the present date may be subjected to much annoyance and trouble.

The Registration Act also provides that persons who were too ill to leave their homes before June 22nd or were otherwise legally prevented from calling at a registration office, can comply with the law by registering at the post office as soon as they are able to do so.

The losing of a registration certificate, through lack of proper precaution or care, may, under certain conditions, be considered as a serious offence and dealt with accordingly. Anyone losing his or her certificate must at once not later than the day after loss is discovered, apply for a new certificate at the post office. Under no conditions can anyone fail to have in his or her possession a certificate or registration as the law does not allow anyone to supply meals, lodging or transportation facilities to any person not able to produce such certificate when required to do so, the only exemption being transportation by street cars or tram cars.

GREAT WAR LOANS

The following are the greatest war loans made by various belligerent nations:

British Victory Loan early in 1917, 6 per cent. Total subscriptions, $5,096,245,220.

United States Second Liberty Loan, 4 per cent. Total subscriptions, $4,616,000,000.

Eighth German war loan, 4½ per cent, and 5 per cent. Total subscriptions, $3,600 000,000.

French war loan of 1915, 5 per cent. Total subscriptions, $2,261,861,409.

Austrian seventh war loan, 5 per cent. Total subscriptions, $1,155,000,000.

Italian fourth war loan, 5 per cent. Total subscriptions, $1,000,000,000.

Hungary seventh war loan, 6 per cent. Total subscriptions, $600,000,000

Canadian Victory Loan, November 1917, 5½ per cent. Total subscriptions, $418,000,000.

MORE FISH USED

The Canada Food Board campaign to increase fish consumption is having results. In the Canadain army stationed or in training in Canada 200,000 pounds of beef were saved in the month of May, and approximately the same amount in the month of June by the substitution of fish. In the West a train load of that fish every day from Prince Rupert is sold at popular prices under the auspices of the Canada Food Board. In Toronto recently 100,000 pounds of mackerel were sold within one week as the result of a special campaign.

FROM A CALF'S DIARY

Kicked over one pail of mash.
Got my head caught in a bucket.
Yelled like blazes for mother for an hour.
Rolled my eyes at a little boy and frightened him.
Experimented on how far I could sprinkle my legs.
Tangled myself in ten feet of rope.
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NEWS OF BRUCE CO.

Serg. Art Taggart left for Edmonton last week.

Navel oranges are seedless because their flowers lack pollen. When pollenated they produce seeds in the fruit.

Henry Ford will build a $2,000,000 plant in Kearny, N. J., to help speed up his production of patrol boats and submarine chasers.

An exchange says: One advantage of laying in your coal supply for next winter is that you will be able to use some of it this summer.

Still another honor has come to Major Billy Bishop according to a recent despatch. In addition to the Victoria Cross, the Distinguished Service Order (with bar), and the Military Cross, he is now gazetted as having been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross, a new order that has only recently been instituted.

Town May Foreclose

Chief Justice Falconbridge granted the town of Wiarton an order of foreclosure under mortgage with six months to redeem or for sale after three months against the Canada Casket Company, Limited, against whom the town claimed $18,990.63 due on principal and $1,811 44 interest on money advanced by way of bonus.

Victory Bonds Destroyed

Mr. Geo. Mason, a patriotic citizen of Wingham, purchased $500.00 worth of Victory Bonds. On Thursday evening last he left them on a table and the next day, Mrs. Mason who was 'cleaning up' preparing for a trip to the West, gathered up the $500.00 Victory Bonds and put them in the stove with other old papers. The bonds looked like old brown sample paper and went up in smoke with other rubbish This should be a warning to others to guard their Victory Bonds.

Teeswater Boy Wins Fame

Capt. A. G. Field, son of Mr. Herb Field, some years ago a hardware merchant in Teeswater, has won considerable distinction at the front in France, having gone overseas with the 110th Perth Batt. Mayor Hord, of Mitchell, recently received a letter from R. W. M. McFarlane, Lieut-Col. commanding the 58th, Can. Batt, stating that he was shipping to Mitchell a German machine gun which was captured by a party lead by Capt. A. G. Field, and asking that on arrival of the gun it be handed over to Mr. Herb Field, father of the young soldier.

Married at Howick

Mr. Adam Hossfeld, a popular young Carrick farmer, sprung a pleasant surprise on his many friends here last Thursday, when he was quietly united in marriage to Miss Elfreda Kreller. The ceremony took place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Kreller in Howick township. Rev. G. Brackabusch of Alafeldt officiating. After the ceremony, the happy young couple left on a wedding trip to Guelph, Toronto, London, Kitchener and Galt returning home on Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Hossfeld will take up residence on their fine farm on the Walkerton road.—Mildmay Gazette.

Read the ads

The school board of P. S. S. No. 8 Carrick, have engaged Miss Lynch of Arthur to teach, commencing after vacation.

John McIvor of Wiarton, Ont. was arrested in Toronto by Detective Hazelwood on a charge of obtaining goods to the value of $150 by fraud. It is alledeged that he obtained possession of a horse and wagon by illegal means.

Donald McDonald, one of the best-known residents of Sullivan township, was dragged to death when his horses ran away while he was running a mowing machine. He was hurled from his seat and dragged several times around the field. When found the horses were standing in the fence corner, still attached to the mower, and Mr. McDonald was lying face down under the machine. Dr. McCulloch of Chatsworth was at once called but he could do nothing, as the victim had been dead for several hours. His watch had stopped at a few minutes after 3 o'clock. His hip was dislocated, his shoulder, nose and some ribs broken, and his body was a mass of cuts and bruises.

Distressing Accident

Mrs. (Dr.) Taylor met with a serious accident on Monday afternoon. In turning quickly she slipped on the carpet and fell, resulting in the partial dislocation of the ankle and fracture of the leg about 2 inches above the ankle, the broken bone almost protruding through the skin. It will be several weeks before she will be able to walk. —Hanover Post.

Oh You Orange Growers !

Mr. O. G. Hershey, representative of the Dominion Chautauqua, who was here this week, told the local committee a good one. Miss Briggs, who was here recently, conferring with the committee, wrote the head office in Toronto that they must get advertising literature to Kincardine and Listowel at once as the "Orange Growers' Association" were going to hold big conventions in these towns on the 12th. of July.—Kincardine Reporter.

Mildmay Boys at London

Pte. Herbert G. Weiler has been placed in Category "C" on account of having suffered with an attack of appendicitis. Herb will not be required to do any more drilling, but has been given a position as assistant cook, Jos. Goetz has been receiving treatment in the military hospital during the past ten days, suffering with a slight attack of lung trouble. Sergeant Huber went to London yesterday to report after having a thirty days' leave of absence. Herb Illerbrunn of Culross returned to London on Monday after a short leave. This man has gained about twenty pounds in his four weeks sojourn at London.—Gazette.

No Evaders in Keppel

The Wiarton Echo hands out the following in the last issue: A lack of knowledge of our conditions leads to some funny things in the county press. Recently we read that three or four evaders are hiding in the wilds of Keppel to escape service under the Military Service Act. Well, if anyone can hide long in Keppel he will have to dig in and stay. Then, too, when he reads of the evaders taking boats at the Sauble and rowing across the lake it makes one smile. The lake at this point has greater dimensions than a duck pond and a little brushing up would do the writer some good. Then, too, the Editor who saw a bear, rattlesnake, etc., on the Peninsula, should be glad to see something to relieve the monotony of life. Years ago, before the Ontario Temperance Act, snakes were seen in many southern parts of the County.

Bullet Through His Hat

Mr. Jake Swartman of Wubbaushene had a somewhat exciting experience and narrow escape while in pursuit of defaulters in the big swamp near Mud Lake, Township of Mara, on Tuesday morning. He was scouting for a party of eight or ten who were reported to be hiding there, when he suddenly came upon three of them. While he was reconnoitring their position one of them started off. Mr. Swartman called upon the other two to throw up their hands, but had to fire a shot to enforce his order. This attracted the attention of the man who had made off and while Mr. Swartman was gathering up the rifles of the other two, a bullet knocked his hat off his head. He turned on his assailant just in time to see him disappear. One of the other men bolted, but he managed to keep the third one, whom he brought to town, and placed him in the lock-up whence he will be taken to the military headquarters. Mr. Swartman is to be congratulated on his escape. It was as close a thing as he would be likely to encounter in France, short of actually being hit. Some of the young fellows who are using fire arms so freely in this district, do not seem to realize that if they are unfortunate enough to kill a member of the military police; it will be a case of murder, and they will almost certainly swing for it.—Collingwood Enterprise.

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Jr. III to Sr. III Honors—Jack James Pass—Agnes Walter, Howard Ernest.

Sr. II to Jr. III Pass—(Rustin Beirnes, Ervin Ernest,) Gertrude Ashley.

Jr. II to Sr. II Honors—A. Walter, G. Inglis.

The following children were absent from examinations on account of illness but have been promoted on their year's work: Elroy Etsell, Irene Etsell, Gertrude Ashley, Morrison Ellis, A. Stroeder.

Standing from Easter to summer holidays

Jr. II Pass—L. Etsell, Byron Beirnes

Jr. I Honors—Florence Tanner, Lillie Rapp. Pass—E. Stroeder, (M. Ashley, G. Beirnes.)

S. S. No. 9, CULROSS

Jr. IV to Sr IV—Honours Sadie Silick 661; Margaret McKinnon 639. Recommended Anna Haines 492.

Sr. III to Jr. IV—Pass 444. Honours, Alex Thacker 585—Pass Eleanor Standish 542, Claire Grant 490; Alvin Thacker 475; Isabel Grant 460.

Jr. III to Sr. III—Pass 425. Honours, Mabel Thacker 533; Pass, Archie McKinnon, 489; Wilma Sillick, 487; Amelia Voisin 470; Euphemia McKinnon 452, Earl Bell

Jr. III—Jean McIntush 357; Florence Bateman 244; Kate Murray, absent for part of Exams.

Sr. II Dave Bell, 275; Verna Huffman 140.

Jr. II—Lawrence Voison 259; Russell Baptist 195; Edna Hannerman 179; George Haines 175, Jim Murray 160; Gordon Bell 150; Jennie Grant.

Sr. I—Velma Orr 160; Bruce Edgar 90.

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Miss M. L. Ritchie, Teacher.

THRESHING IN ONTARIO

Gangs Available This Year to Relieve Situation.

A Proposed Plan of Organization—How to Overcome the Difficulties—Applications to Be Filed at Once.

(Contributed by Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.)

THE threshing gang is not an untried experiment in Ontario. In certain counties, Lambton for instance, these gangs have been employed and have proven very successful. Neither the threshermen nor the farmer in these cases care to return to the old methods of changing help with neighbors where men for the threshing gangs can be secured. The Ontario Department of Agriculture and the Ontario Trades and Labor Branch are now co-operating to make arrangements to ensure an ample supply of labor for as many threshing gangs as are likely to be organized this fall, and suggest herein methods of organizing a gang and a plan of organization.

The Difficulties—Overcome Them.

(1.) In the early part of harvest when many moves must be made and when comparatively small amounts of grain are threshed, the thresherman finds it difficult, often, to make a profit even under present methods. If he employs a gang his expenses will be much heavier. His charges therefore must be high enough so that later in the season he may regain what is lost at this time.

(2.) But at any time during the threshing season there may be considerable idleness during the frequent changes from farm to farm caused by the comparatively small amount of grain to be threshed on the average farm. By good organization this lost time may be limited to the minimum, however, by having the majority of the changes made at night.

Thresher Board Men.

(3.) If the farmer were obliged to board the gang a certain element of unfairness could not be avoided. It would seem, therefore, that the thresher should be responsible for this. The most convenient way in Ontario, perhaps, would be for the thresher to make arrangements with each farmer to provide meals for the men, the thresher to pay for the same.

(4.) It would seem necessary for each thresher to provide a sleeping van for his gang and the use of bedside blankets, as is done in the Northwest. These vans are home-made and one can be constructed for the average Ontario gang for about $180. If the thresher does his own building. Nothing ornate is required. A structure 10 feet wide by 12 feet long, built on trucks, wind-proof and rain-proof and with two tiers of bunks on each side would afford ample sleeping accommodation for an Ontario gang.

(5.) As several men constitute a gang the weekly wage sheet would run fairly high. This would involve a considerable regular expenditure on the part of the thresher, which in turn would necessitate prompt payment by farmers. Where gangs are employed it is necessary for farmers to give cash or 30-day notes immediately the job is done.

(6.) Probably the most important factor of all is the rates which the thresher will charge. These must, of course, be much higher than those charged formerly. This would make the threshing bill a fairly large sum. Yet the farmer could still make a profit by the transaction. If, by employing a gang, he were enabled in the two weeks thus saved to prepare an additional 10 acres, say for wheat, he would have from 250 to 350 extra bushels of this crop to sell in 1919.

Size of the Gangs.

(7.) The last problem is that of securing men. The average gang would probably consist of eight men as follows: Engineer, blower man, feeder, grainman and four men or stackmen. This would leave the farmer to take care of his straw and to supply another man to carry grain if one were not sufficient. A team of his horses would also be required to draw water. He would supply fuel, of course, as is now done.

In organizing a gang of this nature possibly not more than two or three could be secured in the locality where it was desired to operate. The Ontario Trades and Labor Branch will undertake to supply as many men as can be secured for this purpose. It is thought there will be no insuperable difficulty in securing sufficient men for this purpose at reasonable wages during the threshing months.

Where the silos are to be filled the same gangs, or as many men as are required, may be utilized for this purpose.

Organize a Gang In Your District.

It is suggested that farmers' clubs, other farmers' organizations, or groups of farmers without definite organization, consider at once the advisability of employing a threshing gang this fall. Call the local thresher to the meeting and confer with him regarding ways and means. Then, having reached a definite agreement, write Dr. W. A. Riddell, Superintendent Ontario Trades and Labor Branch, 15 Queen's Park, Toronto.

Inversely any thresher who wishes to organize a gang should write Dr. Riddell also. In every case it will be necessary for a thorough understanding to exist between the thresher and his patrons. When such is the case everything possible will be done to supply sufficient men for all threshing gangs required this year in Ontario. Apply to Dr. W. A. Riddell not later than July 10th.—Justus Miller, Assistant Commissioner of Agriculture.

TELESCOPE LETTER BOX

COMMUNICATION

Walkerton, Ont. June 16, 1918.

Editor Telescope

Dear Mr. Editor:—

In reading Rev. Mr. McLennan's report in your issue of last week regarding his services rendered during the last eight years as agent and Secretary of The Children's Aid Society of the County of Bruce, it is a creditable showing for the gentlemen who is around the 90th year mark. For his services he received the large sum of $180 per year and not even a bunch of daisies was given him on leaving said office. No doubt, after death the body will be given a bunch of roses.

His successor gets $1500 per year and automobile furnished him. What a nice job this would be for a returned soldier who has been fighting in Flanders. I wonder how much longer the people of this country will stand pat and every good job including Government jobs given to the civilian. A good many of them ought to be fighting or workingon a farm. Certain other jobs we know of have been going to ones who have been simply a voting machine for their party or a defeated politician etc. If the returned soldier was man enough to go and fight, then he has intelligence enough to draw a cheque or pay day and do what other office holders are doing, hire help to do the work for $\frac{1}{3}$ the pay they get themselves for sitting down on a job. If we do not do our duty with our returned boys, God only knows what may happen after the war It is true some will never come back but those who do with the help of the women of this country, they will see that the families of the heroes who have fallen in France and Flanders, get their rights and they themselves be given positions and the place they deserve and for which they fought. It is true a good many will come back maimed and the more reason why they should be given the recompense that is due them.

Yours truly,
John Rowland.

AN OPEN LETTER

July 11, 1918.

Mr. C. W. Cryderman.
Walkerton, Ont.

Dear Sir:—

I am sorry that a man of your standing and the position you hold should have told me today that the reason you put the item in the two London papers to the effect that the Walkerton Council, had refused to enter into a contract with the local Light Company was because a certain councillor had told you that such was the case. Since our conversation this afternoon I have interviewed the Mayor and the Councillors of the Town of Walkerton personally and asked them if they had told you anything about the Town Contract. Each and everyone of said councillors most emphatically tell me that they have not discussed the matterwith you at all, and they could not possibly tell you such a thing because Mr. David Robertson, President of The Walkerton Electric Light and Power Co. was the gentleman himself who brought the matter to the attention of the Council in that they could not give the company a new contract or even renew the existing contract without first submitting it to the people.

I hope you will be a big enough man to acknowledge that it must have been a dream on your part as I think the Council of Walkerton does not deserve to have it said that they should make a statement that they never made.

Yours truly,
John Rowland.

Capt. Shaw Home

Capt. Farquhar Shaw, who went Overseas as paymaster of the 160th. Bruce Batt'n, arrived home on leave last week and came up to Walkerton Saturday morning along with Mrs. Shaw, who has been staying at Fergus while her husband was Overseas. Capt Shaw is the picture of good health, the outdoors apparently have agreed with him immensely. On the breaking up up of the 160th. Batt'n last April Capt Shaw got over to France and obtained a post as paymaster of one of the fighting units, the 16th Batt'n 1st. Can. Division. A few weeks later Headquarters decided to cut in half the number of paymasters. These officers were then called together when Capt Shaw asked either to be kept at the Front or to be sent home, not wishing to remain in England where so many could be found to do the work. A short time afterwards he was transferred to London, Eng. He then secured leave and came home. It is likely that he will now obtain his discharge. Capt Shaw reached Walkerton on the same train as Arthur Ferrar, and they were greeted by a multitude, about 35 or 40 auto loads of citizens at the G. T. R. Station. A Public Reception is being tendered these men, and Charlie Bryce at the Town Hall Thursday night.

TOWN AND DISTRICT NEWS

Mrs. Robt Irwin and family are on a few week's visit to Ripley.

Miss Denny who has been holidaying at her home here returned to Toronto Tuesday.

Mrs. Muter and sons, Earl and Fred spent Thursday at Mr. G. S. Schwindt's.

Mrs. T. Pye underwent a slight operation at the Bruce County Hospital on Tuesday.

Misses Mary Clancy and Juletta Ernst spent Sunday with friends at Pinkerton.

Mrs. Ted McConnell and little daughter, spent a few days at Toronto last week.

Miss Angeline O'Brecht is on a two weeks visit to friends at Port Elgin and Southampton.

Mrs. John Graf, of Carpill went to London Tuesday on a visit to her husband, Pte. John Graf.

Mrs. John McCool, Brian and Aileen had an enjoyable motor trip last week to Detroit and other points.

Mrs. Ed. Schneider of Mildmay is visiting her mother, Mrs. B. Obecle and other relatives in town.

Mr. John Jones, Master of the local Masonic Lodge, is attending Grand Lodge at Windsor this week.

Mr. John Cunningham of Greenock arrived home Friday from a business trip to Guelph and nearby towns.

Mr. E. H. Sheffield and Miss Sheffield left Tuesday for a two weeks' holiday at Toronto and Woodstock.

Mac McCannel is the new bus man, taking the place of Tom Wolfe, who has reported for military service.

Miss Frankie Brislan of Toronto is home on a few weeks' visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Brislan.

Mr. and Mrs. Dryden and son Percy and Mrs. Grisch of Harriston were week-end visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Wilford Ritchie and Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Swanston.

Mr. and Mrs. Sutteliffe, of Chesley, were visitors at Mr. Wilford Ritchie's over last week-end. While here they motored over to Wingham and called on friends there.

Garden Fruit Stolen

The garden of an East Ward citizen was raided after dark on Monday night by some young miscreants and all the currant bushes stripped. Prosecution may follow. This citizen points out that if the curfew by-law were strictly enforced such youthful depredations would be less frequent and the children of the town would be the better for it.

Holds Responsible Job

Mr. R. J. Walton, who has been here from Toronto with his wife and child holidaying with Mrs. Walton's parents Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Sanderson left on Monday to spend a few days visiting the C. P. R. construction shops at Montreal and Kingston. Mr. Walton, who was located here a few years ago as C. P. R. Engineer, is now district master mechanic and has supervision of the rolling stock over a large district with headquarters at Toronto.

Flags Were Stolen

At the conclusion of the garden party at Mr. B. J. Waechter's on Wednesday night of last week some miscreants tore down all the flags which were used for decorating and carried them off. Among them was one big one valued at $15.00. Chief Ferguson has been notified and is trying to locate the guilty parties but as there were motorists there from Kincardine Lucknow, Teeswater, Hanover, Walkerton and Mildmay and other places there is little chance of recovering them.

Died at Hospital

Mr. Henry Holinshead who came from Wallace tp, last fall to make his home in Walkerton died at the Bruce County Hospital on Tuesday, following an illness of less than one week, from obstruction of the bowels. The deceased who was an employee of the Canada Spool and Bobbin Co. was in his 68th. year. While in Walkerton he made his home with his nephew, Albert Holinshead and niece, Mrs. Jewell. He is survived by one brother and a sister, Edward and Miss Phoebe Holinshead of Wallace Tp. The funeral was held yesterday afternoon from the home of Mrs. Jewell, to the Walkerton Cemetery.

NORMAL SCHOOL EXAMS

Ex-pupils of the Walkerton High School that were successful in passing the recent Examination of the Normal Schools. These are now fully qualified to teach in any Public School. The names are in alphabetical order:

Edna A. [illegible], Mildmay,
Irene Everett, Stratford,
Alma E. Pinkney, Maple Hill,
Aileen Pinkerton, Pinkerton,
Gertruce Rogers, Maple Hill,
Florence A. Taylor, Walkerton,
Grace Van Horn, Walkerton,
Marie Weiler, Mildmay,
Winnifred I. Wilson,

Mr. M. J. Ramsey was in Toronto on business last week.

Miss Aleda Lammiman Dietitian at the Bruce County Hospital spent the week-end at her home in Woodstock.

Master John Hertel of Hanover is spending a few week's holiday with his grandmother, Mrs. M. Fehrenbach.

Miss Mary McCarter of Toronto is home on a two week's holiday to her sister, Mrs J. Bergman and other relatives here.

Messrs. John Kerney, Cliff McKay, Milt McGregor. Andrew Hoch, and Jerome Bruder motored to Southampton on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kain and Mrs. Frank Kain and Mr. and Mrs. Kerney of Lucknow spent Sunday at the home of Mr. George Lettner.

Mrs. Adolph Mosack returned from Kitchener last week after spending a few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Dave Orzszek.

Nurse Bertha Brillinger of the Receiving Hospital, Detroit, is spending a month with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Brillinger.

Mr John Korman and Miss Gertrude Oberle and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Robertson motored to Sauble Beach and spent the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Alph Cronin of Teeswater, accompanied by Mr. Clarence Fried and Miss Fried of New Dundee, motored here on Sunday and spent the day at Mr. I Weber's.

Mr. and Mrs. Hank Irwin accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Long and little son motored to Owen Sound on Sunday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Bonnell.

Takes Engineering Course

Will Sutton, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Sutton, who enlisted a short time ago in the British Navy, is taking a course in marine engineering at Halifax.

Installing Elevator

The Board of the Bruce County Hospital have been decided to instal an elevator at the Hospital. This has been a long felt need at that institution and the decision of the Board will meet with the commendation of not only the nurses but the general public.

Joins Stephans' Staff

Mr. A. S. Royce, who has been well and favorably known by the shopping public here for a number of years, has resigned his position in the shipping department at the Knechtel factory to go behind the counter again. Mr. Royce has been engaged by Stephan Bros.

Father Goodrow Volunteers

We understand that Rev. Father Goodrow who has been assistant at Chepstow and latterly at Carlsruhe, has volunteered for Service Overseas as Chaplain and expects to receive orders to report shortly. Father Goodrow is one of the youngest priests of the diocese. He has been everywhere popular with the young people and should be admirably qualified for an Army Chaplainship.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Schnurr and Mrs John Bruder and Jerome motored to Wiarton and Owen Sound on Sunday and Monday of last week.

Rev. M. A. Schumacher of Sublette, Ill. arrived on Tuesday to spend three weeks' holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Schumacher.

Mrs. J. House of Kitchener, Mrs. Andrew House of New Germany and Mrs. White of London are visiting their father, Mr. Henry Opperman, who is very ill.

Mr. C. W. Cryderman is assisting in Mr. L. H. McNamara's office under instructions from headquarters as well as doing his own work at the Inland Revenue Office.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Black, of Dundalk, and Mrs. Ford and children, of Toronto, motored over from Dundalk this week on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. James Halliday of Greenock.

Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Sinclair accompanied by Misses Eleanor Greig and Daisy Benton and Mr. Armond Whitehead motored to Southampton on Monday and spent the day at the lakeside.

Mr. H. G. Hunter, accompanied by Bruce and Ruth, left this week for a short holiday at Toronto, Hamilton and Niagara Falls. Bruce and Ruth will visit friends at Paris before returning home.

Babe Very Sick

Bruce, the 15 months old son of Pte. and Mrs. W. G. Riehl, has been very ill with enteritis the past week but is showing some improvement. Pte. Riehl, who is fighting in France, has not yet seen this little fellow.

Mr. Fox Improving

Mr. C. A. Fox's condition is more hopeful this week. He has shown a slight improvement from day to day. Mrs. Fox, who suffered a collapse recently, is very much improved and was able to take a little outing in a closed car on Monday.

An Auto Mishap

Jerome Bruder, son of Mr. John Bruder, had the misfortune to have a bad auto smash near Port Elgin on Sunday. On a narrow grade the car went over and plunged into an embankment. The two front wheels of the car were broken, also the front axle and the car otherwise damaged. Several young chaps were in the car but all fortunately escaped without injury.

Scotch-Double Competitions

The local bowlers have arranged rinks for a Scotch double competition, the prizes for the winning rink being gold-plated pen-knives donated by Mr. G. T. Rourke. Four games have already been played in the first round which resulted as follows,—

Dr Grant	A. Winegfelder
G. T. Rourke—21	H. G. Hunter—15
T. Jenkins	R. Wesley
E. McConnell—20	T. Pye—13
C. Patrick	C. H. Rogers
Major Henderson—17	C.S. Stephan—10
R. Krueger	Dr. Clapp
F. G. Fidt—23	J. T. Clancy—11

Rivalry!

At whom did that clever aviator wave his hand? Several of the girls claim it was in answer to their enthusiastic waving.

Public Reception

A public reception will be held at the to Town Hall this (Thursday) evening at 8.30 o'clock in honour of the three Walkerton men who have lately returned from Overseas.

Ill With Peretonitis

Messrs. Fred and George Benninger were called to Neustadt on Sunday owing to the serious illness of their father who was very low with peretonitis. Mr. Benninger's condition is now reported to be very much improved.

Get Your Name On

This is the season when women folk who have a right to vote should see that their names are properly placed upon the voters' list so that when the time comes for them to mark their ballot they will possess the full privilege.

P. O. Box Numbers

The Post Office has received a special notice from the Department urging in the interest of war-time economy and efficiency that box-holders use the No. of their boxes on their addresses In this way a great deal of time could be saved in the distribution of mail.

Death of Mrs. Vandeburg

Mrs. Vandeburg, an aged inmate of the House of Refuge, passed away Tuesday morning in her 95th. year, Death was due to old age. Mrs. Vandeburg who had been an inmate for a number of years, came from Kinloss Twp. The remains were taken to Lucknow to be interred to-day.

Inspector Visits Kincardine

Mr. H. W. Elliott, Children's Aid Agent, held an organization meeting at Kincardine Monday night at which there was a splendid turn-out and great interest shown During the course of the evening Mr. Elliott gave an illustrated talk on the work. He also looked up a number of cases of neglected children while in the town.

Died In Brant

The death occurred in Brant on Monday of Mr. Chas Hacker at the age of 68 years The deceased had been making his home with his son-in-law Mr. Jno. Kaster who lives in the old Zettler farm, con 9, and a week prior to his death was stricken with appendicitis which resulted fatally. He is survived by a grown up family. The funeral is being held to-day (Thursday) to the Lutheran cemetery, North Brant

BORN

JONES.—In Walkerton on Saturday July 13th, 1918 to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jones, a son (Robt Griffith).

McKINNON.—In Walkerton on Wednesday July 10th., 1918, to Gunner and Mrs. Jim McKinnon (nee Veronica Zettel) a daughter.

DID YOU SEE 'EM?

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lookers hold their breath. A few moments later and it is tripping lightly around above the tree tops turning this way or that to the response of the skilled hand on the joy stick.

Did Some Stunts

About 4 o'clock p. m. the relief plane from Camp Borden arrived and after circling gracefully around the town landed near the Grand Trunk station This machine was driven by a skilled aviator, a lieutenant, who was accompanied by an Air Mechanic. On learning the location of the first plane they flew to Mr. Simpson's farm and made a graceful lighting in an adjoining field. By this time there were hundreds of citizens on the scene as witness " the manoeverings. Shortly after six o'clock the party got away and after giving quite a hair-raising exhibition flying at a low altitude over the residential part of the town, returned their course Camp Bordenward And now every kid in Walkerton is forward joining the Flying Corps!

Parcel Delivery Proposed

The merchants are again figuring on a general parcel delivery for the town and we hope in the interest of war-time economy, good service for the public and the merchants themselves that the scheme will be put through this time and not be allowed to drop on past occasions. The idea is to have two morning deliveries at stated hours two deliveries each afternoon, and Saturday night delivery as well. Is no reason why one motor truck should not handle the whole delivery for town and do it much better than has been done by boys, some not responsible, during past years. The scheme is no experiment. It has been tried and thoroughly proved in other towns. Walkerton should have had general delivery years ago. Let us have it now!

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Strainers, prices according to size..... 3c. u
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LIVE NEWS OF NEIGHBORING VILLAGES AND COUNTRYSIDE

Happenings of the Week Collected for the Readers of The Telescope by a Staff of Wideawake Correspondents

SOLWAY

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Connors and Miss Elizabeth accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Joe Reets of near Walkerton spent Sunday with the former's brother, Mr. Dave Connors of Eldersile.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stroeder spent Sunday at the home of Mr. John Lambertus near Walkerton

Mrs. Collaton, of Chatham, is spending a few days at Mrs. P. Quirk's.

Florence Norton, Adelp Brockelbank and Margaret Hossfeld, entrance candidates from S. S. No. 5, have successfully passed their exams. Congratulations.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Monk, of Hanover, visited at Mr. Wm. Monk's on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hanmore, of Pinkerton, spent Sunday with the former's brother, Mr. Jno. Hanmore jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lambertus and Misses Gladys and May spent Sunday at the home of Mr. Simon Lambertus, Otter Creek.

Mrs. John Monk attended the funeral of her sister, Mrs. Kaufman, at Neustadt on Monday of last week.

Mr. Threndyle and Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Ormiston and family motored to Niagara Falls on Sunday.

Dave Coates accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Brockelbank motored over to Chesley on Sunday and visited friends there.

Mrs. F. Warren and young son, of Dryden, are visiting at the home of Mrs. P. Quirk.

Walter Lambertus spent over Sunday with friends in Kitchener.

GREENOCK

Pte. John Moore and Wilfrid Bruder were home from London over the week-end.

Mr. Orie Herd of Kintoss spent Sunday at Mr. George Winters.

Mrs. Hilton Hawthorne drove Mr. and Mrs. Philip Grubb to Clifford on a visit to Mr. Grubb's parents, on Sunday.

Misses Ferrul and Viola Cunningham are visiting their cousins at Fergus.

Mr. George Winter has bought a new piano.

Mrs. Cunningham sr. had the misfortune to fall off a table while doing some wall-papering last week, bruising her shoulder badly.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Ritchie spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson at Pinkerton.

Mrs. William Latimer renewed acquaintances around the burg this week.

A few of the sports took in the 12th at Kincardine last Friday.

MILDMAY

Misses. Elmo and Jack Schnurr were home from last Thursday till Monday on their last leave.

Ptes. Geo. Miller and John Doig and Clarence Kunkel spent Sunday at their homes here.

Rev. Murno a Japanese Christian gave a very fine address on Sunday evening in the Evangelical Church on the native religions of Japan. On Monday evening at the annual meeting of the Mildmay Branch of the Upper Canada Bible Society, Mr. Murno delivered a talk on Japan illustrating this with fine limelight views. The collection taken amounted to $5.63.

Mr. and Mrs. Hartley E. Jarvis are spending a few days at the home of the latter's mother Mrs. Mary Wendt.

Mrs. Reba Schwalm left last Friday morning for Ford and Wallaceburg where she will spend the next two weeks.

CLAMIS

Dan D. Montgomery arrived home from Detroit Mich. on Monday.

Pte. Frank Robinson was home from London Camp for a few days.

Miss Laura Cunningham returned home from the Lake on Thursday.

Quite a number from here took in the Celebration at Kincardine on Friday.

Miss Moir of Toronto who was visiting at the Manse returned to the city on Thursday

Nurse Ida McAfee is home from Rochester N. Y. on her vacation

John Currie visited relatives in Kincardine last week.

Miss Holmes of Owen Sound was a guest at George Webb's for a few days.

Miss Mina Cunningham spent a few days with Miss McIntyre at Inver Huron Beach.

Miss Hendry has returned to Weston.

McLean Young of Gresham was a Sunday evening visitor here.

Mrs. (Rev.) Reith and Miss Louise went to Toronto on Thursday having received the very sad news of her brother's death by drowning. The remains were being brought home from the States for burial. We extend our heartfelt sympathy to Mrs. Reith in her sad and sudden bereavement.

Mr. Dan McInnis of Seattle, Wash., arrived home a couple of weeks ago owing to the critical condition of his mother.

On Wednesday even'g July 10th, Mrs. Donald McGinnis, aged 89 years, passed away at her late home con. 2 Bruce, after several weeks illness. She was one of the highly respected citizens of this neighborhood and her death is mourned by her family and a large circle of friends and neighbors. The funeral was held from the home of her son. John W. on Friday afternoon. Interment in Purdy's Cemetery. To the bereaved sons and daughters, our sympathy is extended.

Rev. and Mrs. McClung and family have returned home from visiting their parents at Snover, Mich. and Lyndeach Ont.

Mrs. Roy Kennedy and babe spent the past week with her sister, Mrs. Thos. Montgomery of Markdale.

The B. Y. P. U. held a social evening at George Webb's last week when a very enjoyable time was spent by all.

Mrs. Angus McGregor has returned to her home in Kincardine.

Mrs. Harry Moulton of Port Elgin visited her sister, Mrs. Neil McKay.

Miss May Ferris is visiting Paisley friends this week.

The Ladies Missionary Society met at the home of Mrs. Neil McKay on Wednesday.

Miss Pearl Francis returned to her duties in the city on Saturday.

Miss Retta McKinnon spent a few days with her sisters near Lucknow.

Master Murray Finlayson of Port Elgin is holidaying here.

Mr. Elliott of the Bruce Co. Children's Aid, Walkerton, was a business caller here last week, taking Master George Gallinger back to the Shelter.

Rev. R. Bloye and Master Russell of Brantford spent a few days here. Rev. Bloye was a former pastor here. He conducted Quarterly services in Free Methodist Church over the week-end.

Mrs. J. P. McPherson returned from the Soo on Saturday accompanied by Mrs. Baldenby and Miss Gunn, of Espanola who are visiting at J. Gunns.

Mr. Drummond, piano tuner was a business caller in the burg the end of the week.

BRANT AVENUE

Haying is the order of the day. Weather permitting it will be pretty well on the wind-up by the end of the week. It's a fair crop.

Mr. William Riley has purchased four acres of good hay from Mr. Peter Scanlan.

Irwin Bros. have a big gang of men working at their hay. They have around forty acres of fairly good crop.

Miss Mary Bester of Cargill returned home on Monday after spending some holidays at the home of her niece, Mrs. J. J. Ernst.

There has been a big loss of young colts this season, no less than eight in this neighborhood.

HANOVER

A lawn tennis club has been organized and a lot has been secured from Mrs. Val. L. Kirchner wich will be fixed up. The following officers were elected:—President, G. H. Mitchel; Secretary Treasurer, A. B. Currey; Committee to secure members, Misses Kirchner and Hahn and Mrs. Musgrove; purchasing committee, Harold Kerman and E. M. Schroder.

Miss Gertrude Jackson who has been teaching school at Dawson City for the past two years has arrived in town and is staying with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Jackson. Miss Jackson who has been a contributor to the Canadian Magazine and other publications, went to the Yukon party as an adventure to get "color" and "atmosphere" for magazine stories. Asked whether Dawson City was a woolly place, she said it was just the opposite. People never think of locking their doors when they go out there. It is absolutely dark for a part of the year but business and everything else goes on just the same with the aid of the electric light. The mercury drops as low as 62 below in the winter.

The death of Mr. Thomas Rogers occurred at his home here on Monday, July 8th at the age of 75 years. Deceased was born in Northumberland county. About 32 years ago he married Miss Catharie Boyd at Hanover. They moved to Scone where they lived several years and then went to Walkerton. They moved to Hanover 11 years ago. The marriage was blessed with 7 children all living as follows: Pearl and Margaret of Mitchell, Hattie and Mattie of Hanover and David of London.

Mrs. Con. Schaat arrived home after a 3 weeks' trip on the lakes from Toronto to Fort William. It was very rough and Mrs. Schaff was not very much taken with a boat trip as a result.

BRANT TP. COUNCIL

Brant Council meeting July 8th, 1918.

Brant Township councilmet on the 8th. day of July 1918. Members all present minutes of last council meeting read and declared correct.

Johnston—Reward—That the half yearly statement of the treasurer of the Township Mr. Fred Jacklin be accepted.—carried.

Gregg—Johnston—That the Reeve and Messrs. Findlay and Rowand be a committee to examine the bridge on the twenty five side road at con. 11 as the same is reported to be in need of repair and that they have power to make same safe for public travel.—carried.

Rowand—Findlay—That this council hereby authorize the Treasurer of the Township Mr. Fred Jacklin to draw from the reserve fund in the Royal Bank at Cargill the sum of $3000.00, (thirty six hundred dollars,) from time to time as required.—carried.

Findlay—Gregg—That the Reeve and clerk issue orders on the Treasurer for all accounts passed at this meeting of council.—carried.

Hydro Electric for Elmwood		$1690 00
Eli Miethausen, commutation labor Elmwood		85 00
Thos Wiechman, 6b yds gravel		6 80
Hugh Ferguson, 67 "	"	6 70
Archie McCurdy 75 "	"	7 50
Vincent Hanmore 53 "	"	5 30
John Desmond, 42 "	"	4 20
Alex Rae, 124 "	"	12 40
Wm. Rody 80 "	"	8 00
Ben Whitehead 40 "	"	4 00
Fred Koester 141 "	"	14 10
John Monk, 97 "	"	9 70
Fred Weichman 33 "	"	3 30
Wm. Alexander 24 "	"	2 40
Melville Goodby 94 "	"	9 40
Fred Frook 40 "	"	4 00
John Jagelewski 74 "	"	7 20
John Sidle 156 "	"	15 60
John Graff 145 "	"	14 50
Hy Logie 189 "	"	18 90
Wm. Liefso 250 "	"	25 00
Herman Lorenz 299 "	"	29 90
Henry Spitzig 151 "	"	15 10
Louis Liefso 344 "	"	34 40
Wm. Latimer 49 "	"	4 80
Fred Wilken 78 "	"	7 80
John Schariff 49 "	"	1 90
S. J. Waechter 12 "	"	1 20
T. Cunningham 129 "	"	12 90
Adam Seigmiller 10 "	"	1 00
John L. George advance of statute Labor money for 1918 and grant		55 50
Adam Becker right of way over property to gravel pit		3 90
Thos. Scales grant and gravel		52 40
Frank Lang contracts cement roadway con. 6 and 106 yd. gravel		168 30
Robt. Murray hauling stone 123 yd. gravel		35 50
Josiah Dierslieu 73 yds gravel and cement tile		40 05
Wm. Barry refund of taxes for 1917 by error		3 35
Mano Rody sheep killed by dogs.		20 00
Jos. Monk valuating sheep		1 00
F L Balsdon wire		3 04
Ed Connors Lumber account		26 53
Eph Rody work on hill lot 30 con 11		26 53
Chris Pegelo grading		108 80
Jas S. Dewer cement tile		63 00
Jos Schuett repairing sidewalk in Cargill		21 00
Wm Procknow cutting willows and gravel 20 side road		123 30
Wm Atkinson repairing road and cutting bush		3 00
Thos Christie, Hauling and supplying 40 yds gravel		40.00
Mike Driscol, Hauling tile from Paisley		12.00
Jas. Smith Grading		4.00
Wess Abel work on cement road Con 6		66.00
Thos Chisholm hauling cement		7.00
Jos Corrigan drawing gravel on Towoline B and G		46.90
Chas. Fisher hauling tile and placing same		4.00
John Rody Statute Labor money for 1918 advanced		1.50
Wm Liefso	Grant	115.00
Ed Hopkins	"	127.00
Philip Kashner	"	115.00
F A Kent	"	68.00
Wm Krohn	"	37.00
Stewart Butchart	"	100.00
John Clancy	"	75.00
Herman Ahrens	"	230.00
J Klazes	"	90.00
Marshall Jacklin	"	71.00

Rowand—Johnston that this council do now adjourn to meet on Monday August 12th 1918 for the purpose of levying the Township rates and the transaction of general business.

M. A. McCallum,
Clerk.

Town and District

An Almonte man is advertising for a girl to drive a rural mail.

It costs more to travel and it costs more to stay at home. It also costs more to throw up the sponge.

Potato candy is the latest. It is made with a sugar extracted from potatoes and comes in the form of bon bons, which look like chocolate, taste like cocoanut and have a delicate brittleness about them.

Walkerton Markets

(Revised, Wednesday, July 17th)

Hay	$16.00 to $12.00
Oats, per bsh.	80 to..... 80
Wheat "	2.10 to..... 2.10
Butter, per lb.	38to 40
Eggs, per doz.	42to... .. 44
Barley per bus	....$1.25.... 1.25
Hogs, per cwt.	.....17.50 to 17.50
Potatoes.	75 to.... ..$1.00
Buckwheat	1.25 .....1.25

California this year devoted 3,000 acres to spinach.

Muncie, Ind., is putting women into the fire department.

Dr. and Mrs. Stalker went to Kincardine on Saturday. Mrs. Stalker will remain for a week's visit.—Hanover Post.

Donald McDonald aged 74, a bachelor of Sullivan Tp., was killed last Friday when his team ran away while he was driving the mower.

Pte. Edward Weiler of Mildmay was one of the passengers on the wrecked Vienna which struck a rock east of New Yorkhast week.

The blackbirds are proving a menace to many gardens. They nip off the tender shoots of corn, steal the strawberries, rob the pea pods and commit other annoying depredations. Their insectivorous work is meagre indeed and few objections would be offered by gardeners to their annihilation.

Local Merchants' Opportunity

In conversation with a weekly newspaperman a few days ago the representative of a Toronto firm expressed the opinion that the day of the town merchant had returned if he only realized it. He pointed out the cost of doing business in the big cities had mounted so high during the past three years that the departmental stores could no longer afford to give real bargains any more, but that the country merchant, whose costs have not risen in proportion, could undersell the big fellow on almost any article. This seems to be a well founded statement, for a few weeks ago the wife of a wage-earner in a nearby town wanted to get a suit of clothes for her little boy. She first visited the local stores that sell that class of goods, examined the quality and got prices. She saw an ad. of the departmental store making a special sale of boys' suits and she went to the city next day intending to take advantage of the bargain. In the departmental store she found prices much higher for a poorer quality of goods. As a result she bought her boy a suit at the local store. This is an actual happening. But country merchants have got into a rut and it is realy doubtful if they will wake up and take full advantage of the opportunities that present themselves today. The war, which has turned everything upside down, has created opportunities at every turn. By intelligent, up-to-date newspaper advertising the local merchant, providing he gives value and lives up to his advertising, can greatly increase his business. Under present normal conditions, more so than for many years, the town merchant has his opportunity to grasp what logically should be his own.

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Seventeen

A Tale of Youth and Summer Time and the Baxter Family, Especially William

By

BOOTH TARKINGTON

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"Hum, Bannie, run!" panted Jane. "I got to get home an'tell mamma about it before Willie! I bet I ketch Hail Columbia, anyway, when he does get there!"

And in this she was not mistaken: she caught Hail Columbia. It lasted all afternoon.

It was still continuing after dinner that evening, when an oft repeated yodel, followed by a shrill wailed "Jane-ee! Oh, Jane-ree-ee!" brought her to an open window downstairs. In the early dusk she looked out upon the washed face of Bannie Kirsted, who stood on the lawn below. "Come on out, Janie. Mamma says I can stay outdoors an' play till half past 8."

Jane shook her head. "I can't. I can't go outside the house till tomorrow. It's because we walked after Willie with our stummicks out o' joint."

"Can't you come out at all?" Bannie urged. "Go ask your mother. Tell her"—

"How can I?" Jane inquired, with a little heat. "When she isn't here to ask! She's gone out to play cards, she and papa."

Bannie swung her foot. "Well," she said, "I guess I hat to find somep'n to do. G'night!"

With head bowed in thought she moved away. Jane, on her part, left the window and went to the open front door. Conscientiously, she did not cross the threshold, but restrained herself to looking out. On the steps of the porch sat William alone, his back toward the house.

"Willie," said Jane softly, and, as he made no response, she lifted her voice a little. "Will-ee!"

"Whatchwant?" he grunted, not moving.

"Willie, I told mamma I was sorry I made you feel so bad."

"All right!" he returned curtly.

"Well, when I hat to go to bed, Willie," she said, "mamma told me because I made you feel bad I hat to go upstairs by myself tonight."

She paused, seeming to hope that he would say something, but he spoke not.

"Willie, I don't hat to go for awhile yet, but when I do—maybe in about a half an hour—I wish you'd come stand at the foot of the stairs till I get up there. The light's in upstairs, but down around here it's kind of dark."

He did not answer.

"Will you, Willie?"

"Oh, all right," he said.

This contented her, and she seated herself so quietly upon the floor just inside the door that he ceased to be aware of her, thinking she had gone away. He sat staring vacantly into the darkness, which had come on with that abruptness which begins to be noticeable in September. His elbows were on his knees, and his body was sunk far forward in an attitude of dejection.

The small noises of the town—that town so empty tonight—fell upon his ears mockingly. It seemed to him incredible that so hollow a town could go about its nightly affairs just as usual. A man and a woman going by laughed loudly at something the man had said. The sound of their laughter was horrid to William. And from a great distance—from far out in the country—there came the faint, long drawn whistle of an engine.

That was the sorrowfulest sound of all to William. His lonely mind's eye sought the hazy spaces of the east—crossed prairie and river and hill to where a long train whizzed onward through the dark, farther and farther and farther away. William uttered a sigh so hoarse, so deep from the tombs, so prolonged, that Jane, who had been relaxing herself at full length upon the floor, sat up straight with a jerk. But she was wise enough not to speak.

Now the full moon came masquerading among the branches of the shade trees. It came in the likeness of an enormous football, gloriously orange. Gorgeously it rose higher, cleared the trees and resumed its wonted impersonation of a silver disk. Here was another mockery. What was the use of a moon now?

There came from a little distance down the street the sound of a young male voice, singing. It was not a musical voice, yet sufficiently loud, and it knew only a portion of the words and air it sought to render; but, upon completing the portion it did know, it instantly began again and sang that portion over and over with brightest patience. Thus:

> "My countree, 'tis of thee,
> Sweet land of liber-tee,
> My countree, 'tis of thee,
> Sweet land of liber-tee.
> My countree, 'tis of thee,
> Sweet land of liber-tee.
> My countree, 'tis of thee,
> Sweet land of liber-tee,
> My countree, 'tis"—

Jane spoke unconsciously. "It's Freddie," she said.

William leaped to his feet. This was something he could not hear. He made a bloodthirsty dash toward the gate, which the singer was passing.

"You get out o' here!" William roared.

The song stopped. Freddie Banks fled like a rag on the wind.

Now here is a strange matter.

The antique prophets prophesied successfully; they practiced with some ease that art since lost, but partly rediscovered by M. Maeterlinck, who proves to us that the future already exists, simultaneously with the present. Well, if his proofs be true, then at this very moment when William thought meaningly of Freddie Banks, the bright air of a happy June evening—an evening ordinarily reckoned ten years, nine months and twenty-one days in advance of this present sorrowful evening—the bright air of that happy June evening, so far in the future, was actually already trembling to a wedding march played upon a church organ, and this self same Freddie, with a white flower in his buttonhole and in every detail accoutred as a wedding usher, was an usher for this very William who now (as we ordinarily count time) threatened his person.

But for more miracles!

As William turned again to resume his meditations upon the steps his incredulous eyes fell upon a performance amazingly beyond fantasy and without parallel as a means to make scorn of him. Not ten feet from the porch, and in the white moonlight that made brilliant the path to the gate, Miss Mary Randolph Kirsted was walking. She was walking with insulting pomposity in her most pronounced semi-circular manner.

"You get out o' here!" she said in a voice as deep and hoarse as she could make it. "You get out o' here!"

Her intention was as plain as the moon. She was presenting in her own person a sketch of William, by this means expressing her opinion of him and avenging Jane.

"You get out o' here!" she croaked.

The shocking audacity took William's breath. He gasped.

"Why, you—you!"— he cried. "You—you scaty faced little girl!"

In this fashion he directly addressed Miss Mary Randolph Kirsted for the first time in his life.

And that was the strangest thing of this strange evening, strangest because, as with life itself, there was nothing remarkable upon the surface of it. But if M. Maeterlinck has the right of the matter and if the bright air of that June evening, almost eleven years in the so called future, was indeed already trembling to "Lohengrin," then William stood with Johnnie Watson against a great bank of flowers at the door of a church aisle, that aisle was roped with white satin ribbons, and William and Johnnie were waiting for something important to happen. And then, to the strains of "Here Comes the Bride," it did—a stately, solemn, roseate, gentle young thing with bright eyes seeking through a veil for William's eyes.

Yes, if great M. Maeterlinck is right, it seems that William ought to have caught at least some eerie echo of that wedding march, however faint—some bars or strains adrift before their time upon the moonlight of this September night in his eighteenth year.

For there, beyond the possibility of any fate to intervene or of any later vague, fragmentary memory of even Miss Pratt to impair, there in that moonlight was his future before him.

He started forward furiously. "You you—you little"—

But he paused, not wasting his breath upon the empty air.

His bride to be was gone.

THE END.

He Lumped It.

"My coffee is not quite sweet enough," remarked he.

"Well, if you don't like it I suppose you'll have to lump it," said she, with a smile, passing the loaf sugar his way.

Loyal.

"I have no patience with Dubbins. He sneers at Velasquez."

"Well, I don't care much for foreigners myself, but if Velasquez is a friend of yours I don't blame you for getting sore."

The Price of Love.

Says an advertisement in the London Express: "Mary—Waited three hours at appointed spot until questioned by suspicious policeman. If this is the price of love it is too heavy a one for me to pay. Farewell. Potts."

Flinty.

"What a hard face Mr. Squiggins has!"

"He certainly has. A barber would have to use a pickax to give him a facial massage."—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Powder Dust.

She—I'm tired reading these silly books where a smile always creeps slowly and softly over the heroine's face. He—But if it went any faster it might stir up a terrible dust.—Princeton Tiger.

Not the Same.

"What's the difference between admission to a picture show and admission to the penitentiary?"

"I give it up."

"One is 10 cents and the other is sentence."—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Australia's Lyre Bird.

The lyre bird of Australia is a noted mimic. In the early morning hours it is at its best, duplicating the whistle of a locomotive, the barking of a dog, the call of a magpie and the buzz of a circular saw in varying tone.

BEST TOOLS FOR GARDEN

Laying Hens Are More Profitable Than Ever.

Frequent Change of Pasture Protects Lambs from Disease and Ensure Steady Gains — Annual Pasture Has Proven Satisfactory.

(Contributed by Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.)

MOST gardeners use a hoe, rake, spade, and digging fork in their gardens. The three last are used chiefly during spring preparation of the soil and again in the fall during the harvesting of the crop. The hoe, however, is used almost all summer.

Most people in buying tools simply take what is offered, never considering that in using the heavier types soil in many stores much energy is spent in handling these, that could be used more profitably in doing other garden work. Besides, it is expected that women and children will do much of the garden work this season and it is necessary to give them implements suited to their strength.

For these reasons it has been urged on the gardeners to buy a hoe called the triangle, onion or beet hoe with a cutting edge 4½ inches wide. This hoe is light to handle and does very satisfactory work, especially close in around the plants in the row. With it should be used the "Buco" type of cultivator with the two outside tynes removed. These two tools will do better work than any of the ordinary hoes with a great deal less expenditure of strength and in shorter time.

Where one has a larger garden, say 60 x 100 feet, it will be well to invest in a wheel hoe to help out the two above-mentioned tools. With the "Buco" to make a deeper mulch after a heavy rain or continuous tramping over the soil, the small hoe for close weeding, the wheel hoe makes it much easier to maintain a good mulch during the dry season, thus conserving moisture and advancing plant growth.—A. H. MacLennan, B.S.A., Ontario Vegetable Specialist.

HOT WEATHER POULTRY CALENDAR.

The hen that laid 126 eggs in 1917 made the same profit as the 123-egg hen in 1914.

The hen that laid less than 123 eggs in 1917 made a smaller profit than in 1914.

The hen that laid more eggs than 123 in 1917 made a larger profit than in 1914.

In view of the high price of feed can the farmer afford to keep the poor-laying hens in 1918?

The rooster, unless kept for next year's breeding, is too expensive a luxury to keep—and he'll help relieve the meat shortage.

The market for the cull stock promises to be good this month—and by marketing in June the distribution is more equalized.

The good layer of the yellow-legged breeds at this season loses the color from the feet and bill and these later becoming almost white. The sleek plumaged, fat yellow-legged hens are usually very poor layers. It will pay to cull them out now.

The abdominal cavity, or the space between the pelvic bones (situated under the tail) and the end of the breast or keel bones should be relatively soft and flexible. If it is full of hard fat the hen is usually a very indifferent layer.

As a rule the earlier maturing pullets are the earlier and most profitable layers. By marking these the best breeders may be selected.

In grading up a laying flock pure-bred eggs should be purchased. From the chicks good female breeding stock may be secured. The male may be secured in very many cases in Ontario, from eggs secured by children taking part in school fairs. Watch the school fair winners this year.

It saves work to let the hens feed themselves—a hopper may be built at home without great expense.

Keep hens that lay over 100 eggs yearly and feed them carefully; kill the rooster and sell infertile eggs; gather the eggs daily and keep in a cool place in clean baskets; send the eggs to market quickly and regularly.—Prof. W. H. Graham.

Summer Forage for Lambs.

Frequent change of pasture is beneficial to, and relished by, all classes of stock and this applies with special emphasis to the case of sheep. It is true for two reasons. Sheep are subject to parasitic disease which may be prevented to a large extent by not pasturing up any one area for too great a length of time. In addition to this they are possibly more fastidious about their food than some other farm animals. It is not practicable on every farm to arrange for a succession of pastures during the grazing season. However, the same area will sustain considerable more sheep if such an arrangement is feasible. Rye sown early in the fall furnishes a good deal of pasture in the late fall and early spring. After the rye is eaten off in the spring rape may be sown on this land and will come along for pasture in June or July. Alfalfa and red clover are satisfactory pasture crops and will serve until the rape is ready. An annual pasture consisting of one bushel each of wheat, oats and barley together with eight pounds of red clover provides a good pasture for the early summer months, and the clover coming along in the autumn will give a nice picking. This annual pasture may be sown any time early in May. Without a great deal of additional labor it is possible to have a succession of crops ready for seeding throughout the entire season. The increase in health and condition of the flock will amply repay any such outlay of time and expense.—J. P. Sackville, B.S.A., Ontario Agricultural College.

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DAMAGE BY LIGHTNING

Proper Rodding Would Have Prevented $331,450 Loss.

Caring for Lambs at Weaning—Different Ways Fruits and Vegetables May Be Used as Substitutes for Foods Our Army Requires.

Contributed by Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.]

As a comprehensive conclusion from our investigations, we have found that if all the buildings in rural Ontario were rodded more than 95 per cent. of the annual damage to buildings by lightning would be prevented. The method by which this conclusion was arrived at was as follows: In 1913 eighteen insurance companies in Ontario kept special records for us; from their reports we learned that out of every 7,000 unrodded buildings insured by them 27 were struck by lightning, while in every 7,000 rodded ones only two were struck by lightning. The rods prevented damage in 25 cases out of an efficiency of 27, showing an efficiency of 94.7 p.c. Since that we have determined the efficiency for the years 1913, 1914 and 1915. The results for the four years are as follows:

Year.	Efficiency of Rods.
1912	94.7
1913	92.0
1914	99.8
1915	88.9
Average for four years	97.2

We apply these figures: The report of the Superintendent of Insurance shows that in 1912 the insurance paid on losses caused by lightning was $232,212. No doubt the actual loss exceeded the insurance by perhaps 1-3 or ¼. If so, the actual loss was $350,000 or over. 94.7 per cent. of this equals $331,450, which represents the saving that would have been effected that year if all the buildings had been rodded.

Investigations along similar lines in Iowa have shown an efficiency of 96.7 p.c. for rods in that state, based on the report of 55 mutual companies each year for eight years. In Michigan the efficiency of lightning rods has been shown to be from 98 to 99 p.c.

These few facts, which are all matters of record in published reports, establish beyond question the conclusion first given, that if all buildings in rural Ontario were rodded 95 p.c. of the annual lightning damage to buildings would be eliminated.—F. W. H. Day, Ontario Agriculture College.

Care of the Weanling Lamb.

The best results lambs should be weaned at between four and five months. It has been found that under conditions prevailing during the summer months of mid-summer the lambs will drop off considerably in their milk flow. The lambs receive comparatively little nourishment and Sunday better for both ewe and lamb and them to be separated. When the lambs are removed from the ewes they will miss little the small amount of milk they would receive and will soon learn to depend upon pasture. They should receive the very best pasture available. Nothing fits in better than a patch of rape sown at the proper time so as to be ready for pasture when the lambs are weaned. Care should be exercised in turning the lambs on the fresh rape to avoid bloating and probable death. The rape is available fresh clover will give satisfactory results. In addition to pasture a feed of grain once a day will push the lambs along to a good finish. At no time should it be necessary to feed over one-half pound of grain per day to each lamb while on pasture.—J. P. Sackville, B.S.A., Ontario Agricultural College.

Uses of Fruits and Vegetables.

The drastic regulations set forth by the Canada Food Board lately, have caused much anxiety to many people who feel that they must now choose between either being considered unpatriotic, or going without sufficient food to nourish their bodies.

This is a mistaken idea. In their distress they have forgotten for a moment to recall the long list of available substitutes which can wholly replace the Allies' demands, and remember that foremost among these are fruits and vegetables. Fresh vegetables not only contain a high percentage of water—a necessary requirement of our bodies—but, in a large amount of mineral salts and acids which act as blood purifiers and body regulators; they also serve to prevent too great concentration of urea and thus aid in the digestive process. Dried vegetables on the other hand, are rich in tissue-building material, dried peas and beans containing as much protein as our best cut of beef, in addition to containing a large percentage of starch.

While fruits are usually noted more for their flavor, mineral matter and water than for anything else, still we must not forget that bananas, dates, figs, raisins and prunes are high in food value, some containing as high as 60 p.c. of sugar. For this reason they are a valuable substitute for cane sugar. They might well be given to children in place of candy, and when served in combination with puddings, or salads, reduce the amount of sugar needed and add much to the value of the dish.

Vegetables and fruits should form a large part of the diet during the winter as well as the summer months, and it is therefore to our advantage to see that they are canned or dried at the proper time for future use. Much valuable information on the canning and drying of fruits and vegetables may be secured from the Women's Institute Branch, Ontario Department of Agriculture.—Geo. A. Putnam, Superintendent of Women's Institutes.

TOWN AND DISTRICT NEWS

Miss Lenora Doepel returned to Kitchener on Saturday after spending a week with Mrs W. Widmeyer and Miss Hilda Ermel.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Kenny and daughter Miss Alberta, and Mrs. Jas. Meagher are in Hamilton attending the reception for Miss Irene Kenny and will also visit Guelph friends.

Mrs. Jos. Brechler and three children, who have been visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Becker for the past two months, left Wednesday morning to visit relatives in Kircardine and Detroit prior to leaving for their home in Fernie, B. C.

Garden parties will soon be a thing of the past. If the war continues another year and indications are that it will—it is improbable that garden parties and such functions will be held. At several affairs held thus far this year there was a conspicuous absence of meat and those large dainty layer cakes with tasty icing and filling, and sugar, instead of being displayed on the tables, was passed by waiters in small quantities, all of which impresses one with the fact that war conditions and food regulations will soon play havoc with these events.

The following story has the genuine atmosphere of the Green Isle about it. "The following incident, which tells of a horse that connived at the evasion of lawful debts, need not be taken precisely as a matter of fact. An old Wexford farmer related it in praise of his sagacious and venerable mare. 'This five and twenty years I do be riding her, and sorrow the mistake she ever made but just the one time that she took and ran away with me half a mile, because she met poor Jim Malloy at the crossroads beyond Loughlinlegg. And, bedad, small blame to her for that, considering Jim's the living image of his brother, Dan, that I was owing more than the price of herself to, as she very well knew!'"

The Home Merchant.

Give your trade to the merchants who keep store the year round. Buy of the man who stands at your side at the tax collector's counter. Buy of the man who is your neighbor, your acquaintance, your friend. Buy of the man who is a factor in the town you live in, who helps to make a market for the things you have to sell. Buy of the home merchant that advertises in the home newspaper.

Forty Years An Editor

The Acton Free Press has just completed its fortieth year under the able editorship of Mr. H. P. Moore. The Free Press is a clean, live, up-to-date sheet and in many respects the model small-town newspaper of this Province. The publisher is a man of high ideals, and forty years of service in the public interest, finds him not an old man, but rather at his best. We wish Brother Moore and his excellent paper many more successful years.

Training In Sunny South

Pte. Henry Miller, an old Walkerton boy, writes his sister, Miss Jean Miller, from Camp Gremont, California: "It is very dry and warm here. We haven't had rain since we came. I went to San Francisco last Saturday until Sunday night, was also at Ocatune Beach at Oakland where we had quite a good time. I took a few snaps with my kodak and will send you some after a bit. Four of us boys in this tent are from North Dakota and we feel quite proud of it.

Predict Gasoline Shortage

Although at the present time the gasoline supply throughout western Ontario is sufficient to meet ordinary demands, garage men and oil dealers of Windsor agree that before the year is out a real shortage will be experienced. Tank cars which have been conveying oil to all parts of the country, and a majority of which are owned by American railroads, are being rapidly called in by the United States railroad administration, as they are needed to carry fuel to the seaboard, and this will mean that many interior points far from the main arteries of railroad travel will be left without facilities for obtaining gasoline.

More "B" Men May Be Called

Although men in category B under the Military Service Act have been called to the colors recently, another call is not improbable in the near future as fureatny and other non-combatant units are in need of men. According to the Registrar of Ontario men in category B are now permitted to enlist in the Royal Air Force as mechanics if they so desire. Upwards of 2,000 B men have had their claims disallowed by Appeal Tribunals except on medical grounds and a number of the men are likely to be called in the near future. The permission to enlist in the R. A. F. holds good only as long as the infantry does not need the men's services.

Nineteen-year old men are to be permitted to join any branch of the service voluntarily which is now open for recruits. It is stated at the Registrar's office that in the cases of persons who have lost their Military service papers duplicates can be had at that office at a small cost.

Three men were fined $10 and costs each at Flesherton for fishing on the Sabbath.

Mrs. Jos. Wallace, jr. and babe returned on Saturday to their home in Pontiac, Mich. after spending a few weeks here.

Misses Mary Wilhelm, Margaret Dales, Stella Bush and Mary Hauch spent Sunday with the latter's brother near Formosa.

Photographic copies of marriage certificates will not be honored by the Dominion police at Sarnia unless sworn to before a justice of the peace or police magistrate that the copy is a true and correct one. Many citizens have had photographs made of their marriage certificates, and unless they have them sworn to they will be regarded as not having their certificates on their person and will be liable to a fine.

Mrs. Swarts of the Queen's hotel, Wingham, is pressed for help and announces that she will only serve bed and breakfast. The Toronto Sun was advocating abolishing commercial travellers in the interest of war-time economy, and this will surely put some of them out of business. They'll never last long on a meal a day.—Listowel Banner.

The Owen Sound town council has the progressive spirit and at their last meeting, according to The Times, "most of the important business of the evening was a motion by John McQuaker, authorizing a special committee to procure a suitable landing-place in town for aeroplanes. With recent developments in aerial navigation, it is imperative, says The Times, that Owen Sound make preparation for the future, and secure and prepare a suitable spot for landing."

Who's Who In Legislature

There are in the Ontario Legislature twenty-six farmers, twenty-six lawyers nine manufacturers, five merchants, eight doctors, seven lumbermen, four insurance agents, two "workingmen," two agents, an undertaker, an auctioneer, one "gentleman," a realty agent, an accountant, a dentist, a contractor, a veterinary surgeon and a clergymen.

Accidents At Barn Raising

Two rather serious accidents occurred at a barn raising at the farm of William Jackson, Bentinck Township, near Chesley last Thursday. Donald McGregor fell from the plates sixteen feet to the floor, injuring his arm severely. Willie Ramage, a lad, while walking around the house, fell into a cellarway, breaking his left arm.

Penalties For Breaking Food Laws

"Any person violating any provision or any order or regulation of the Canada Food Board now or hereafter made in pursuance of the power invested upon it, is guilty of an offence, and shall be liable upon summary conviction before a Police Magistrate or a Justice of the Peace to a penalty not exceeding $1,000, and not less than $100.00; or to imprisonment". By Order-in-Council P. C. (1542) of June 22nd, 1918. The enforcement of the orders and regulations of the Canada Food Boards depends principally upon the patriotic co-operation of the municipal police authorities.

A Busy Month

Inspector H. W. Elliot of the Children's Aid Society has not been letting grass grow under his feet according to the report submitted to the Executive at the monthly meeting last week. The month's activities included:—2 Branch Committees organized, 6 Applications for children, 17 Complaints received regarding children, 19 Investigations, 43 Mail received, 30 Mail sent out, 5 Meetings addressed, 687 Miles (approximate) covered, 7 Office interviews, 29 Phone messages, 32 Places visited outside the town, 2 Police Court attendance, 1 ward placed out, 1 ward returned to shelter, 22 Wards visited, 11 warnings given. Over 60 children dealt with during the month, and as one week was spent in Toronto attending the Annual conference of Children's Aid Societies, there were 19 days to cover this work making an average of over 3 children dealt with each day.

WHICH JUDGE IS RIGHT?

An eastern judge the other day found a man guilty of disorderly conduct for kissing his wife when she didn't want him to kiss her.

"It is a woman's inalienable right to refuse to be kissed," this judge said, adding, "and she doesn't forfeit this right when she marries the man."

But, on the other hand Judge Graham, of San Francisco, rules that a husband may kiss his wife whenever he pleases, whether it pleases the wife or not.

Indeed so firm are the judge's convictions upon the subject that he was moved to put his decision in verse:

Be a cave man, seize your mate.
If she shows you signs of hate;
Let her struggle, let her bite,
But kiss her boy; it is your right.

Mrs. Chelt m of Mount Forest visited at Mr. William Yeates last week.

The Calgary Albertan has increased its subscription price to $7.50 a year.

Mr. Henry Spitzig was in New Germany on Monday attending the funeral of his mother-in-law, Mrs. Rheinhart.

Pte. Fred Kenny writes to a friend in town that he has arrived in France and expects to reach the firing line soon.

Mr. Will Seigmiller of Petersburg and Miss Klemmer of Listowel spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Adam Seigmiller.

Mrs. Jos. Lindsay returned from Toronto last week. Mrs. Lindsay underwent an operation for internal trouble while in the city and is now much improved in health.

Mrs. P. Ritchie attended the funeral of the late Miss Mary Orr Ritchie, on S. Culrossen Friday. The deceased who was a sister of Mrs. Ritchie's son-in-law, was in her 66th. year. Interment was made in Teeswater cemetery.

The New York Evening Sun observes that "King George has been learning to throw a baseball, but hopes he won't go so far as to take to chewing gum in public just to please America. Not likely. And he will still continue to call an elevator a "lift," and a freight train a "goods train," and private schools "public schools," and candies "sweets" and a street car a "tram", and a railway car a "carriage," and a conductor a "guard."

Many complaints have appeared in the newspapers in various parts of Ontario concerning money orders enclosed in letters sent to Montreal never reaching the intended destination. Most of the money was sent with orders for booze. Dishonest postal employees took advantage of the situation and rifled the letters of their contents and threw the letters down a sewer. If any reader is wondering what happened to the cash he sent to the Quebec metropolis, this information may ease his mind even though his thirst abideth.

Ford's Submarine Chasers

The factory at Detroit in which Ford is constructing submarine chasers is three-quarters of a mile from either end to the center of the plant. It is anticipated that 40,000 men will be engaged in the construction of these chasers and the output is expected to reach one ship per day.

Twenty Sheep For Every Soldier

Twenty sheep are required to provide sufficient wool to keep one soldier clothed. In Canada there are less than 21 sheep per soldier. Wool is at record price, as is also mutton. The Canada Food Board urges greater production of sheep and municipal co-operation in controlling the menance from dogs.

Unskilled Supplications

A Scotch minister was asked to pray for rain and his prayer was followed by such a downpour that the crops were injured. During the storm one old farmer said to another: "This comes o' trusting sic a request to a meenister who isna aquaintit with agriculture."

Draftee Secures Exemption

Mr. Otto Johann, who lives with his mother and works a 100 acre farm on the Hawick townline near Belmore, has been granted temporary exemption. His is an extreme case, and the militia department considered that he was entitled to exemption until such time as it will be necessary to call men in his condition.

Your Views

The Telescope columns are open to its readers on all matters of public interest. The only conditions are that the communications must be as brief as possible, must be plainly written on one side of the paper only, must contain no attacks of a personal or libellous character, and must have the signature and address of the writer. Where a nom-de-plume is used the writer must sign his name as an evidence of good faith. Address letters to the Editor Telescope.

WE HAVE 'EM HERE

Renfrew Journal.

Some of these days somebody will "be pinched" for allowing his car to be driven by a boy or girl under 18 years of age. A number of owners in this vicinity are violating this regulation. Motor cars are so numerous now that great caution should be observed in the public safety. Where two swiftly moving vehicles are coming into dangerous and unexpected proximity a young driver cannot be depended upon to do the right thing and serious, if not fatal, consequences are likely to follow. Even old drivers often find themselves in tight places unexpectedly and frequently they fail to do the proper thing. Several have complained to the editor about fourteen year old girls and boys driving cars up and down our streets. They have threatened to enter complaints to the constable.

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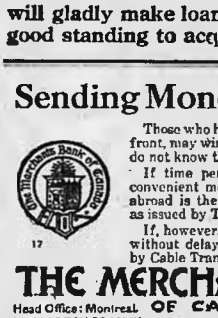
Those who have friends or relatives at the front, may wish to send money, but possibly do not know the best way to do so.

If time permits, the safest and most convenient method of making remittances abroad is the Bank Money Order or Draft, as issued by The Merchants Bank.

If, however, it is necessary to send money without delay, the Bank will arrange this by Cable Transfer.

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A Sidelight on The Clothing Situation



Last week we received a letter from one of the largest manufacturers of men's and boys' clothing in Canada which in part reads as follows:-

"To give you some idea as to the condition of the Woolen Market, there has been only on woolen mill in Canada so far that has accepted any orders for next Spring and this particular mill is asking such high prices that we have found it almost impossible to handle the goods they are showing. There is practically nothing whatever coming out from England and the little that is coming out is costing from 400 500 per cent over and above pre-war time prices.

This great scarcity of cloth is realized by few and we feel indeed fortunate that we have gathered together a big stock of such splendid materials. There will be a big demand for suits that are made right and here is where we can serve you best.

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NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Mr. and Mrs. Erbrooke Norrish returned to their home in Ottawa last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Boan and little son are holidaying at Pawassan, Northern Ontario.

Miss Anna Weiler is relieving Mrs Boan during holidays at the Dominion Express Office.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Widmeyer of Ayton motored over on Sunday and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Widmeyer.

Mr. N. P. Horten, Collector of Customs at Owen Sound, has been appointed head of both the Customs and Inland Revenue Branches for this district.

Will Attend University

Corp. Wilfrid Yack, son of Mr. and Mrs Louis Yack, who recently received his discharge from the army after doing his bit in Flanders, will probably enter as a student in Electrical Engineering at University the coming Fall. Before enlisting Wilfrid taught school for a couple of years.

Home On Leave

Cadet Oscar Schwindt of the R. A. F. who has been training at Toronto spent the past week at his home here. Oscar who got as far as New York on the journey overseas ten days ago when ordered back with a number of fellow-airmen to Toronto owing to lack of accommodation on the boat, was greatly disappointed not being allowed to proceed, but hopes to be included in the next draft.

Was On "City of Venice"

Mr. Thomas Donoahue photographer, received word last week that his son, Arthur Edward Donoahue, formerly a member of the St. Thomas Journal Staff, was one of the Canadian soldiers on the City of Venice which went on the rocks and so narrowly escaped shipwreck near Halifax, the men being warmly praised for their heroic conduct. A younger brother, formerly of the Bank of Montreal Staff Toronto, is now Overseas.

Re Registration on June 22nd

Report on list of Canadians employed in Agriculture, but who have experience in some and may be asked to help, or who have stated their willingness to assist, on Farms.

Town of Chesley	registration	272
Town of Walkerton	"	256
Village of Lucknow	"	155
Village of Paisley	"	111
Village of Teeswater	"	137
Township of Elderslie	"	41
Township of Brant	"	116
Township of Carrick	"	84
Township of Culross	"	13
Township of Kinloss	"	31
Township of Greenock	"	34
Township of Huron	"	68
		1304

The Organization of Resources Committee for the Province of Ontario have obtained the individual names for the above list, and they are now in the hands of Mr. N. C. McKay, the Secretary for the Department of Agriculture at Walkerton.

Rev. Mr. Tovell of Guelph, occupied the pulpit of the Baptist and Christian church on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Damm and Misses Annie and Margaret Pletsch motored to Port Elgin on Sunday.

Mrs. (Rev.) Robinson, who spent the past week at the home of Mrs. Nicholas, returned to her home in Strathroy on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Becker left on Saturday morning on a visit to their sons, John, Herman and Frank of Detroit.

Cementing The Dam

A large gang of men have been engaged cementing the R. Truax & Sundam.

Oldest Business Man

Mr. Robert Stewart, a prominent planing-mill owner, of Guelph, and the oldest business man of that city, passed away on Monday in his 90th year after two weeks' illness with pneumonia. Mr. Stewart was a cousin by marriage of Crown Attorney Dixon of Walkerton. Mrs. Dixon went to Guelph yesterday to attend the funeral.

Receipts Were Over $325

The most successful garden party held in Brant this summer was that which was held at the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Waechter, three miles west of the town, on Wednesday evening of last week under the auspices of the South Bruce Women's Institute. The grounds and house were beautifully decorated with flags, bunting and Chinese lanterns. The evening was an ideal one for such an occasion and the crowd which gathered was a very large one. The program was also very good and included solos by little Miss Lamberton, Miss Ermel and Miss Hiebn; addresses by Messrs H. M. Lay, Jno. Purvis, Frank Rennie and John Rowland; violin selection by the Misses Scanlon and Connors; and the main feature which proved a pleasant surprise for most of those present was several Scotch songs by Mr. Millard Stauffer of Toronto. Mr. W. A. Burrows made a very efficient chairman. The ice cream booth, the raffling and fortune telling by Miss Barkley, Miss Boether and Miss Wahn all added to the pleasure of the crowd and assisted in increasing the proceeds. Mrs. Ben Mitchell drew the lucky number for the chair and Mr. Stewart, of the Agricultural Office, drew the number for the box of Chocolates. Both articles were later auctioned by Mr. Purvis and brought a good price. The total proceeds amounted to the magnificent sum of over $325. A great deal of credit is due the members of the Women's Institute for the success of their garden party, but more especially is credit due to Mr. and Mrs. Waechter, who opened their home for the purpose and also devoted unstintingly, their time and energy to make it a success. Mr. Purvis, in concluding his address, voiced the opinion of those present when he said he hoped that he would soon be privileged to spend such another enjoyable evening at Benny Waechter's.

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Skirts Specially Priced
10 only White Summer Skirts of the latest styles, reg. $2.00. Sale Price $1.25.

Bargains in Ladies' Raincoats
Ladies' Silk and Wool Poplin Top Raincoats, colors grey, fawn and navy. Special at $6.95.

Clearing Sale of White Voille Skirts
Special clearance of Voille Waists this week. Made in the newest styles, reg. $1.75 for $1.25

Sale Clearance of Men's and Boys' Straw Hats
20 only Men's fine Sailor Hats, regular $2.00. Special 98c.
A big stock of Canadian Straws at 15c, 20c and 35c.

Wash Goods
500 yards of Wash Goods, Muslins, Lintex, Piques and Crepes. Special at 25c a yard.

Ladies' Hose
Ladies' Silk Lisle Hose, colors, Black and White at 35c a pair.

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KNOX'S NEW PASTOR

Rev. William H Burgess B.A., B.D., who has been tendered a call to the pastorate of Knox Church, Walkerton, is a young man with a splendid record behind him and abundant promise of a useful career of consecrated service ahead. Mr. Burgess is a graduate in Arts and Theology of Queen's University and of Queen's Theological College, Kingston. He received his B. D. degree in 1909; his Testamur in 1912; and his B. D. degree in 1913. On graduating in Theology in 1912 he was asked to take charge of the Presbyterian Pacific Coast Missions. There, by means of a steam launch, he visited the lumber camps along the coast and carried on a much appreciated work among the lumbermen. Two years later a call came to him from St. Pauls, a large rural charge on the outskirts of Chatham which he accepted, and he has labored at St.Pauls since that time. Mr. Burgess has won golden opinions wherever he has been and has had the confidence and esteem of his fellow ministers. At Chatham he is the President of the Ministerial Association of that city. He is president of the Kent County Branch of the Ontario Sunday School Association, and Convenor of the Committee on Sunday Schools and Young People's Societies of the Synod of Hamilton and London. In view of the conditions and needs of today he has expressed himself as particularly interested in the work of religious education.

The call to Rev. Mr. Burgess will be considered by Bruce Presbytery at a special meeting to be held here next Tuesday at 4.30 p. m. If the call is sustained by the Presbytery and translation granted by Chatham Presbytery, we believe that both pastor and people will have good reason to anticipate a happy and fruitful pastorate.

Evader Captured In Swamp

It is reported that a Greenock young man named Letzkus, who has been evading the military authorities for several months, was gathered in at the Greenock swamp by Chief Farrel of Kincardine. Letzkus, it is reported, went into Glamis one day last week to buy some goods at a store, and this led to his arrest.

Medals Won By Bruce Boys

The Medals which were won by the Lions Head platoon, C. Co. 160th Batt'n, as champions, of all Canadians in British Isles, for barbed wiring are on exhibition in Mr. C. Reichenbach's jewelry window. They were brought home from England by Major Moffat and are to be sent to Wiarton in a few days for distribution. This barb-wiring team which was in command of Capt. R. C Rowland, with Lieut. Pettigrew in charge of the team made a great name for itself. The team was used for demonstrating purposes before the forces in England and France.

Walkerton Boy's Big Job



LESLIE L. GRABILL

One of the highest offices in the Canadian railway world has fallen to a native of Walkerton, Leslie L. Grabill. Mr. Grabill who is a comparatively young man, has been appointed General Baggage Agent for the entire Grand Trunk System. Mr. Grabill was born at Walkerton, his father, Mr. John Grabill conducting a waggon shop for many years on Scott St., a short distance east of the Town Hall. He entered the Grand Trunk Service at Montreal in 1897, and had a phenomenal rise from the ranks, having been freight porter, baggage porter, checker, baggage agent and chief clerk in the general baggage department previous to his appointment as assistant general baggage agent nine years ago.

Ladies Can Help

If, in canning their fruit, the ladies of the town will put by a jar or two for the hospital it will be very much appreciated and the Social Committee of the Ladies Hospital Aid will arrange for collecting it in the Fall.

Name Omitted

In the list of the successful ex-students of the Walkerton High School at Stratford Normal, published last week the name of Miss Gertrude Seigner of Carrick was omitted. Miss Seigner was awarded a second class certificate.

To The Mothers

Miss Havill, who will assist the young lady who is sent to train the children, would like every child in Walkerton and the surrounding country to be at the tent on the school grounds at nine o'clock each morning, except Sunday, to take part in the games and contests. A brilliant and moving tableaux will be presented by the children on the last day. Children's tickets from the age of six to fourteen may be had for $1.00 and will admit them to every programme, morning, afternoon and evening the entire week.

NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Civic Holiday, Monday, August 5th.

Miss. Gordon Bell spent the week-end at Cargill.

Mr. John Batte of Detroit is on a visit to his parents here.

Brazil will send an army to Palestine to relieve the British.

Mrs. Jean Griffin of Toronto is visiting her uncle, Mr. J. Scanlan.

Gnr. Misch Hinsperger of Mildmay was a visitor in town last week.

Master Kenneth Bell of Goderich is visiting his aunt, Mrs. H. Williams.

Rev. John Watt, of Allandale, visited his mother, Mrs. James Watt, this week.

Miss Gladys Patterson of Priceville is a guest at the home of Mr. Robert Long.

Mr. Wilfred Ernest left on Monday for Toronto, where he has taken a position.

Mrs. Jacob Loos is spending this week at Palmerston, Drayton and other places.

Dr. Groves of Fergus was here on Thursday in consultation on a couple of cases.

Mr. John Tullock, of Brantford, is visiting his father, Mr. Thos. Tullock, of Brant.

Pte. Steve Crowhurst of London was a visitor at Mr. Henry Williams over the week-end.

Mrs. J. R. Jones and daughter Margaret, left this week to spend a week in Hespeler and Kitchener.

Dr. and Mrs. Lawrence Barrett of Galt are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry McCrum.

Mrs. George Walker and son, Claire, of Toronto, have been visiting old friends in town the past week.

Pte. Oscar Anderson of Kincardine formerly of the 160th Batt'n, spent a few days with friends in town.

Misses Mary Lindsay and Jennie Hyslop are leaving on Monday to spend two weeks' holidays in Toronto.

Herb. Hauck left on Friday for Fort Francis where he has taken a position as operator at the Royal Theatre.

Mr. Ged. W. Spence, of Moosejaw, formerly barrister of Walkerton, is visiting his mother at Southampton.

Mr. J. H. Brick of Kitchener, formerly proprietor of the Walker House, visited old friends in town this week.

Miss M. Halliday went to Toronto last week to join her sister, Miss A. Halliday who has been holidaying in the city.

Misses Ruby and Florence Delavern, of Windsor, formerly of Walkerton, are on a week's visit to friends and relatives here.

W. E. Butler, formerly Manager of Merchants Bank, now of Kitchener, was in town Monday accompanied by his two daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Pickard and Frank and Muriel motored down from Wiarton this week on a visit to Mrs. Pickard's mother, Mrs. Halliday.

Commencing on Aug 8th, the services at the Evangelical church will be held at 7 o'clock (the usual hour instead of eight, as had been the custom for the past couple of months.

Mr. S. A. Rife has purchased a new Ford Car.

Mr. John Korman spent Sunday at the Sauble.

Miss Marie Schwindt is spending this week in Kitchener.

Mr. C. H. Rogers is having a sleeping porch built to his house.

Mrs. Campbell, of Toronto, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Thos. Etsell.

Master Frankie Lake of Durham is visiting with Mrs. Arthur Dean.

Miss Zeta Black, of Clifford, spent Sunday with the Misses McFarlane.

Mr. and Mrs. A. McCartney and family spent Sunday in Southampton.

Miss Mary Fischer of Carlsruhe is visiting her sister Mrs Geo. Benninger.

Mr. Jack Anderson underwent a minor operation on Saturday for eye trouble.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Leslie, of Toronto, are here on a month's visit to the former's parents.

Mr. Oscar J. Dietsche and son, Irving of Buffalo, spent the week-end at Mr. Emil Dietsche's.

Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Grenzenbach and family are on a two weeks' visit to friends at Welland.

Rev. Edgar and Mrs. Todd, of Niagara Falls, are visiting with his mother, Mrs. Archie Todd.

Mr. and Mrs. Wes. Etsell and babe, of Toronto, are on an extended visit to his father, Mr. Thos. Etsell.

Serg. Ted. Wilhelm returned to Guelph on Monday after spending a few days under the parental roof.

Mr. Nelson E. Pletsch and family of Swift Current, Sask. are on a month's visit to his mother, Mrs. Peter Pletsch.

Miss Ramsey, nurse-in-training at the Bruce County Hospital, is spending her vacation at her home at Owen Sound.

Miss Flossie Brislan, of Toronto, accompanied by her friend, Miss Campbell, are holidaying at Mr. James Brislan's.

Staff-Sergt. Russel Hermiston of the R. A. F. training at Deseronto, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hermiston.

The proceeds from the Walkerton Chautauqua goes to the Walkerton Chapter of the Daughters of the Empire for patriotic work.

Mr. and Mrs. John Smith and family, of Otter Creek, motored to London on Saturday to visit their son, Tom, who is in Military Camp there.

Mr. David Hoffarth of Carlsruhe and his sister, Miss Ludwina Hoffarth and Miss Loretta Hoover were visitors at Mr. John Ruetz's on Sunday.

Mr and Mrs. J Mills of Wingham and Mrs. Wilcox of Essex, motored over from Wingham this week and were guests at Dr. Halladay's.

Mrs. Joseph Lindsay returned from Toronto last week where she underwent a serious operation and is again beginning to enjoy good health.

Mrs. W. G. Scott, of Calgary, Alta., and Mrs. A. B. Dowling, of Young, Sask., returned to their homes on Monday after an extended visit with their mother, Mrs. S. W. Vogan.

Mr. Andrew McLean who has been a patient at the County Hospital for several weeks, went to Guelph on Friday, accompanied by his sister, Mrs. T. E. Attwood, to undergo a mastoid operation.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McGregor and family took a motor trip to Blyth, Seaforth and other points in that district last week. Mrs McGregor's niece, Miss Evelyn Knox of Blyth returned to Walkerton with them for a visit.

A party of four, who motored over from Owen Sound on Sunday, were Mr. Vic. Brislan and Miss Robins, who visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Brislan, and Mr. and Mrs. Angus Smith, who were guests at Mr. John Smith's.

As a matter of national and personal thrift we respectfully suggest to the housewives of Walkerton and vicinity to use white flour substitutes. We have a full stock of rye, corn, oat and barley flours. Get your choice at the Central Grocery.—W. G. Searle.

Season tickets admit you to every programme for the entire week and cost you only $2.00. Otherwise each afternoon charge is 50cts. and each evening 75cts. Chances are you will spend the price of a season ticket at the Chautauqua anyway so buy a ticket now. Tickets for sale at McNamara's Telegraph Office and Hunter's Drug Store.

Leader In the Ad. World



J. E. McCONNELL

Mr. J. E. McConnell, an old Walkerton boy, was last week honored with the Presidency of the Canadian Advertising Agencies Association. Mr. McConnell is one of the foremost leaders among the advertising men in Canada and his agency, McConnell & Ferguson of London, has built up one of the largest clienteles on the continent, handling such contracts as the Dominion Government propaganda advertising, Ford Motor Company and other large accounts. Mr. McConnell started as a printer's devil on the Telescope a few years ago and has won success through energy coupled with exceptional ability.

Clancy—Nichol

Mr John Clancy, Grand Trunk train master at Durand Mich. was married at Spokane, Wash on Tuesday, July 23rd, to Miss Nichol, a Chicago young lady. Mr. Clancy is a well-known old Greenock boy and a brother of Mr. R. J. Clancy of Walkerton.

Brant Boy Seriously Wounded

A cablegram received by Mr. Louis Voelzing of Hanover on Monday announced that his son, Wesley, had been seriously wounded by shrapnel on July 13th and was in a hospital in France. Wesley, who enlisted early last year, signing up with the 258th Grey Batt'n and afterwards being transferred to the 35th Toronto Battalion. He had been five months in France. In his last letter he said he was fine and fit, and described how he had visited a farm near the front line and helped a farmer's wife milk a cow and churn, getting in return a coveted glass of sweet milk.

An Ideal Trip

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Clancy and daughters, Agnes and Basila, have arrived home from an enjoyable two weeks' trip to Detroit, Durand, Mich, Toledo, Cleveland, O., and intervening points. The trip from Walkerton to Detroit was covered by motor, going via Goderich, Grand Bend Chatham, and Windsor. This magnificent stretch of country not to be beaten anywhere is at this time of year at its best. The green crops along the way looked splendid and further south in Essex, the tobacco, corn and fruit give promise of an abundant yield. From Detroit they took one of the D & C palatial steamers to Cleveland, O. Mr. Clancy has always liked Detroit but when he saw the wide streets, open squares and great shops of generous proportions in Cleveland he felt he was in a real city. The municipal play-grounds and parks and the net-work of radial railways from town to town were other features that impressed him favourably. Motoring home from Detroit the party varied the route coming by London, Stratford and Clinton. South of London they found the barley and wheat cut and oats ripening. On Monday night they arrived home after having covered a good many hundred miles of the choicest country to be seen anywhere.

BORN

PARDEE—At Smith Falls, on Monday, July 22nd, to Mr. and Mrs. Russell Pardee (nee Miss Winnie Woodman) a daughter.

TSCHIRHARDT—In Walkerton on Friday July 19th, to Mr. and Mrs. Theobald Tschirhardt, a daughter.

SIEGFRID.—At Walkerton on Wednesday, July 17th, to Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Siegfrid, a daughter.

O'HAGAN.—At Chepstow, on Tuesday July 23rd., to Mr. and Mrs. Patrick O'Hagan, a son.

A False Report

An unkind report which has circulated regarding the manner of the death of the late Philip Gress of Carrick, is absolutely erroneous and has served only to cause additional distress to the bereaved family in their hour of sorrow. Mr. Gress was a man of very fine character and his memory will long be venerated in the community where he lived all his life, using his best efforts to advance good citizenship.

Gets Good Appointment

Mr A. D. Lamont B. A., Mathematics Master of the Walkerton High School, has tendered his resignation and has accepted an appointment as head of the Mathematical Dept. on the staff of the London Technical School at a salary of $1600. This is an increase of $400 over his present salary. Mr Lamont is an honor graduate of Queen's University and well qualified in the department of which he has made a specialty. While sorry to lose him as a citizen, his many friends here are glad to see him move a step up the ladder in his profession.

Takes Step Up

Mr. Robert J. Walton, who with his wife and little daughter, has been holidaying at Rev. J. W. Sanderson's, received word last week of his appointment to the Trainmastership of C. P. R. District No 2 with Headquarters at Toronto. Mr. Walton is a comparatively young man who has made rapid progress in railroading. Starting at the foot of the ladder in his native town of Havelock, Ont., he has risen by successive steps within a very few years to his present responsible position. For twelve years he was locomotive engineer, and latterly he has had under his supervision among other duties the railway shops at Havelock where he filled the humble position of call-boy not many years ago.

Home Made Happy

The home of a respected citizen in a nearby town was made happy on Monday, through the efforts of Inspector H. W. Elliott of the Children's Aid Society. A babe had arrived in the home but had died shortly after birth. This was the third time the same thing had happened. Fears were entertained for the recovery of the mother. Through the Children's Aid organization Mr. Elliott, was able to place in the home a fine young babe a few days old which was an embarrassment to its parents and was destined to be neglected. The child took at once to its foster mother and the latter showed improvement and takes great delight in the little one. Again on Tuesday Mr. Elliott went to Palmerston and secured the return of a babe to its mother, a soldier's wife living at Kincardine. The woman had given away her child without knowing where it was going. The babe was returned to her and the mother was given some good advice and persuaded to stay home and look after the child.

Respected Pioneer Gone

An old and respected citizen passed away early Monday morning, July 22nd, in the person of Henry Opperman, in his 82nd year. He had been poorly for some time and for the last ten days had been confined to his bed. Death was due to old age. Mr. Opperman was born in that Province of Hanover, Germany, while the province was under the British Crown and was thus a British subject. As a young man he came to this country, settling in Waterloo County about 60 years ago where he farmed and worked at his trade as a stone mason. Shortly afterwards he removed to Culross where he resided until retiring to Walkerton 12 years ago. Of genial disposition, strict honesty and kind and obliging as a neighbor he was well-thought-of by all who knew him. Besides his wife, who was formerly Miss Rosina Zuber of Waterloo County, he leaves a family of four sons and seven daughters. They are:—Anthony, hotelkeeper of Formosa; Joseph, Charles and Chris. of Toronto; Mrs. Vincent Measmer and Mrs. Andrew Hauss of Kitchener; Mrs. Jacob Hauss, New Germany; Mrs. Harvey White London; Mrs. Ambrose Fedy, Formosa; Mrs. Jos. Friedman, Allan, Sask., and Miss Teresa at home. The funeral which was held on Wednesday morning at the house and at the R. C. Church was largely attended by old neighbors and friends.

LOWER SCHOOL EXAMINATION

The following pupils of the High School were successful at the above examination:—Florence M. Brocklebank, Silvia F. Grenzebach, Hazel M. Irwin, Irene Moore, Jean Norrish, Lorne Wallace, Mary B. Wilson, Bert Thompson.

The following were successful under the Farming Regulations:—Cecil W. Hon, Annie Condy, Selena Brechbiehl, Eleanor Lindsay, Helen Johnston.

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LOCAL G. T. R. TIME TABLE]

Morning train, south bound—7.06 a. m.

Morning train, north bound—11.57 "

Afternoon train, south bound—4.06 p. m.

Night train, north bound—9.25 p.m

TO IRELAND ON LEAVE

You Can't Help Liking the Irish, This Soldier Writes Home—Every Face You See is Built for a Smile

In a letter to his sister, Mrs. Lorne A. Eedy, Corp. Hugh C. Wilson sends a description of a recent visit to the Emerald Isle on leave:—

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Tuesday I arose early and after much haste succeeded in catching the 7.38 train for London. I arrived in London shortly after 9. A. M. and took the "Tube" (underground) to Euston station where I ascertained the times of trains for Holyhead. I learned that the first useful train would leave at 6.40 P. M and so I spent the day getting some good meals. To get a meat meal one must produce a coupon and we are all given sufficient coupons when proceeding on leave. The only way to get a full sized meal is to apparently eat two in two different places. Eat a meat meal first and then hurry to another place and consume one for which a coupon is not required. I had dinner and supper in London near Euston and arrived in the station good and early for my train. I went into the enquiry office and learned that the 9.25 train would suit me quite as well. So I turned back and went to the first performance in the Euston theatre. It is known as a Music Hall or a variety show. The first performer was a clown who came out and told jokes. They were good but for some reason he couldn't get the audience started. I was sitting third from the front. Finally he told one that struck me funny and I haw-hawed in my usual uproarious style. I was the only one that laughed and felt oh very much alone. Imagine my squirmings, then when he leaned over the foot lights and with hand upraised said, "God bless you, my son," quite feelingly. The audience simply roared.

From then on I was a marked man each and every performer who came out searched me out and gave me a good wide smile. I really did enjoy that performance. Leaving the theatre at 9 was just able to crowd myself into a seat on the train and was lucky enough to be between two simply irrepressible Irish Corporals.

I had a magazine but was unable to read much in the merry flow of conversation that proceeded throughout the entire journey. I believe I got a better insight of the Irish question than I could have received any other way during that journey.

The Irish are ambitious for Ireland to make truly a great name for herself but owing to such divided views on the means they have not accomplished anything. The man has to arise who can understand the question fully and proceed wisely enough to give them the best thereby, satisfying the majority of the population.

The last glimmer faded from the sky a little after ten-thirty and we saw the first light of the new dawn at 2.30 a. m. Would you believe it? However it wasn't really light until we got on the boat at a little after four. We moved off at 4.45 and though I wasn't sick on the boat I can't say my spirits were boisterous. In fact my spirits were lying down flat and heavy just below my diaphragm which was continually threatening to spring up suddenly.

The hills of Ireland were visible about 8.30 and we disembarked at 9.30. The solid stable unheaving land felt remarkably good to me and I proceeded to be enhungered.

Leaving the North Wall station I was simply mobbed by a bunch of boys who each and every one desired to lead me to the Soldiers Sailors Club. Being tired I allowed one to guide me and after a good meal I freshened up and took a walk around the main streets of the city. At 11.30 I ate again this time I asked for a man-sized steak and got one.

Coupons are not needed in Ireland and as far as food is concerned it is remarkably good, cheap and plentiful. I buzzed around during the afternoon and after a show at night retired immediately in a little room all by my self at the S. and S. Club that I had engaged for my stay.

I had intended spending my leave in Belfast but owing to the fact that that city was put out of bounds the day I landed in Dublin I was forced to be content to remain there.

There are lots of pretty girls in Ireland and everyoneman, woman or child whom I was fortunate enough to enter into conversation with, treated me like a prince.

The policemen of Dublin are the finest bunch of men I have ever seen. Some must be fully eight feet high. I asked one to direct me he answered, Oi will, would ye be walkin' or roidin' in a thram," I enjoyed getting anybody to talk to me, it can't be beaten, the Irish brogue. It is commonly said that the man from Dublin speaks the best English and with greater correctness than any other British subject and I believe it, for the educated Irish certainly speak great English.

Another thing that struck me warmly is the way they take liberties with you. For instance on the train to Holyhead one of my Corporals calmly went to sleep resting against me. In a picture show a man in front of me rested his elbow and forearm on my knees throughout the show.

I went to Hippodrome one night and an old lady with flowers stopped me and said, "Mishter, Mishter won't you buy a bit flower to kape ye from frettin." Talk about coaxing, they coax you to buy flowers and papers on the street and in the store you feel you must buy something. There is an intangible something nice born in the breast of every Irishman and you can't even feel veexed with the worst of them.

In London the people are all hurrying to and fro with a fixed seriousness on all their faces. In Dublin every face you see is built for a smile. You can't help liking the place, nobody can.

You hear a lot about how dirty the people are and most of it is true but the streets are remarkably free from women of easy virtue.

Speaking of streets, Dublin streets are remarkable. You'd swear it was a modern city they are so wide.

One morning I took a train to Phoenix park and from there took a walk into the country. However so close to the city I could tell no difference in the nature of the place from English Country I have seen.

I intended coming back to London on Friday but both boats were full up and I was only able to leave by the fast mail boat on Saturday morning. The sea was rough but having had a good breakfast I felt fine and though the ship pitched and tossed I could only hang on and laugh at the queer antics of others who were hurled from one side of the boat to the other.

LETTER FROM ENGLAND

Crown Attorney Thomas Dixon had an interesting letter this week from a friend living in the north of England telling of conditions there. We reproduce some portions for our readers:—

We had a very fine month of May but June has been excessively dry and cold with withering winds which is doing much harm to both farm and garden crops. The corn crop has looked well until lately but now they are feeling the want of rain badly. The turnip crop is going to be a failure if we don't get rain soon. We have only had 41 in. so far this month. In this part we require a good deal of rain at this time as the land is light and gravelly. The fruit crops are going to be poor all over England as reported in the papers. We had a grand prospect for apples but the bloom has failed to set from what cause I don't know as the weather was favourable at the time, no frost. Gooseberries, and Black currants are a poor crop, but that does not matter does not matter much as we can get so little sugar to preserve the fruit. Growers of fruit are only allowed 6 lbs for each person in the family for jam making, over and above the weekly allowance, which is half pound each so we cannot save much out of that for jam. I have got several papers from you lately, one Walkerton paper I was surprised to find my letter inserted, I did not expect it would have been of so much interest. I believe the Canadians are getting far through their timber cutting at Chillingham. I don't know where they will go to from here. One of the men that stands on the saw bunch and controls the log met with a bad accident some little time ago. After the log had passed through the saw it did not fall over as it should do, he stretched out his foot to push it off when the saw caught his leg and took a part off, and in falling the saw got him again and cut off a piece more.

We had a thunderstorm here about the latter part of May which destroyed a very fine specimen of what we call Wellingtonia gigantia, or Sequoia as it is named in America. It grew about 150 yards from our house, and was about 70 ft high and its girth was 18 ft 2ft from the ground. I had just come down stairs at half past six in the morning and had heard thunder in the distance, but none near. I was looking out of the window when such a flash and crash all at once which made me jump. I felt sure something had been struck, about 20 feet was broken off and thrown to the ground and the main trunk was rent and split to the ground. It is the first time I have seen the timber of its kind. It is very coarse-grained and soft. We have several very good specimens here but it was the largest. The seed was brought from California I think about 70 years ago and raised in the hothouses here. We had a letter from one of our three nieces who are farming near London and she says they had had two nights of sharp frost. They run a dairy farm and have 40 cows in milk which they deliver to the houses round there.

I think I have nothing more of interest to write so will close with kindest regards to you all.

It is now estimated that the field crops in British Columbia will this year exceed a value of $25,000,000. The major item in the estimate is that of hay and clover, which is given at $10,000,000.

BIT OF FAMILY HISTORY

Recalled By Former Walkerton Man—What Time Has Done since the Battle of Waterloo.

An old Walkerton boy, Mr. H. M. Hefferman of 601 Holden Ave., Detroit tells an interesting bit of family history showing what time has done since the Battle of Waterloo. Mr. Hefferman tells that his grandfather on his mother's side was a German and fought under Blucher, the German general who arrived at Waterloo just in time to turn the tables on Napoleon and win the final Battle and the war for the Duke of Wellington at the very time when Wellington was surrounded by his few remaining soldiers and praying for night or Blucher which caused Napoleon's down fall and also the placing of him on the Island of St. Helena for the remainder of his life and when he died, the great Duke of Wellington in viewing his remains sobbed and cried like a child. Wellington was an Irishman and had an Irish heart and Britain's past great victories have all been won by Irish Leaders. Well so much for the Irish. After the war was over, says Mr. Hefferman, my grandfather went to England and became a British soldier and was stationed for a time in England, then sent to Ireland for a considerable time and there courted and married my grandmother. They were then transferred to the Rock of Gibralter where my mother was born, a place where very few have had the honour of being born—on that famous Rock which is the greatest fortification in the world. My grandmother often spoke of a time when my mother just walking nicely strayed away from the house very quickly and when my grandmother found her she was sound asleep and a regiment of monkeys had her surrounded and were fussing with her hair. Of course monkeys are very numerous on the Rock and no one is allowed to harm them in any way. My grandfather was then sent to Quebec and after a time was discharged and given a hundred acres of bush land about 10 miles from the present City of Ottawa, the Capital of Canada but at that time called Bytown and the farm is still in the family. The Ottawa Valley became the greatest lumbering district in Canada and the bears and wolves were as plentiful as the timber. When it was a common thing to be treed by wolves when coming home on foot with provisions in a bag and sit there till daylight when the wolves would disappear and your wife at home wondering if you were eaten up provisions and all or roosting in a tree. That was when life was worth living! At that time England and Germany fought side by side to conquer France and Napoleon. To-day France and England are fighting side by side with their allies to conquer Germany. Now, writes Mr. Hefferman, the Kaiser is about where Napoleon was—near and yet so far—and wondering where he will end his days and whether at his death his opponents will sob and cry as We.lington did over Napoleon.

OLD BILL'S THANKSGIVING TREAT

"Well, he is this kind of a man," said the livery stable keeper when I asked him about his townsman, Deacon Opdyke: "Last year the deacon had some extra work to do on his farm on the upper road, and I hired out my Old Bill to him. At the end of a month the horse came back in good condition, the deacon paid the price, and everyone concerned was satisfied, including Old Bill I guess. Along about Thanksgiving time the deacon dropped in here and inquired about the horse. Seemed real pleased when I told him Bill was spryer than usual after his summer's work. Asked to see him, but the horse was out on a job. 'Quite a member, of society, that horse is," he said, and went away after inquiring how many horses I had in the stable, boarders and all.

"Thanksgiving morning there wasn't much doing here after the regular chores were done, and we all sat round the office stove, when the deacon's hired man drove up and unloaded a gunny sack full of something. I remember thinking he had borrowed that kind of satisfied smile of the deacon's as he said I would find a note inside the bag, I did; and this as about what it said:

'You will find enough carrots here to give every horse in the stable a good dessert after the regular feed today. Be sure and have them cut fine enough so they won't choke and tell the horses that old Bill is standing treat."

"That's the kind of a man I've found Deacon Opdyke to be," said the liveryman, with what I thought was considerable conviction.

Nursing sisters who have cared for soldiers in France and England declare that it is going to be hard for them to go back to nursing civilians. The soldiers are so patient and cheery, so appreciative of all that is done for them, make light of pain and treat the nurses with so much consideration, that the contrast to the ordinary grumbling and exacting sick civilian is very marked.

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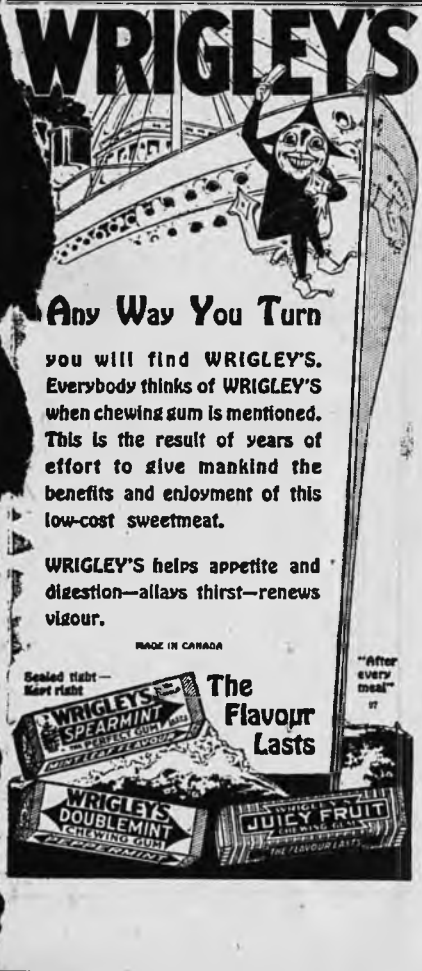
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Scheme for Providing This County With Good Roads As Outlined in Report presented By Chairman Whicher of the Highways Committee.

Everyone is interested in the good roads project. To give our readers a proper idea of what is being accomplished by those in charge of the Bruce County System under the organized efforts to make improvements, we print below an extract from the June County Council proceedings that did not appear in the newspaper report published a couple of weeks ago. This is part of the report made by Reeve Whicher, chairman of the Highways Committee:

I have the honor to present herewith the First Report of the Bruce County Highways Committee. In doing so we are much impressed with the work with which we have been entrusted, fully realizing the greatness of the task to create and bring into operation an organization for the satisfactory care and maintenance of our County Highways. Such a system, with the co-operation and help of Road Supt. Izzard (who has a very extended knowledge of the County), we have endeavored to establish, but without any equipment or road machinery. Owing to the unusual difficulty in getting delivery of such purchases, together with the scarcity of labor, we have not been able to make the progress we desired. However, we are making advancement and hope to soon show increasing progress.

The following is a brief outline of the System we are endeavoring to organize, viz: To establish on or about every seven miles of the System a responsible man, or overseer, fully equipped with road drag, pick and shovel whose duty will be to care for that particular section of the road, dragging it from time to time, and especially early in the spring; to make minor repairs as approved by the Road Superintendent, also reporting to him from time to time other needed work, or machinery required for the needs of the road, such as grader, &c.

With a complete organization of this kind your Committee believe the entire staff of overseers with their helpers could be placed in operation almost simultaneously throughout the County, thereby having the entire System repaired in the course of a few days. This would be very important, as the value of drags and graders largely consists in the work being done at the right time.

Your Committee and Superintendent found it necessary to secure at least a small equipment of road machinery in order to make a start in caring for the System, the chief purchases being a tractor costing $1700; grader, $595, both hitches; some 90 road drags at $12 each; and a Chevrolet car, practically as good as new, at $550. The car we consider exceptional value and of absolute necessity to enable the Superintendent to do his work.

Your Committee, Superintendent and Government Engineer Huber went practically over the whole System, viewing bridges, culverts and needed repairs to the roads and extension of the System as asked for at last session of Council. The work was done with the County car, and a good knowledge of the System obtained at a comparatively small cost.

We also attended, on the invitation of the Deputy Minister of Highways, a meeting of the Good Roads Association at Toronto, and thereby gained further knowledge of the work. Your Committee when in the city, with the courtesy of our member for North Bruce, secured an interview with the Minister of Highways, in which we placed before him the substance of Resolution No. 99 of the January Session, 1918, in which was set forth that the portion of the County Highways north of Wiarton where, on account of there being no railway facilities, it had to sustain an unusual amount of traffic and should therefore be named a Provincial County Highway and thereby be entitled to 60 per cent. for construction and 40 per cent for maintenance instead of 40 per cent and 20 per respectively, as at present. The Minister was impressed with these views and gave us assurance that this would be accepted by the Department as soon as our Council would pass a resolution naming this portion of the road entitled as above stated.

Owing to the unusual severeness of the past winter a considerable expenditure was required to keep the System in passable conditions, and in order to reduce this expenditure we believe the erection of wire fences should be encouraged by bringing the bonus of 25c per rod offered by this Council more into public notice.

Reeve Brown, of Chesley, attended as executive meeting of the Provincial Good Roads Association in Kingston last week. The committee of 12 went in autos to Gananoque, thence by boat to Clayton, N. Y., and motored to Watertown, a distance of 22 miles, in 31 minutes. This famous roadway is the best country road he ever saw.—Chesley Enterprise.

Town and District

It is reported in Chicago that the William Davies Co., packers, of Toronto, will erect a new plant costing $800,000.

So great is the demand for castor oil as a lubricant for aircraft machinery that more than 70,000 acres in the United States has been planted to castor beans.

"Dispose of old hens," is the advice the Uxbridge Journal gives poultry raisers. A word of admonition might be added: "But don't sell them as spring chickens."

A couple were out motoring. She insisted that he allow her to run the car. After some persuasion, he reluctantly acquiesced and his fears were soon realized "Oh, Reuben," the girl cried excitedly "take the wheel, quick! Here comes a ditch."

Mt. Forest has passed a by law requiring all places of business to close at 12.30 p. m. on Friday during July and August, and at 11 p. m. on Saturdays. A fine of from $5 to $50 may be imposed for violation of the by-law. The regulation was passed on recommendation of the Board of Trade.

The military police of No 1 District are kept busy combing the lists of those failing to report under the military service act. Henry Lemar of Formosa was taken down to London after having failed to respond to the call. He claims he was busy and was trying to clear up some work before going.—London Advertiser.

Two small boys who had grown weary of their game, were arguing rather heatedly regarding a new form of amusement. At last one of them was struck with a sudden inspiration, and said to the other:

"I know!" Let's see who can make the ugliest face."

"Gowan!" replied his chum. "What d' yuh mean by it? Look what a start you've got!"

Offering Bonus For Bears

Two bears were trapped near Golden Valley, in Arnabel Tp. last week. Bears have become so numerous there that the Township Council offers a bonus of 10.00 for each bear trapped as the farmers were suffering severely through their flocks of sheep being attacked.

Chesley Takes Trophy

Two games were played here during the past week for the Keystone trophy Cargill were here last Thursday but the local rink won out, being eight shots up on the game. A Chesley rink was here on Monday and they had better luck, taking the trophy home with them. The game was a tie with two ends to go, but in the next end with a lucky trail of the "cat" Chesley counted 4, and this proved too much for the local rink to overcome in the last end.—Southampton Beacon.

A Bad Accident

Mr. John T. Rettinger of Formosa sustained a heavy loss through an accident which occurred on his farm on Monday evening of last week. He was engaged in cutting hay, and in going down a hill the catch on the tongue of the mower broke off, allowing the tongue to slip through the ring of the neck yoke. The machine ran up on the horses and one of the animals, a good mare, became entangled in the knives of the mower. In the terrible struggle which followed one of the animal's hind legs was completely severed, and the other was terribly lacerated. As there was no possible chance of the animal's recovery, Mr. Rettinger mercifully put an end to her life by shooting her.

Gas At Hepworth

Drilling operations for gas at Hepworth have been successful and last week a splendid flow with a pressure of about 450 lbs. on the six inch well was struck at a depth of 1416 feet. Other wells will be sunk this summer. There was quite a supply of gas struck at Hepworth several years ago but fuel was so cheap then that no effort was made to sink enough wells to make the supply profitable by carrying it to other centres by pipe lines. Now that coal and wood have become scarce and expensive the prospects of a plentiful supply of gas at Hepworth will be of great interest not only to citizens of Hepworth, but of Wiarton, Shallow Lake, Owen Sound, Tara and other neighboring towns.

A Lively Runaway

Mrs Brick, of Greenock, whose husband is employed on Senator Donnelly's farm, had a miraculous escape from serious injury or death while driving into Paisley on Saturday afternoon. She was coming up the hill at the railway bridge when overtaken by a runaway team which collided with her buggy and made a total wreck of the rig, while she had part of her clothing torn off in the mishap. The team was owned by Mr. John Robinson, of 7th Elderslie, who had left them at Mr. D. Dunlop's gate while he went inside to get some bee boxes. Following the collision all three horses galloped down Inkerman St., and were caught near the fair grounds, none the worse of their flight. Mr. Robinson has, we understand, agreed to pay $40 for damage to the rig driven by Mrs. Brick.—Paisley Advocate.

Culross Tp. Council

Town Hall Teeswater July 15th

Council met as per motoin of adjournment of last meeting. Members all present. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved

McPherson—Thompson That the Reeve examine the sideroad between lots 10 and 11 Con. 14, and have the same repaired if he sees fit—Carried.

McPherson—Keffee That we accept the tender of the Good Roads Machinery Company Coderich, Ont. for the improved Steel Champion Road Grader also No 4 Champion Road Grader also No 5, Champion rooter plough for the sum of $317.25 delivered in Teeswater The same to give satisfaction to the Council or be returned to the company at their expense.—Carried

McPherson—Armstrong That they examine the hill on Con 1 at lots 30 and 31, also sideroad 30 and have the same repaired as there has been complaint made.—Carried

Reeve's Report

Report of Reeve re the Bell and Sittler drain. This is to certify that I have examined the Bell and Sittler drain and also the drain running through Robt Bell's, Nixon Melvin's and Hy Huffman's. I found the branch drain working satisfactory. But I would recommend that the main ditch be deepend about one foot for a distance of say 40 rods west of the gravel road and cleaned out east of the gravel road as far as the inspector considers it necessary. I would recommend that an open ditch be made on west side of the gravel road from the main ditch to a culvert crossing the road some distance from the main ditch.

All of which is respectfully submitted
Wm. Case Reeve.

Armstrong—Thompson That the report of the Reeve re the Bell and Sittler drain be adopted and we appoint the Reeve to arrange to have the same done as soon as the water is low enough to permit.—Carried

The Finance report was read and adopted. The Council then adjourned to meet again on Monday Aug 12.

Chas. Button,
Clerk.

Thos Brown contract graveling	12.52
Jno Burchell 90 yds gravel and road	10.00
Peter Murray inspecting contract	2.00
Dan Kennedy man and team on grader 1½ days	7.50
Geo Richard on man and team on grader 1½ days	7.50
Math Haldenby inspecting contract gravelling	9.00
Thos Fallon 207 yds gravel at 10 cts per yd	20.70
Fred Thompson contract gravelling Kinloss B ½ share	153.00
Wm Bannerman contract of bridge	170.00
Alex Thompson graveling inspecting	17.00
Wm Bannerman putting in culvert rep road	12.00
Jos Murray operating grader and repairs	40.50
Jno O'Malley bal on contract 5th sideline	62.96
Jas. Whiteman 18 yds gravel and road	2.80
Theo Collison contract graveling	200.00
Ken McKenzie man and team 1½ days on Grader	7.50
Dun McGregor man and team 1½ days on grader	7.50
Jno Caslick man and team 1½ days on grader	7.50
Frk McCormack man and team 1½ days on grader	7.50
Earl Caslick man and team 1½ days on grader and repairs	7.75
Jno Downing man and team 1 days on grader	5.00
Alex McDonald 67yds gravel and road	7.70
Alex McDonald man and team on grader 1½ days	7.50
Harry Perkens 10 yds gravel	1.00
Robt Colvin operating grader man and team 2 days	35.50
Earl Caslick 50 yds gravel and road and grader tongue	7.40
Geo Schetzel 193 yds gravel	19.30
Jas Thompson man and team 2 days on grader	10.00
McKinnon Bros contract graveling	111.28
Ed King rep hill and cutting bush	24.50
Dan McTavish rep bridge Con 10	15.00
Henry Huffman 1 sheep killed by dogs	15.00
Jno Rettinger 44 yds. gravel	4.40
Joe Kuntz contract on 5th sideroad con 12	60.50
Jos Trautzman 91 yds gravel and road	20.10
Mich Keffer 82 yds gravel	8.20
Mich Keffer 121 yds gravel	12.10
Sawyer and Massey Co Tile mould	25.73
Chas Button express on Tile moulds	1.80
Lawrence Smith 1 day spreading gravel	1.00
Wm Henderson 2 cedar sleepers 18 ft long	8.00

Common Sense

A young man trying for a job on the New York police force was asked the following question:

"A man buys an article for $11.25 and sells it for $9.75; does he gain or lose by the transaction?"

After pondering over the question, he replied: "He gains on the cents, but loses on the dollars."

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WHERE conditions are suitable for an hydraulic ram it is without question the cheapest and most satisfactory method of pumping water. It has one drawback—it wastes fast more water than it pumps to the buildings, and hence can only be installed where the supply is from five to twenty times as great as required at the buildings. The efficiency of the ram is from 65 to 90 per cent., i.e., it uses 65 to 90 per cent. of the energy of the falling water. Suppose the spring supplies 10 gallons per minute and the fall from the spring to the ram is five feet. Multiply these together and then take 65 per cent. of the product, and we have the energy available for driving water to the buildings.

Energy in this case 65-100 x 10 x 5 foot-gallons—32.5 foot-gallons. Now divide this by the height of the buildings above the ram and we have the number of gallons the ram will deliver per minute at the buildings. If, for example, the height is 32.5 feet then

Number of gallons per minute—32.5 divided by 32.5—1 gallon, which is 1-10 of the water supplied by the supposed spring.

Number of gallons per day—60 x 24 —1,400 gallons (about 29 barrels). Consequently with five feet of head and 32.5 feet of lift the ram will deliver at the buildings 1-10 of the water in the spring. The quantity that will be delivered with other heads, lifts and spring-flows may be calculated in a similar way.

Generally speaking it is found that for each 10 feet of lift there should be one foot of head, but there is a limit—it is seldom advisable to install rams where the head is less than say two feet, although they have been known to work with as little as 18 inches. The length of drive pipe should not be less than three-quarters of the vertical lift to the buildings, nor less than five times the fall from the spring to the ram. It may however, be longer, but seldom exceeds 50 feet, and 75 feet might be taken as an extreme length for sizes of ram suitable for farm conditions. If too long a drive pipe be used, the extra friction in it prevents the water from striking as heavily or as frequently as with a drive pipe just the right length.

The cost of installing a ram is not great. For the smallest size of ram it will run in the neighborhood of $35 to $35 and about $15 extra for each hundred feet between the spring and the ram. Thus if they were 100 feet apart the total cost would be from $40 to $50, but if 200 feet then from $55 to $65, and other distances in proportion. The largest size of standard ram can be installed at about $100 if the ram and pump are 100 feet apart, and $125 if 200 feet apart.—R. R. Graham, B.S.A., O. A. College, Guelph.

Tuberculosis In Cattle.

One reason why farmers should bare their cattle tested for tuberculosis is the financial loss which they suffer by having tubercular animals in their herds. As the disease is at first slow in development and does not induce sudden death, like anthrax, black leg or hog cholera, the farmer does not realise the loss that he endures by having tuberculosis in his herd until one or more animals develop the disease in an advanced degree and die or are slaughtered, when they are at once seen to be rotten with the disease. Such animals will have had the disease a long time without it being suspected and will have been giving off in their milk, saliva and droppings, large numbers of tuberculosis bacilli. In this way the bacilli are spread around, the food, water and atmosphere in the stable get contaminated with them and other members of the herd contract the disease from these contaminated materials.

The tuberculin test will indicate whether or not an animal is tubercular long before any clinical symptoms are visible, thus enabling one to deal with such an animal before it becomes a dangerous spreader of the disease.

When an animal is shown to be tubercular it should not be allowed to mix with the rest of the herd. When cattle are purchased to add to the herd it should be only when subject to the tuberculin test, as cattle may have every visible indication of good health and yet be tubercular, the disease not yet having developed to an advanced degree.

It is therefore strongly recommended that farmers

1st. Have their herds tested for tuberculosis with the tuberculin test.

2nd. That they slaughter the animals that have the disease in an advanced degree.

3rd. That they separate the cattle that react to the test from those which do not react.

4th. That they remove the calves from tubercular mothers as soon as dropped, and feed them on milk from healthy cows or on their mother's milk after it has been properly pasteurized, i.e., after it has been heated to 145 deg. F. for half an hour.

5th. That they apply the tuberculin test to every new purchase of cattle that are to be placed in the clean herd.

6th. That the herd be tested with tuberculin annually.

Obtaining Tuberculin for the Test.

The manufacture and supply of tuberculin is kept under the Dominion Government control. It is required that a veterinarian be employed by the farmer to make the test.—Prof Dan. H. Jones, Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph

TELESCOPE LETTER BOX

MAJOR MOFFAT RECEPTION

Editor Telescope

Dear Sir:—

At a Reception given in honor of two or three returned soldiers held in the Town Hall on Thursday evening last, a message was flashed over the foot-lights asking to have the proceedings delayed as Major Moffat would arrive on the evening train, which he did and was escorted to the platform amid some scattered applause. Then he was made the recipient of the usual ten dollars as a recognition of services rendered in defence of King and Country. At this juncture some men who had sons in France left the Hall in disgust.

Then Maj. Moffat went on to explain why he was here at this time. The first reason was that his wife was at death's door, an acknowledgment pure and simple that winning the war was a secondary consideration with him. The second reason that he had come in the interests of the boys of the 160th pertaining to a land settlement scheme such as establishing colonies up in New Ontario or in the West or in any place of isolation.

Now such a scheme is not at all feasible. All our boys will not want to farm and those who do let me say that the farms of Bruce are none to good for them. Then there will be others who will want to take up other callings in life. They too must get assistance. However, be that as it may, we in Bruce will take no advice in this matter whatever from Major Moffat, who has been a great disappointment to the people of this county. It was he who went from platform to platform telling appreciative audiences that he would stick to the boys through thick and thin and that he would never stop until they marched side by side through the streets of Berlin.

It was he too, that pointed out many young men in this vicinity as being yellow. Many of these same young men are to-day in France.

Since December 1915, Major Moffatt has cost this country in the neighborhood of twelve thousand dollars and what have they to show for this vast sum.

Now, may I suggest that the reception committee of Walkerton be a little more guarded in dealing out the Preparedness League money in such loose fashion as in the case of Major Moffat.

Frank Rennie

Walkerton, July 22rd.

CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY

Editor Telescope

Dear Sir:—

Will you kindly allow us space for reply to the letter in your last issue criticising the action of The Children's Aid Society. The Board came to the conclusion a long time ago that a younger, and more active man was required to fill the position Mr. Elliott now fills, than the former occupant, and tried for months through Mr. Kelso of Toronto, and others, to secure a suitable person. At last Mr. Kelso recommended Mr. Elliott, and the board after making inquiries, and satisfying itself that he would likely be a suitable man, engaged him.

A person having previous experience is required, as the whole County, which is a large one, required organizing, which had never been properly done, and this experience we learned Mr. Elliott had.

We pay Mr. Elliott $75.00 per month and the Government pays him $40.00 per month, so he is not costing the County $1500.00 per year.

The Society before engaging Mr. Elliott, would have been glad to have secured a returned soldier having the necessary qualifications, and may still engage such so if the writer knows of such, we will be glad to learn his name.

As to the purchase of an automobile, Mr. Elliott had to go, and still has to go over the whole County. He may be called away at any time to inquire into a reported case or take possession of one or more children, and bring them to Walkerton, and it was thought that it would be more economical to purchase an automobile than to hire conveyances. The Society tried to purchase a second hand machine, but finally decided to buy the one they did and it is the intention to sell it as soon as Mr. Elliott shall have completed the work of organization, in which he is now engaged.

Permit us to add that the Committee is composed of busy men and women, who devote a great deal of time and work to the discharge of their duties which often require the solving of difficult questions and do their best to provide for the children who require their care.

Children's Aid Board.

The Call To Knox Church

Bruce Presbytery will hold a special meeting on Tuesday, July 30th to deal with the call to the pastorate of Knox Church, Walkerton, to Rev. W. H. Burgess B. A. of St. Pauls Church, near Chatham.

RETURNED SOLDIERS

Given Public Reception At Town Hall —Major A. McLean Moffat Arrives on Late Train and Addresses The Meeting

A large number of the people of Walkerton assembled in the Town Hall on Thursday evening to do honour to three more of our soldiers who have returned from service overseas. Mr. L. C. Benton acted as chairman and Rev. R. Perdue presented each of the three, Captain Farquhar Shaw, Ptes. Arthur Farrer and Charles Bryce the address given by the Bruce Preparedness League in recognition of their valour and services. Pte. Charlie Bryce was the first of the soldiers to speak. He said nothing of himself, but took the opportunity of thanking the ladies of Walkerton for their kindness in sending parcels. Pte. Arthur Farrer followed with a few remarks of a similar nature. It was felt that there, was much that both boys might have said about their experiences in France, but both showed the reticence which we have come to regard as characteristic of the men "over there" who have really done and suffered.

Captain Shaw disclaimed any right to be called a hero as he said he had been only ten weeks in France.

Like the Walrus he talked "of many things" and his quoting of a verse of that old rhyme brought a smile to many faces. Captain Shaw kept the audience in smiling good humour throughout his entire speech. His suggestions as to what it is worth while to send in parcels to the soldiers will be followed by many. In a very few words he told something of the history of the Bruce Battalion since it has been broken up into separate units.

Jean Norrish gave a reading which aroused a good deal of laughter and added to the enjoyment of the occasion. An orchestra of three members also furnished a number.

To the surprise of a great many present Major Moffat arrived before the evening was over. The Major received a good reception. He spoke of his disappointment at not being accepted for service in France and mentioned a number of the officers of the 160th who are making good in various capacities. He lauded the Bruce Battalion and assured the people of Walkerton that in England Bruce is the best advertised county of Ontario. His regret at leaving the boys of his battalion, he said, was very keen and he was resolved to do all he could to make the boys who are returning sure of a good job. Major Moffat announced that he has been accepted as a major in the United States Army.

The meeting was dismissed after the singing of the National Anthem and a prayer by Rev. J. W. Sanderson.

Killed By Steer

Joseph Meyer, a former Walkerton butcher, met his death at Kitchener a few days ago. Meyer was in the act of killing a steer at the slaughter house when the animal drove his horn into his chest, inflicting fatal injury.

Land For Bruce Soldiers

The Bruce Preparedness League has lately been in communication with the Dominion Government and various Provincial governments with a view to having land set aside for Bruce County soldiers returning from the Front. Sec. McNab has already had very favorable replies from some of the officials written to. On Friday the Executive of the League met Major A. M. Moffat in regard to his proposed scheme to form a community settlement of Bruce boys at the conclusion of the war, possibly at some point in Nothern Ontario or the Canadian West. The Executive passed a resolution asking the government to send an official to the Canadian West in company with Major Moffat to spy out lands, and suggesting that the expense be met by the government. The same suggestion was made to the Provincial Government re Northern Ontario. Major Moffat recently turned over to the Bruce Preparedness League as a depositary the chattles of the 160th Batt'n on being disbanded, also a cheque for some $1500, funds left over and an itemized statement of same. The League in accepting the same, passed a resolution of thanks to Major Moffat.

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NEWS ABOUT TOWN

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Local news on all eight pages.

Miss Selwood spent Monday at Toronto.

Mr. Clark Wallace went to Paris Thursday.

Tiverton has three blacksmith shops but no blacksmith.

Mrs. T. O. Scott of Hamilton is the guest of Miss Shaw.

Try the Telescope for tarty job printing at right prices.

Little Miss Mary McGregor is holidaying with friends at Blyth.

Miss Ethel Lindsay is expected home from Toronto today on holidays.

Mr. Thomas Somerville of Cargill visited friends in town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McGregor visited friends at Pinkerton the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ransebottom spent the week-end with relatives at Teeswater.

Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Schwindt are leaving on Friday on a fishing trip to Stokes Bay.

Miss Maud Williams of Winnipeg is visiting Miss Grainger and other old friends in town.

Mrs. Jacob Loos is visiting at the home of Mr. Otto Loos, G. T. R. engineer at Palmerston.

Miss Verna Skelton left on Thursday to join Mr. McGillivary Knowle's sketching party at Elora.

Mr. Harvey Craig of Hamilton, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Craig.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Bean returned on Tuesday from Powassan, where they spent the past two weeks.

Miss Margaret Cartwright of Rochester, N. Y. is spending this week with Miss Ethel Pettepiace.

Mr. Jack Berry of Moosejaw, one time graduate of Walkerton High School, is east on a visit to his parents at Mildmay.

Mrs. Helm and little Miss Katherine Giles of Toronto, who have been visiting at Mr. Arthur Lee's returned home on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gowanlock and Mrs. Levi Welch motored to Durham on Sunday and spent the day with friends there.

Mrs. John Kuntz and daughters, Irene, Melinda and Hilda, and son, Harry, of Kitchener, formerly of Walkerton, motored here on Friday and spent a few days visiting friends and relatives in town.

Mr. Scheuer, the well known jeweller of Toronto, came up on Tuesday to see his old friend, Mr. C. A. Fox, who is now able to see an occasional visitor for the first time.

Paul Jones had the misfortune to to fall in the flume while working at Truax's dam and hurt his leg against the side of the flume one day lately. His ankle was rather badly injured and the front of his leg bruised.

Miss Aileen Craig is holidaying at Hamilton.

Miss Sadie Queen is visiting friends at Buffalo, N. Y.

Mrs. Robert Wilson is visiting her daughters at North Bay.

Mrs (Dr.) C. L. Grant and babe returned last week from Durham.

Mrs. Wm. Mortimer and daughter are visiting relatives in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Bremner and Miss Sadie are holidaying at London.

Mrs. David Dewar of Hamilton is a guest at Mr. David Robertson's.

Miss Will. Bruder of New Hamburg is visiting her friend Miss Jo. Yaeck.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Mossack and friends motored to Hanover on Sunday.

Mrs. McKinnon of Detroit is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Thos. Cunningham.

Mr. David Robertson K. C. is up in the Peninsula for a couple of days' fishing this week.

Mr. Norman Hiscox, travelling auditor of the C.P.R. visited old friends in town Tuesday.

A Mission Band has been organized at the Methodist Church, with Miss S. Watts as leader.

Miss Blue, of the Bell Telephone staff, Paisley, is holidaying with her friend, Miss Annie Crawford.

Walkerton has had no Toronto Dailies by mail since Monday noon owing to the Postmen's strike at Toronto.

Mr. Albert Ball, youngest brother of Mr. R. J. Ball M. P., of Hanover has been seriously ill with pleuro-pneumonia but is now on the mend.

Elmer Wendorff, a fifteen year old lad of Hanover, was operated upon for a serious case of appendicitis at the Bruce County Hospital on Sunday. He is doing very nicely.

Rev. A. M. Currie, of Toronto, will occupy the pulpit at Knox Church next Sunday. He is a brother of Rev. L. H. Currie, who preached two weeks ago.

Mrs. Jos. Keelar of Belleville, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Ernest, went to Toronto on Monday to visit friends, before returning home.

Mr. Joseph Cunningham, Glamis highly esteemed postmaster, who has been here the past two weeks taking treatment for a serious ailment, is making very good progress from day to day.

Reviving Baseball

The old baseball craze seems to be hitting Walkerton again. No less than three games were pulled off at the Fair grounds the past week. On Saturday the Juvenile had a contest with Hanover, proving winners by 12-11. On Monday night the Rattan and Holbin factory nines got busy and gave a pretty good exhibition, the read-work ers winning by 9-5. Again on Tuesday night the Wild-bees and Used-to-Was's went at it. The result is reported in another column.

BAKINGTO-DAY ?

Did you ever hear the ladies say:- "I am so tired. I baked bread today." We would like to suggest that you buy your bread from us during the summer. You will not only save your strength and health but will save the much needed fuel for next winter's supply.

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HIS SILVER JUBILEE

Very Rev. Dean O'Malley Is Youngest Brother of Mr. John O'Malley of Walkerton and Well-known Here

Very Rev. Dean O'Malley, brother of Mr. John O'Malley, Walkerton, who was recently honored by priests and people at Barrie on the occasion of his Silver Jubilee Anniversary of his ordination into the priesthood, is well remembered by many old friends here from visits paid to Walkerton in his younger days. Father O'Malley is a man of wide culture, standing high among Canadian writers of verse and also a Shakespearean student of note. The following report of the Jubilee is taken from a Toronto paper:—The pontifical high mass was celebrated by the Dean in the presence of the largest congregation in the Barrie Church since its opening. He was assisted by Rev. Dr. Barcelo, of Midland, as a deacon, and Rev. Father J. C. Carberry, of Orillia, as sub-deacon. Father Brunelle of Penetanguishene, was master of ceremonies. The sermon was preached by the Very Rev. Dean Harris, Toronto. The celebrated Dean O'Malley was the recipient of many gifts from members of the congregation. The address on behalf of the priests, was read by Rev. Dr. O'Leary, of Toronto. Very Rev. Dean O'Malley was educated and ordained for the priesthood in Montreal, and during his priestly life has served the spiritual wants of the faithful in St. Paul's, St. Michael's Cathedral, Uxbridge, Oshawa, and St. Catherines; in addition to this he was seven years assistant to the late Very Rev. Mgr. McCann at St. Mary's Church Bathurst street, Toronto, and was with the distinguished prelate at his death. From Toronto he was given charge of the parish at Barrie.

Mrs. T. Fye who underwent a operation at the Bruce County Hospital last week, has been making fine progress and is now back home again.

Levi Wilkin, who reported for duty at London last week, has returned to town, having been placed in Category E. where he was before.

Given Send-off

The Brant Preparedness League gave a public send-off on Sunday night to Pte. Farr, son of Mr. James Farr, Durham Road, who was home on last leave. A nice address accompanied by a gold piece was presented to him.

Little Girl Hurt

The little three year old daughter of Mr. Frank Wilhelm, of Brant, was kicked by a bull while running through the stable one evening lately. The blow from the animal's hoof did not hurt her seriously but in falling backwards her head struck a sharp edge of the cement flooring, inflicting a severe gash at the back of her head.

Both Exempted

The cases of John A. McKinnon, liveryman, and J. J. Ernst, farmer, were heard by the Military Tribunal here on Thursday morning. Messrs Frank Rennie and Robt. Russell sat and Mr. W. J. McNally appeared as Public Representative. Exemption was granted in both cases.

A Tie Score

A real live baseball contest was pulled off at the Fair Grounds Tuesday night between the Wild-bees and the Has Beens. Ten innings were played without reaching a decision, the final score being 7—7. The teams were as follows:—Wild-bees, N. Wilton c., A. McCartney p., F. Sherrer 1 b., A. Farrer 2 b., N. O'Malley s. s., F. Moore 3 b., D. Rogers l. f., C. Tovell c. f., G. Hibbert r. f. Has Beens, Wes Russell c., G. Henderson p., W. Smith 1 b., F. Spieran 2 b., A. Yaeck s. s., W. Mullin 3 b., R. Wesley l. f., A. McCartney c. f., Lou Rankin r. f. Umpire, Gillespie.

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LIVE NEWS OF NEIGHBORING VILLAGES AND COUNTRYSIDE

:-: Happenings of the Week Collected for the Readers of The Telescope by a Staff of Wideawake Correspondents :-:

PINKERTON

The three pupils, Alberta Pinkerton, Gladys Gale and Arthur Donnelly, who tried the Entrance Examinations, were all successful. We extend our congratulations to them and their teacher, Miss Diehl of Paisley, who, we are sorry to report, has resigned as teacher here.

Among those who have secured new cars in the last few weeks are, Harvey Garland, John Mutrie, Tom Houston, Wm. Garland and Jas. Keyes.

Miss Mary McKee, of [Stratford, is spending her holidays at her home here.

Ptes. Harry Mutrie and Melville Reid returned from London last week as they were granted leave of absence until called on.

Pte. Elmer Reid spent Sunday at his home here.

We extend our congratulations to Miss Aileen Pinkerton, who was successful in passing her Normal examinations.

Miss Jennie McMillan and her cousin, Mrs. McKay of Toronto, are visiting the former's sister, Mrs. Adam Reid.

Lieut. Harold Pinkerton of Toronto is spending a few days at his home here.

NARVA

Mrs. Geo. Fletcher returned home last week from Markham where she has been undergoing treatment.

Mr. John and Miss Dolly Bell motored to Harriston on Sunday [with Mr. and Mrs. W. Elplen.

Mr. Willie Keyes made a business trip to Chesley last Saturday.

Nat. Fitzimmons returned home last week on a two week's furlow after a year and a half in the British Navy.

MILDMAY

Miss Mary Uhrig, teacher of S. S. S. No. 1 Carrick, is attending the five weeks summer School at the O. A. C. Guelph this year.

Messrs E. Kalbfleisch, Chas. Buhlman, David Eidt and Frank Ruetz motored to London last Friday and returned the same evening with 3 new cars.

Messrs John Waach and Charlie Nichol took unto themselves new Fords this week.

Mr. H. W. Elliott, Children's Aid agent of Walkerton, conducted the services in the Methodist church last Sunday, both morning and evening.

A large number of the young people of the Evangelical church attended the Y. P. A. Rally at Alsfeldt last Sunday evening.

Mr. John (Yankee) Keelan of Pipestone, Man., is home and will spend sometime with his parents here.

Dr. and Mrs. Huck, Miss Ruby Spencer and Miss Margaret Stewart and Master Brooks Hogate made a trip to Eugenia Falls last Sunday by auto.

The funeral of the late Philip Gress took place last Friday to the Evangelical cemetery, the sermon being preached in the Evangelical church by Rev. Grenzenbach and Rev. Becker. We extend our sincerest sympathy to the bereaved wife and family.

Misses Rose Helwig and Pearl Fink visited friends in Ayton on Sunday.

CARGILL

A three year old child here narrowly escaped death by poisoning through eating poisonous blue flowers while at play. Fortunately a member of the nursing profession happened to be on a visit to her home at the time, and when the little girl showed symptoms of poisoning, the nurse promptly administered an antidote, which resulted in saving the life of the child. The little girl was fast becoming paralyzed and on the verge of convulsions before the antidote had taken effect.

HANOVER

The marriage of two popular young citizens of this town was solemnized on Tuesday evening of last week at the home of Mr. James Maycock when Miss Irene was united in marriage to Mr. J. A. McDonald, C. P. R. agent. The young couple were unattended. The bride looked pretty in a becoming suit of grey silk taffetta. Rev. W. I. McLean officiated. Mr. and Mrs. McDonald left by C. P. R. for a trip to Port McNichol, Port Arthur and Regina after which they will reside in town.

Capt. Frank Adams, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Adams of Hanover, who is on the medical staff of the Military Hospital at Shorncliffe, England, has been taking a post graduate course "on the side." Word was received this week that he had secured his M. R. C. P. (Licentiate Royal College of Physicians of London, England), and M. R. C. S. (Member of Royal College of Surgeons) of London. This is certainly very creditable to Frank and his many friends here will join in extending congratulations.

Mr. J. C. Huether, manager of the Crystal Spring Creamery, Neustadt has purchased Mr. Herman Gruetzner's fine residence property in town and will take possession in the fall.

Mr. Hilbert Clarke was operated upon at the Walkerton Hospital last week for the trouble he has had in his left knee for the past couple of years. The operation was performed by Dr. Hall. Hilbert's many friends will be pleased to know that the operation was successful and his complete recovery is looked for.

CULROSS CENTER

Mrs. William Dore of Wingham visited her sister, Mrs. James Grant on Friday.

Miss Saphia Parker of Wingham Business College who has just graduated, is spending a couple of weeks at home before taking a position.

Master Donald Grant of Teeswater is spending the holidays at John Donaldson's.

Mrs. Gillies Haines and little son, Carman, of Dungannon are visiting at the home of Samuel Parker s.

Mrs. Duncan Grant spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. Robt. Grant

Mr. and Mrs. William Smith and little son of Toronto are visiting in our burg.

Mr. and Mrs. John Donaldson and Miss Edna motored to Kincardine and spent a very enjoyable day at the lake last Monday.

GLAMIS

Mr. and Mrs. Scaby and Mrs. Vera McLeish have been visiting at Mrs. Campbell's, and Mrs. K. McLennan's.

Miss Helen Oliver is home from New York on her summer vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stevenson of Detroit, Mich., spent the past week with his parents here.

Miss Emma Kirkpatrick, Nurse in training at Toledo, Ohio, spent a week under the parental roof.

Miss Bessie Mallough of Teeswater is visiting relatives here.

Mr. Wm. Cunningham of Allaston is visiting at the home of his brother, J. Cunningham.

Mr. Dan McInnis has returned to Seattle, Wash.

Mrs. J. C. Macintyre, and granddaughter, Miss Helen Oliver, are camping at Inver Huron.

Mrs George Fletcher who was taking special treatment at Markham for the past month, returned home on Saturday. We hope for her steady improvement.

Mr. Stephen Stevenson spent the latter end of the week in London.

Mr. Alex and Miss Rubena McFadyen of Toronto were holiday visitors here.

Miss Kate Keane of Hamilton is visiting her sister Mrs. George Fletcher.

The school and Mission Band picnic was held last week. The scholars presented their teacher Miss McKinnon with a set of Books.

Mr. Lanchie N. McLean accompanied his brother Angus to Guelph last week where the latter underwent operation for appendicitis We are pleased to report he is doing nicely and his many friends wish for his speedy recovery.

Mrs. James Brown of Paisley spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stevenson.

Mrs. Joseph Wrightson and Mrs. Russell served a Red Cross Tea in the hall on Thursday.

OTTER CREEK

Among the friends from a distance who attended the funeral of the late Philip Gress are; Mrs. John O. Miller, Buffalo, Mr. Geo. Myers, Brantford, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ziegler, Kitchener and Mr. and Mrs. Con. Miller, of Clifford, Mr. and Mrs. Con. Damm and Miss Alma and Mr. Ezra Damm of Alsfeld

We are glad to report that the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hossfeld who has been suffering from pneumonia is gradually improving

Mr. and and Mrs. Henry Dippel left for Listowel to see their daughter.

Mrs. Nelson Yost and infant son are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dippel.

DEATH OF PHILIP GRESS

(contributed)

Our sympathy went out to the family of Mr. Philip Gress when we learned of his departure to the World Beyond on July 17th in his 58th year. His health had been failing for some time and on Sunday July 7th while sitting with some of his family he took a chill which settled in his kidneys and liver causing acute congestion of these organs. In spite of all the Doctor and kind nurse could do he passed peacefully away. Mr. Gress was born at Cedar Creek near Galt, Ontario, and when a boy of 14 years of age he came to Carrick with others of the family and they settled on the farm at Otter Creek where he resided until his death. In the year 1890 he was united in marriage to Annie Miller. He was a man of sterling character seeking the welfare of others and ever ready to do that which he believed to be his duty. He was well liked by his neighbors for they found him honest in all his dealings with them. He was a strong temperance worker and took an active part in Sunday School and Young People's Association work of the Evangelical Church of which he was a member. He was also one of the leaders in the Carrick Bible Study Union for eleven years.

He leaves to mourn his loss a sorrowing wife, two sons, Wilfrid and Alton, seven daughters, Mrs. Wm. Klein, Mrs] Emerson Schumacher and Edna of Mildmay, Lillian of Buffalo, Nettie, Pearl and Verna at home, also one brother and three sisters.

The funeral took place to the Mildmay cemetery on Friday after noon July 19th where his favorite hymn "The home of the soul" was sung by the choir. The service which was held in the Mildmay Evangelical church was addressed in the German language by Rev. J. H. Grenzenbach of Walkerton. His text being taken from Isaiah 66 Chap. 13th verse, and in English by Rev. E. D. Becker of Mildmay his text was taken from the same verse Isaiah 66 Chap 13th verse.

The large number of friends and neighbors who gathered to pay their last respects to the departed go to show how greatly he will be missed by all. We extend our sympathy to the family who have lost a faithful and loving father who has gone on before.

Though we may mourn
Those in life the dearest
They shall return
Christ when thou appearest.

Have You, Mr. Business Man?

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Oh, Mary took some lamb to school
Which teacher sent away,
Observing, "Let us mind the rules
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A widow in Toronto having eight children dependent on her for support, has been denied a pension by the board. It is admitted that the soldier husband of this woman was gassed in France, after which he had been unable to do anything, so that he procured an honorable discharge from the army. Unfortunately he died while in civil life. Consequently she is denied a pension. Had he been an officer and wealthy, he might have got a pension worth while, though he never saw France. A pension board ought to have a reasonable allowance of common sense.

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SUNNY CALIFORNIA

Friend of the Telescope Sends Interesting Sketch of Land of Sunshine and Flowers After a Holiday Visit to That State.

One of the great resources of the state of California is the orange.

Much of the wealth of Southern California comes from the growing of the navel orange. This part of the State is famous as the favorite home of this orange and it is grown there in the greatest quantities.

The story of how the navel orange was introduced goes back to the year 1870. In that year the United States Department of Agriculture brought some small navel orange trees from Bahia in Brazil and planted them in the greenhouses at Washington. It was the purpose of the Department of Agriculture to see if this variety of the orange could be grown profitably in this country. It happened that Mrs. Luther C. Tibbits of Riverside, California, had some friends in the city of Washington who were interested in the new orange. These friends sent three small navel trees to Mrs Tibbits. Mr. and Mrs. Tibbits planted the trees, and two of them grew and bore fruit. Their first successful crop was in 1879.

The new trees became the wonder and wealth of Southern California. Orange-growers at once saw that there was a fortune in this new Brazilian variety. They had been growing the seedling orange. Some of the growers fastened buds from the navel orange trees into the bark of the old trees in such a way that new branches grew from the old trunks. And these new branches bore navel oranges. That is the way the great navel orange industry of California began. Those trees that Mr. and Mrs. Tibbits planted were the parents of numberless trees.

California Oil Fields

Oil production in California is now greater than that of gold. But a few years ago, gold was more profitable than any other mineral product. In 1916 however, it took second place. The value of oil production is now over twice that of the gold.

Go into Ventura, Orange, Kern, Los Angeles, Santa Barbara and Ventura counties, and you will see the famous oil fields. You will be amazed at the forests of towers made of criss-cross beams. There are, in some places, acres and acres of them, with great storage tanks among them. There is a din of engines, a smell of oil in the air. Men in overalls are busy everywhere. Each tower is built over an oil well. The tower was used in drilling the well, and it is now used to support the pumping machinery that draws the thick black oil from the wells. The oil is pumped into the storage tanks and from there is forced through pipe lines that extend from the oil fields to the sea ports. One of these pipe lines extends nearly 300 miles from the Kern county fields to Point Richmond, on San Francisco Bay. California is one of the greatest oil-producing regions in the world. Water equal to the amount of oil it produces would float 300 battleships. The industry brings millions of dollars into the State and gives employment to thousands of men.

There was no sudden oil discovery in California as was the case with gold. Oil was known in California as far back as the time of the mission fathers. Wells were not dug in that day, but the oil that seeped from the ground was used to put on roofs and for other purposes. Several oil wells were dug between 1850 and 1860, but no profit was made, because men did not know how to refine the peculiar, black oil of the California fields.

In 1897 the Los Angeles oil field was opened up and much excitement resulted. In three years, 300 wells were dug. The greatest boom was in 1899 when the Bakersfield region was found to be rich in petroleum. The discovery there made the little town of Bakersfield a city almost in a day. That locality suddenly became one of the richest oil fields in the world. Since 1892 the oil industry has spread to many localities in the State, and has grown with wonderful rapidity.

Gold in California

Gold was discovered in California in 1848. The news spread like wildfire. Within a few weeks, men were stumbling through the brush along the rivers, laden with picks and shovels and hoes and pans, all in a wild search for wealth. Men left their families and their daily work, and rushed off to the mines. Doctors, soldiers, workingmen, sailors, lawyers, all caught the "gold fever" and joined the mad rush.

The news reached the East; it travelled to South America, to Australia, to England, to France, to Germany. From all parts of the world the fortune-hunters began to arrive. Ship after ship brought them into San Francisco Bay. Officers and crews left their vessels and went off to the mines. New crews could not be hired at any price. The Bay became a forest of masts, so many and so close together were the deserted ships.

Men came from the Eastern States by three routes. Many took the long voyage "around the horn"—that is, they came around South America. Others went by ship to Panama, crossed the Isthmus as best they could, and took their chances on getting another vessel on the Pacific side. Great numbers of them made the weary journey overland, across the plains. The sufferings of these men were incredible. Many of them died from exposure and hardship. Thus came the army of "Argonauts" to California. They are known, too, as "forty-niners" as many of them came in 1849. By the end of that year, 100,000 of them had arrived and scattered to the gold fields. In this famous year the amount of gold taken from the mines was $40,000,000. Each year the sum grew. In 1853, $65,000,00 was removed from the streams and mountain-sides.

How The Mining Was Done

Besides the streams and on the hillsides of the Sierras, the miners' "diggings" were to be found. To these "diggings" a steady stream of prospectors came, travelling from San Francisco and other new-born towns. The prospector had his "outfit" made up of pick, pan, shovel, bacon, beans, flour, and a few other needed things. Up the rocky canyons, they trudged by thousands and scattered along the countless streams.

Where mountain water flowed, men could be seen crouching with iron pans. These pans they would half fill with gravel and sand. Then they would dip water into them, and shake them slowly to and fro. They would gradually pour out the water, and with it the loose dirt and gravel, until, if they were lucky there would be nothing left but pieces of gold. This way of mining was called "panning" and in the early days was very common.

Most of the men who mined along the streams, however, used what was called a "cradle" or "rocker." This got its name because it looked so much like a baby's cradle with one end knocked out. Along the bottom of it was fastened a piece of iron with holes punched in it. The earth was dumped into the cradle and water poured upon it. Then the cradle was rocked rapidly. The water would carry the sand and gravel away, while the gold, being heavier, would sink through the holes or rest on the bottom of the cradle.

Irrigation in California

One who travels through the farm and orchard regions of California sees many canals. These canals have been dug to carry water through the land. If he follows one of these canals, the traveler finds that ditches lead from them. Through the ditches the water flows to gardens, fields and orchards. This system of watering the soil is what we call irrigation. Not long ago it was a great risk, in some parts of California, for a man to plant his acres with orchards and gardens. Dry winters ragin alone, leaving the trees and plants to wither and bear no fruit. To meet such a danger, irrigation systems were dug. Such systems were also made to water dry lands, so many crops, or only poor ones could be grown. Thousands of acres in the State are now watered for this purpose. Irrigation is doing more than anything else to increase and improve agriculture in California.

One may ask where this water comes from that flows through the canals and ditches to the rescue of the orchardist and farmer. It comes from distant rivers, from artificial lakes, from reservoirs fed from artesian wells, and is pumped up by electric motors and gasoline engines. Most of the irrigation has been done by companies and corporations. But the State and National Government are taking more and more interest in it. The great irrigation system at Orland was planned and made by the national government for the benefit of the people in that district. Many plans for greater irrigation systems are under way.

The Earthquake and Rebuilding

Nearly all remains of the 1906 earthquake are now eliminated. April 18, 1906 is the date of one of the worst disasters in the history of this country. Early in the morning of that day the counties around San Francisco Bay were visited by a terrible earthquake. Nothing like it had ever happened in the United States since the white man first settled here. For over a minute the earth shook with terrific violence. Many places buildings were destroyed, railways twisted, pipe lines broken, and other damage done. At Stanford University many valuable buildings were thrown down. A large part of the city of Santa Rosa was shattered into ruins. At San Jose, Santa Clara, Palo Alto and other cities, much property was ruined. In San Francisco the shock of the earthquake was followed by a terrible fire. For over two days the flames raged across the city. The water supply pipes had been broken and there was no way to stop the destruction. After the fearful havoc had been done, the people of the city looked out upon a waste of ashes and smouldering ruins.

The news of the great disaster awoke the sympathies of people in all parts of the world. Trainloads and shiploads of food and clothing were sent to help those whose homes and property had been destroyed. But help was not needed for long. The brave citizens soon turned to the task of building upon the ruins. Within a few short years nearly all traces of the disaster were gone from the cities and towns where the havoc had been wrought. A new and more beautiful San Francisco arose upon the ashes of the old. And from it all we draw this lesson: Earthquake and fire may wreck and destroy, but courage and manhood will conquer in the end.

University Of California

While in California, I had the pleasure of visiting the grounds of the University of California, located in Berkeley, across the bay from San Francisco. This is one of the largest universities in the United States. It is maintained by the State, and has branches at San Francisco and Los Angeles, and there is also a University Farm at Davis where the best methods of farming are taught. Branch farm stations are located in several parts of the State.

Professors from the University make trips to the towns and cities to give lectures on various subjects. Much teaching is done by mail. Thousands of farmers all over the State get letters and books from the University, helping them greatly in their work of raising cattle and crops. During every summer vacation a University summer session is held at which hundreds of students gather to improve their education.

Stanford University is another great school of higher education. Together with the University of California, it ranks among the best universities in the country. Stanford University is famous for its beautiful buildings, its excellent teachers, and the fine life of its students.

California has several other excellent schools of higher education. Among these are Mills College, Pomona College, Occidental College, the University of Southern California and the University of Santa Clara.

Opportunities in California

California is the second largest State in the Union. Its territory is so great that room could be found in it for Massachusetts, Delaware, Maine, New Jersey, Rhode Island, Connecticut, New York, Vermont, New Hampshire and Ohio. And yet in population, California is far behind among the states. New York city alone has nearly twice as many people as there are in the entire state. Think, then, how small the population is in comparison with the size of the State. Think how great a number of people can still find homes within its borders.

California is justly famous for the great wealth that it produces. And yet it can produce several times as much More and more land is being used for raising crops. Great plans for carrying water to the dryer and less useful land are being completed. The Panama Canal is bringing more people and greater commerce to the State. Each year finds more factories and railroads making their appearance.

San Francisco

San Francisco will charm and interest you. It is a new city and yet old in traditions and memories. Many of the greatest men in American letters and arts have lived for a space in San Francisco and all have loved her. It is true that you will not see the city of twelve years ago, but a young, vigorous municipality which is bigger and better than the old. It is a city of hills, which afford different vistas of the most delightful scenery surrounding any city in the world its bay rivals that of Naples, and the Golden Gate leading into it was so named from its resemblance to Constantinople's Golden Horn. Of its location, a well-known author says:—"Few cities in the world can vie with San Francisco either in the beauty or in the natural advantages of her situation; indeed, there are only two places in Europe— Constantinople and Gibraltar— that combine an equally perfect landscape with what may be called an equally imperial position."

The city itself is full of bold hills, rising steeply from the deep water. The air is keen and dry and bright, like the air of Greece, and the waters not less blue.

One of the best ways of seeing the city is to devote a day or two riding about in the street cars and the sightseeing motor cars. A day should be spent in Golden Gate Park alone, where the art of the landscape gardener skilfully has been made to blend with the unspoiled beauty of primitive nature. Spend an afternoon at the Presidio, a United States Government military reservation. It is like a great natural park. Here are located the masked batteries which guard the Golden Gate, and a permanent garrison. From the Presidio you get an excellent bird's-eye view of the Exposition, too.

North Beach and the Cliff House are places of recreation, where your true San Francisican goes for recreation after the work of the day is finished. The Mission Dolores and the United States Mint also are worthy of a visit. Chinatown still exists, a quaint Oriental note on the edge of the down-town district. It is as true a bit of Cantonese life had been set down in modern America. The eight thousand residents of the Chinese quarter have their own newspapers and banks; but it is in their shops and joss houses that the visitor will find the most entertainment. Two solid blocks on Grant Avenue are lined with bazaars, each a museum of Chinese art. The northern extremity of Chinatown merges into the Italian quarter. This alluring city of the Golden Gate comfortably can accommodate a hundred thousand visitors in a thousand hotels of every grade and nationality. Its restaurants and theatres are as famous as those of Paris. One may wander from the exclusive inns of the down-town district like the St. Francis, the Fairmont and the Palace—to the foreign quarters, and in a few minutes revel in the cooking of an Italian cuisinier or sit down to a repast prepared by a chef from Budapest.

Across the bay is Oakland, a thriving city which is rapidly coming to the front. Near Oakland is Berkeley and the State University with its Greek Theatre and spacious grounds. From no point are finer views to be had of the wide sweep of San Francisco's harbor than from the hills immediately back of the University campus, and from those farther north and there are few more inspiring panoramas. To the northeast are the outlines of the giant Sierras; in the immediate foreground, Mount Tamalpais ,the Golden Gate, San Francisco and the peaks behind it, below, far to the south, Berkeley, Oakland, Alameda; and still beyond, the shining waters of the bay and the Coast Range peaks.

Every month has its peculiar charm in this pleasant land. In the valleys and along the foothills there is constant change that gives endless variety and interest to the landscape.

January

In the citrus belt the oranges, lemons and seedless limes show their fruits at the best; magnificent and germinous put forth fresh blossom; almond trees commence to bloom, early potatoes are planted and the rancheman starts plowing.

February

The hills and valleys which began to show green in November and December are carpeted with luxuriant vegetation; potatoes and peas are growing; olives, which started to ripen in September are harvested in January and February; almond trees are in full bloom; the willow takes on its coat of green.

March

This is "Blossom Season." The entire countryside in the valleys and on the foothills is one mass of fragrant bloom. Apricots, almonds, prunes, peaches, pears, cherries—millions of trees, are in full flower. The scene cannot be equaled anywhere in the world. Poppies and wild flowers are beginning to show. Early peas and asparagus are in the market, and vegetables of all kinds are far advanced.

April

Everything is in full verdure. Vegetable of all sorts are in the markets; berries are in full green and putting out blossom; vast fields of tomatoes, of which Central California is the largest producer, are set out; corn is planted; roses, which bloom through out the year, and some of the garden flowers, are showing at their best; haying begins; cherries are ripening.

May

Mowing the great hay fields is in full swing and the country is odorous with the scent of new-mown hay. Grapes begin to blossom; the first crop of alfalfa, which is green all the year, is cut. There is a profusion of roses and of other flowers. Cherries are being harvested; strawberries are plentiful.

June.

Apricots and early peaches are ripening in the valleys. Late cherries are picked; the country is dotted with haycocks and flowers are seen everywhere; raspberries and blackberries are being harvested.

July.

The great fruit canneries start their season, and vast fields of trays laden with golden apricots and peaches are seen drying among the orchards and the aroma of the luscious fruit along the highways is a pleasing sensation. A visit to the canneries is interesting. The harvest of pears begins.

August.

This is the month of the prune, the supply of which comes largely from central California. Peaches are also plentiful. Threshing begins, and the foothills take on a golden brown where the grain has been cut. Trainloads of Bartlett pears are being shipped east.

September.

This is the vintage month. The great vineyards, where fruit began to ripen in August are scenes of intense activity. Wineries begin to crush the fruit, tomatoes, planted in April and May are being harvested and canned. Almonds and English walnuts are being gathered; the second crop of strawberries and raspberries mature.

October.

The vintage is still on. Figs begin to fruit and blossom, the blossom being the fruit itself. This fruit continues to ripen through November. Mariposa lilies grow on the hills, which are a golden brown after the rainless summer.

November.

Vineyards and orchards have taken on the autumn hue, and the Christmas berry appears along the highways. The great seed farms are closing up their season, which runs from April to November. Oranges, ripening first in Central California, are shipped east.

December.

The early rains, beginning in November, have again made the hillsides green. Oranges are being harvested in the citrus belt. A trip over the fine highways through the canyons and valleys is most attractive. The weather is pleasant for motor touring throughout the year.

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Suggestions for Most Profitable Care of Dairy Cows and Calves—August Ploughing and September Cross Ploughing Kills Grubs and Worms In Old Sod.

(Contributed by Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.)

DURING the extremely hot weather, cows and calves frequently suffer, sometimes needlessly, from three things—effects of high temperature, lack of water, and from torment by flies.

A great mistake was made in the older parts of Ontario, when practically all the trees were cut down, thus leaving no shade for cattle and other live stock. When the late Prof. Brown was in charge of the Ontario Agricultural College farm and live stock, he planted small groves of trees on various parts of the College farm, and no more pleasant sight may be seen than that of the College herd lying in the shade among these trees on a hot day. These groves make the fields where located rather awkward to work, but the cattle certainly enjoy themselves among the trees. On a live stock and dairy farm, while it may not be advisable to plant trees in the middle of a field, it certainly will pay to have them in as many places as possible, where they do not interfere with the working of the land.

In the meantime, on dairy farms where no shade is available in the regular pasture field, sometimes a good spot can be utilized for the stock during the heat of the day, though they may damage the young trees to some extent. Another plan is to keep the cattle in a darkened stable for part of the day. This means a good deal of extra labor cleaning the stable, and keeping the cows clean, and under present labor conditions, may not be practicable on many farms. However, where there is the necessary labor available and particularly where cows are receiving soiling or silage feed to supplement the pasture, the feeding in the stable may well take place during the day and the cows be kept inside while it is very hot. This plan also saves worry from flies, when the windows are covered to make the stable dark.

Water Necessary for Comfort and Milk Production.

Cows frequently suffer from lack of sufficient water. As a boy, the writer remembers driving cattle to "Duff's Creek," in Brant County, during the hot spells. The cows were nearly crazed when they reached the "creek" and would drink until they seemed like bursting. By the time they reach home, after walking for a sand-a-half over a dusty road, the cattle were nearly as thirsty as ever.

The only safe source of a sure water supply is a deep well, driven or bored, and having the water pumped by windmill or other sources of power, with a storage tank for convenience. There is no part of Ontario which an abundance of water can not be obtained, if we go deep enough to tap the hidden sources of supply.

No matter how it is obtained, the owner of dairy stock, more especially of cows milking, must supply a certain amount of water, else the stock will suffer, which means lessened milk supply, and small cheques from the creamery, cheesery, condensery or city dealer. Milk consists of about 87 ½ per cent. water, and this water must come from the drink and feed of the cow. A cow giving 100 lbs. (10 gallons) of milk daily, will drink over 200 lbs. (20 gallons) of water per day. Cows giving less milk will drink in proportion. Give the cows plenty of water. Young cattle, calves, and hogs also need plenty of clean water in hot weather.

Fly Remedies.

There are several good fly remedies on the market. Where there is time to make one, the purchase of a patent fly-killer or repellent, is advisable. These are usually applied daily, or twice a day with a small hand sprayer.

A home-made remedy may consist of one-half gallon fish oil, or any old grease, one-half pint coal oil, and two tablespoonfuls of crude carbolic acid, cresol, etc. Mix thoroughly. This will be sufficient for forty-five cows and may be applied with a brush or cloth. If there is no fly it will keep the flies off for several days. Milkers must be careful not to get this on the hands, or allow hairs to drop into the milk pail as it will taint the milk. It is better to apply after milking.—Prof. H. Dean, Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph.

What About Seed Wheat This Year?

Good seed of the most desirable varieties of fall wheat is sure to be scarce this autumn. The most of the winter wheat in Canada is grown in Ontario, and the acreage sown in this province last autumn was less than usual. Over fifty per cent. of the crop was winter killed. In numerous instances the wheat which was not ploughed was re-sown with other grains either over the whole area or in patches. Owing to the scarcity of labor it may be difficult to thresh the grain from the good fields before the dates of harvesting and seeding. Those growers who have old seed of good quality should save it carefully for seed purposes. Special efforts should be made to thresh as much of the good wheat of this year's growing as early a date as possible. Farmers having more seed than is required for home use or for sale to neighbors would undoubtedly create a good demand by advertising in either the local or the agricultural papers. Tests should be made of the germination of both the old and the new wheat. Strict economy of winter wheat for seed purposes this autumn is essential.—Dr. C. A. Zavitz, Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph.

TOWN AND DISTRICT NEWS

Many claims are being staked ten miles south of Lake Abitibi, where gold has been discovered.

Alien-owned property valued at millions of dollars is to be put on the market at a series of public sales in the United States.

The Dominion police took 24 men before Magistrate Weir at Kitchener last week, charged with not carrying military papers. Nineteen were fined $5 each, while the other five were sent to London as military defaulters and absentees. For resisting arrest Albert Meyers was fined an extra $20.

A casket arrived at Windsor one day last week. The mourners were at the depot with the hearse, but they did not present a very sad appearance. The liquor inspector seized the body, which proved to be a supply of booze shipped from Toledo. There were a number of thirsty and sad mourners when the casket was taken to the police station.

The first Tommy was ruddy of countenance, with a huge beard of the hue politely known as auburn. The second was smooth shaven: "I used to 'have a beard like that till I saw myself in the glass. Then I cut it off." But the bearded man was not dismayed. "Much better have left it on, mate," he returned gently. "I uster 'have a face like yours till I saw it in the glass. Then I growed this beard.

The great Abraham Lincoln was born in poverty. A home of hardship toil and poverty was the manger in which that great national saviour first saw the light of day; and when he was old enough to attend school the curriculum embraced only reading, writing and the simplest arithmetic. Yet that school of necessity and hardship put a strength of fibre into his character that could never have been developed in ease and luxury.

The Feminine Bond

"What is it, children?" asked the superintendent, "that binds us together and makes us better than we are by nature? Who can tell?"

Little Ellen Smith's hand shot up.

"Yes, Ellen; can you tell?"

"Yes sir; corsets."

Four Legged Chicken

A curiosity in the shape of a four-legged chicken was hatched out recently on the farm of Mr. Henry Moyer of the B. line, Carrick. The extra pair of legs were fully developed as to size, but were of no use to the chicken in assisting locomotion. It was a healthy active chicken until it became about two weeks old, but the extra appendages were too much for it, and it gave up the struggle this week.—Mildmay Gazette.

Everybody Happy

What constitues recreation depends, of course, on the point of view. Here is that of a certain small citizen in a school for dependent children. He wrote to his father thus: "We are having a good time here now. Mr. Jones broke his leg an I can't work. We went on a picnic and it rained and we got all wet. Many children here are sick with mumps. Mr. Smith fell off of the wagon and broke his rib, but he can work a little. The man that is digging the deep will whipped us boys with a buggy-whip because we threw sand in his machine, and made black and blue marks on it. Hurry cut his finger badly. We are all very happy.

Order Re Substitutes Changed

Because of the limited supplies of substitutes for wheat flour at present available the Canada Food Board has deferred until a date to be fixed, the operation of certain sections of that order. Bakers, confectioners, public eating places and private households will not for the present have to use one pound of substitutes to every four pounds of wheat flour in baking. They must, however, use one pound of substitutes to every nine pounds of wheat flour, as provided in the law now operative. Dealers in Eastern Canada, as well as in Western Canada, for the present will be required to sell one pound of substitutes with only every nine pounds of standard flour. The use of a label or sticker on bread is made permissive, and not compulsory.

A Man's Dish

Port Rowan News:—Our fishermen sometimes get a sturgeon with fifty dollars worth of caviar in it. During the run each pound net will have time to six of these fish every time the net is emptied. In the old times, a hundred sturgeon were counted a good haul, and a hundred and twenty a nice catch. But these fish were worth only 5c to 75 cents each. One good fish at the present time is worth as much as a netful was to the fishermen of the past generation. The man who ate the first dish of caviar must have had some courage and great control over the volcanic actions of his stomach. It's a dirty stuff at the best, but there is a grim fashion in eating which commands it votaries not to revolt at slime. Caviar is a dish for men, although some women eat it. Some women also smoke strong pipes, but as a rule tobacco belongs to man and caviar also might reasonably be left to him.

The Canada Food Board has ordered a number of business places closed for violating its regulations.

A long distance phone call from St Catharines brought the wife of James Borres from Toronto and secured his release from custody after arrest for not carrying his marriage certificate.

His nose in his pocket, a soldier arrived at a casualty clearing station on the western front recently. In a hand to hand fight the man had his nose cut off. He picked up the member which had been clearly cut off, and put it in his pocket as a relic, but the surgeons insisted on sewing it on again, and it has now healed so well that the wound is scarcely visible.

An automobile party of six, equally divided as to sex, were stranded here on Tuesday. They claimed to belong at or near Kitchener. Their car was crippled, they had no gasoline, neither had they any money, and they were hungry. The relief committee had to provide bed and board. The young men should have been committed as vagrants.—Harriston Review.

Here is an interesting bit of philosophy from a writer in Farm and Fireside:—"I've been married twenty-six years, and I've never had what you call a sure-enough vacation. I never get two weeks for a vacation, so I just take ten-minute vacations. It's a wonderful help. Then I always wear rubber heels, keep my voice low, because there's nothing so wearing as talking in a high voice, and I try to sit and stand in the most restful way. When things go wrong and I'm getting angry or blue, I take a few deep breaths, hold up my head and practice a grin. It's the best tired-and-cross tonic I know of."

If You Lose Your Card

The law stipulates: "If the registration certificate of any person should be lost or destroyed, worn out or defaced, he may, upon establishing the fact to the satisfaction of the Central Registrar, Ottawa, obtain from him a fresh certificate." Being able to give the officials the series numbers as they appear on the cards helps considerably in securing a new one.

A Fake Hero

George Wearing, passing as a returned officer, has been wearing out the patience of Midland citizens. He posed as one of the original nine left out of the first draft of the Princess Pats, and with the influence of the Next-of-kin Society and other patriotic bodies was appointed night policeman for that town. He was lauded as a hero, and many a friendly clasp and happy clap he received for the heroic service he rendered his country. Men, women and children got news of battles from him, and extended hospitality. Wearing is now serving 3 months in Barrie jail, and is not wearing a military uniform. The military police nabbed him.

The Races Officials

The officers in charge of the races to be held here Aug. 8th, are as follows:—President, Robt. Irwin; Vice-Pres., Dr. A. G. Fortune; Secretary, Geo. D. MacKay; Treas. A. E. McNab; Grounds Com:—Andrew O'Neill, John Ernest, Robert Long, Alex George, Alex McCarter Geo. Lettner, Wm. George, Isaac Glinz. Sports & Program President, Vice President, H. Irwin, Robt Goode, John Rowland, Isaac Glinz John Erdman. Finance Com:—F. W. Lippert, A. E. McNab, John Douglas, O. E. Klein, A. P. Johnston.

The following purses are to be awarded :—2 50 Class, Purse $250.00, 2.20 Class, Purse $250.00, 2 10 Class Purse $250.000. Purse to be divided to winners, 60%, 25%, 15%, and 10%, Entrance fee 5% of purse, and 5% off winners, Entries to be made by 12M. M. of August 8th.

Back-Door Etiquette

It is back-door etiquette for a woman to send back the dish, in which her neighbor has sent her something to eat, full. As a result of trying to observe this rule two Atchison women are on the verge of collapse. The Globe gives the details:—"Sunday morning one of the women sent her neighbor a pan of string beans. Promptly the woman receiving the beans returned the pan filled with some plum butter. The other woman returned the pan filled with fresh doughnuts. Her neighbor sent the pan back with some raisin bread in it. The other woman fired the pan back filled with tomatoes. The neighbor quickly stirred up a cake, and it was no time until that pan was sent back filled with little hot cakes. The other woman was ready for the pan and sent it over filled with pickled beets. The other neighbor flew to her pantry and jerked up some sliced ham and sent the pan back, but the other woman's men folks met that pan before it reached its destination; there is not enough of it left for the junkman."—Capper's Weekly.

Wingham will vote on a by-law to loan $7,000 to a new industry, The Farmers' Fertilizer Co.

Lieut. Robert E. Lee, a grandson of the famous Confederate general, has been cited for the Croix de Guerre.

"Dear me, they tell us to live on fruit, to eat more of it," remarked a shopper, "but how can we afford to, with fruit the price it is?" The query remains unanswered.

Two citizens of Hespeler, Ont., were arraigned before the local magistrate on a charge of hoarding flour. They were severely reprimanded but allowed suspended sentence by paying the costs of the court. The magistrates said that in future absolutely no excuse would be accepted.

Under the Dominion Inspection and Sales Act a bushel of potatoes must weigh 60 pounds, a peck must weigh 15 pounds, and a gallon 7½ pounds. A bag of potatoes must weigh 90 pounds and a barrel must contain 165 pounds of potatoes. A purchaser of a bag of potatoes who receives less than 90 pounds may invoke the penalties provided by the Act—for the first offence a fine not exceeding $25, for each subsequent offence a fine of $50, with imprisonment in default of payment.

A Careful Witness

A farmer alleged that a freight train of the defendant company had hit one of his mules. "Now, Mr. Jones," said the attorney for the corporation to the farmer, "will you kindly tell the court whether or not your mule was on the track when hit by the train?"

"Well," replied the farmer. "This was a bright mule, and I reckon if that train had took out after him in the woods which fringe the track there where he was killed, he would have got behind a tree!"

Killed A Porcupine

Mr. Wm. H. Rehkopf of the 12th concession was surprised on Monday afternoon to discover a porcupine near his house. It wasn't long until Mr. Rehkopf's dog became interested in the prickly stranger, and opened battle. The porcupine's method of fighting, however was too much for an assailant, who had his face stuck full of quills in an instant. Harold Sauer happened along at the time, and he helped Mr. Rehkopf to put an end to the unwelcome visitor. A wire pincher was used to extract the quills from the dog's face, and it was an exceedingly painful ordeal for the dog. Porcupines are very rare in this section of the country, but occasionally one puts in an appearance.—Mildmay Gazette.

ADVERTISING A NECESSITY

In conversation with a successful business man of a nearby town a few days ago, the discussion turned on advertising and we expressed surprise at the amount which he explained he was spending on advertising in his local paper, suggesting that many small town merchants considered that they could not afford to spend much money on advertising. "I know that is the impression, but that is where they lose out," he said. "I have tried both ways and my experience has taught me that I cannot afford to not advertise." He went on to explain that unadvertised goods on his shelves waiting for a customer to come and ask for them kept his money tied up too long and resulted in loss from wastage as well. He had found that no well-bought goods were "stickers." If the people were informed about them, and the only way to tell about them is by newspaper advertising.

This is one of the points that is often lost sight of in preparing advertising. If a prospective customer reads in an advertisement that a certain merchant has an article for sale that will benefit the customer, either as a tool for use or as an article for wear, or consumption he will investigate and probably buy. If the merchant buys goods, put them on his shelf and says nothing about them to anyone he cannot expect to besieged with requests for that line of goods.

One of the commonest complaints is that the large department and mail order stores in the cities cut the heart out of the local merchant's business. These is food for thought in the fact that no business goes out of town to a department or mail order store that is not itself an advertiser. Through newspapers, catalogues, and circulars these city firms place the story of their wares right into the homes of the country merchant's customers, and order after order goes to these houses simply because the buyers do not know—they have not been told—that the same goods can be purchased to equal advantage at home.

As a rule people prefer to deal at home if they can get what they want or anything near what they want in the local stores, and the merchant who by advertising tells the people what they want to know about his goods has no need to fear mail order competition. —Ridgetown Dominion.

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More and more, are the wives of today running their homes on a business basis—systematically and efficiently.

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In stripes, spots and floral designs. New color combinations. Yard wide. Per yd **$1,$1.25,$1.50**

Crepe de Chene
For dresses and blouses, complete range of shades and black and ivory. 38-40 inches wide. Per yard **$1.75.**

Silk Crepe Faille
One of the very smartest and most fashionable materials of the season. Nothing surpasses it in finish and it gives the very best of service as well. All the popular shades including grey, sand, nigger, rose brown, pink, burgundy, taupe, Belgian blue and ivory. 36 inches wide. Per yard **$2.00.**

Duchesse Pailette
Swiss make and of very fine finish. Best wearing quality. All shades and black and ivory. Yard wide. Per yard **$1.75, $2.25 and $2.50.**

Navy and Black Serges
We have in stock navy and black serges, pure wool, shrunk and fast dyes.
Serges are today practically unobtainable at any price and we could dispose of every yard in stock to manufacturers of ready-to-wear at 50 per cent over our selling prices. No wonder that we think we have something good to offer you in these. 42 to 54 inches wide.
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Keep in mind "Chautauqua Week," probably the greatest gathering of people in Walkerton's history. They are coming from every direction—August 7th. to 13th.

Watch this space for special inducements for visitors during "Chautauqua Week."

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NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Durham has no tailor.

Mr. Harry Leech left for Toronto on Saturday.

Mr. W. H. McFarlane paid a visit to Toronto last Wednesday.

Huron County Council has bought a Children's Shelter at Goderich for $2,400.

Mr. and Mrs Lorne A. Eedy and children spent a couple of days at Toronto last week.

Teachers are evidently in demand judging by the full page of Teachers' Wanted ads. appearing every day in the Globe.

What the situation appears to require this next winter is men who can make a shovelful of coal do where two were used before.

Mr. and Mrs. A. McCarter, Mrs. Bergman, and Miss Mary McCarter spent Sunday with friends in Elderslie Elderslie and Sullivan.

Americans are going in so strong for fuel conservation that they will not be allowed to heat their houses next winter above a temperature of 68 degrees.

Misses Ella, May and Blanche Traynor of Durham have been holidaying with their aunt Mrs. A. H. Stevens and their uncle Mr. Hugh Traynor, South Line.

Editor F. E. Secord, of the Meaford Express, and Mrs. Secord motored down from Meaford recently on a visit to the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pinkney, Maple Hill.

An Owen Sound varnish factory received a shipment of gunt from Philadelphia and 9 large cartridges were found in it. It is thought to be the work of an alien enemy.

The excuse of a Toronto motorist when he was brought up for speeding was, that "wife had left a pie in the oven at home, with the gas turned on, so he had to hustle to save the pie. The pie cost him $7.25

Reckless driving is always illegal, no matter what the speed. The majority of fast drivers have nothing to do when they get there. They are a menace to themselves, to those whom they pass and a nuisance to the people who reside along the road.

Mrs. J. A. McPhail and son, Neil, from Manchester, Ohio, are visiting at the home of Mrs. Robert McPhail. Dr. J. A. McPhail who is now attending school in Chicago will join his family later, and visit his mother and sisters for a few weeks.

Will Readjust Rates

Mr. Richard Lee was summoned to Kingston this week to attend an important meeting of the officials of the Oddfellows' Relief Association at which the readjustment of rates will be dealt with.

The Reason of It

The Emerson Journal says: "If you see a town down at the heels and out at the knees, you will find an overworked and underpaid post-master who is kept busy sending the people's money to the mail order houses in the large cities. That's a fact, brother."

Mr. M. Uhrig, of the Knechtel factory, was confined to his bed by illness last week.

Mr. Richard Lee will represent the Walkerton Oddfellows' Encampment at Toronto on August 13th.

Mrs. W. J. F. Ross and little daughter Gretta who have been visiting at the old home here for three weeks, returned to Forest on Friday.

Mrs. I. Johnson, who lives a short distance east of Paisley, got up in the night when not feeling well and fainted, falling and breaking her arm.

A piece of old Roman pavement, estimated to be 2000 years of age, has been discovered by the soldiers digging trenches in Italy. It is reported to be in good state of preservation.

A Tiny township farmer has a curiosity in the form of a litter of five pigs. One has but two legs while the other the other four instead of having divided hoofs have feet similar to a deer.

While piling lumber at R. Truax & Son's yard last week, Mr. Thos. Hyslop had the misfortune to get struck on the forehead by the end of a plank which toppled over on him, inflicting a scalp wound which required three stitches to close.

That's a rather good one on the Ford. A young woman in Walkerton was telling a friend about her new automobile. "Let's see" she remarked, "I can't recall the name of it, but it starts with "F." "Oh it must be a Ford, for all the others start with gasoline," was the reply.

John Wanamaker the merchant, has been celebrating his 80th birthday at his country home near Philadelphia. Mr. Wanamaker began his business career at the age of 13 and with a salary of $1.25 a week. To-day his two stores in Philadelphia and New York give employment to twelve thousand persons.

Will Teach In Carrick

Miss Gertrude Slegner, who was one of the successful candidates at the Normal School Exams. has been engaged as teacher at S. S. No 12, Carrick.

Presented with Purse

Rev. D. A. Walker, B. A. formerly pastor of the Methodist church here, who recently resigned his pastorate at Preston owing to ill-health, was presented with an address and a well-filled purse of gold on leaving Preston.

Send In The News

The Telescope would appreciate the assistance and co-operation of its readers in the matter of items of interest. Local news, personals, weddings, letters from soldiers overseas—such news is always welcome. Phone no. is 48

Won Promotion

Mr. Thomas Donoahue had an interesting letter last week from his son, Mr. Arthur Donoahue describing his experiences on the shipwrecked "City of Venice." He lost all his belongings on board but after landing he received his first promotion.

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15 only, Ladies' White Silk Waists. Washable and well-made. All sizes at $1.25.

Skirts Specially Priced
10 only White Summer Skirts of the latest styles, reg. $2.00, Sale Price $1.25.

Bargains in Ladies' Raincoats
Ladies' Silk and Wool Poplin Top Raincoats, colors grey, fawn and navy. Special at $6.95.

Clearing Sale of White Voille Skirts
Special clearance of Voille Waists this week. Made in the newest styles, reg. $1.75 for $1.25

Sale Clearance of Men's and Boys' Straw Hats
20 only Men's fine Sailor Hats, regular $2.00. Special 98c.
A big stock of Common Straws at 15c, 20c and 25c.

Wash Goods
500 yards of Wash Goods, Muslins, Linen, Piques and Crepes. Special at 25c a yard.

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Knox Church

The pulpit of Knox Church will be occupied on Sunday next by Rev. Dr. A. M. Currie of New York.

Chautauqua Tickets!

A committee of the daughters of the Empire will be in Mr. T. E. Attwood's office for the purpose of selling tickets for Chautauqua, on Saturday evening from seven o'clock until ten. This is for the convenience of the farmers and those who have been unable to secure their tickets.

The Fourth Anniversary

On Sunday the fourth day of August is the fourth anniversary of the declaration of war, Sir John Hendrie, Lieut-Governor of Ontario has issued a proclamation calling on the people of the province to observe that day by calling public meetings for the purpose of recognizing our dependence upon Divine guidance and for the purpose of stimulating the devotion and patriotism of the people and embodying these sentiments in appropriate resolutions. This proclamation has been issued and these meetings will be held throughout the British Empire. In compliance with the proclamation Mayor Johnston has called a public meeting to be held in the Town Hall on Sunday at 3 p. m. Everyone is urged to be present. The following is the resolution which will be put to the meeting. "That on this the fourth anniversary of the declaration of a righteous war, this meeting of the citizens of Walkerton records its inflexible determination to continue to a victorious end, the struggle for the maintainance of those ideals of Liberty and Justice which are the common and sacred cause of the Allies.

Jolly Features of the Chautauqua

The Welsh Glee Quartet will give a rollicking program of popular music. Miss Martha Alexander is a clever violinist, Mr. Hartwell De Mille Baritone will favor us with humorous selections! The Royal Dragoons play Sousa music just as if Sousa were there to direct it. Nine men who really sing well and are artists at playing band instruments. The Tschaikowsky Quartet will give you the best music you ever heard, four violins playing together in perfect harmony. Mme. Bertha Hamer spent 18 months entertaining and nursing our boys at the Front. The Tschaikowsky Quartet will play her accompaniment.

The Ben Greet Players will give Shakespeare's most humorous play "The Comedy of Errors." Madame Florence Bodinoff, Danish Prima-donna will give Folk songs like "Little Karen" and "The Red Sarafan" as only an opera singer can sing them. William Asborne, Violin Virtuoso, has toured the United States in concert work. Herbert Elwell, pianist, has composed Operettas, Sonatas and Songs. You will enjoy hearing him play the piano.

Get your season ticket now only $2.00 Tickets sold at Hunter's Drug Store and MacNamara's Telegraph office.

For Sale

A pair of matched roan mares with one colt, other one in foal. Also a Ford touring car in good condition. All new tires. Address W. G. McGeagh, Box 247, Hanover, Ont.

On August 8th

The Turf Club has the new track in splendid shape and everything ready for the race meet. Everything points to a big day and one great turn-out on August 8th.

Their Silver Wedding

County Engineer and Mrs. F. H. James celebrated their Silver Wedding Anniversary on Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. James were married at St. Marys Church, Aylesbury, England, on July 30th., 1893. The Telescope unites with their many friends in wishing Mr. and Mrs. James many happy returns of the anniversary.

Miss Cummer Resigns

Miss Cummer, who has been Science Teacher at the High School for several years, handed in her resignation last week to the Board, stating that she wished to locate nearer to her home city of Toronto where her mother resides. Miss Cummer has been an efficient and popular teacher and the Board is sorry to lose her services. Her many friends in the town will also regret Miss Cummer's leaving.

Better Use For The Bend

In these days when the motor cuts down the distance between town and town, citizens are becoming more familiar with what other places are doing. Motoring through a town they mentally compare its streets, its business blocks, its residences, its parks, with those of their own home town. Citizens returning from cross-country tours these days express admiration at what many towns and cities are doing towards beautifying their unsightly spots, making parks of waste lands, and setting aside open spaces as children's playgrounds and parks for the people to enjoy. When they return home to Walkerton they are struck by a vivid contrast. Walkerton has one park, the Bend. But the public is not admitted to it. Its privileges are reserved for a select class of beings of the Holstein and Jersey breed. These superior beings have placed their seal, a promiscuous lot of seals in fact—as if to guarantee their possession—and as though this were not enough a barb wire bars the way to the public. Nature has made the Bend an ideal spot for a park and picnic grounds and only a small expenditure would be required to add a few conveniences. A bath house for the youngsters, benches and tables and a couple of swings would make the Bend a welcome oasis for mothers and children these hot summer days. At present the property yields the town a revenue of $10 a year, or is it to $7? The Council might surely forego this revenue without increasing our tax rate unduly.

NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Civic Holiday next Monday.

Walkerton Races next Thursday.

Mr. Wm. Trotter spent Tuesday at Durham.

Mrs. John A. McPhail is on a visit to friends at Mildmay.

Mrs. James Young is visiting relatives at Palmerson.

Mrs. John Graf spent a few days of last week at London.

Miss Flossie Brislan is holidaying with friends at Owen Sound.

Mr. Robert Frame of Toronto spent the week-end at his home here.

Miss Jean Funk of Buffalo, N. Y. is visiting her friend Miss Bertha Schnurr.

Civic Holiday next Monday.

Miss Ruby Norrish returned from Detroit last Week.

Miss Tillie Cain of London is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Cain.

Mr. Alex Ernest had the misfortune to lose a valuable horse one day last week.

Miss Bertha Brillinger has been spending the week with friends at Chesley.

Mr. H H. Wallace, Prop. of the Pembroke Business College, returned home this week after a pleasant visit in town.

WILL BE PASTOR OF KNOX CHURCH



REV. W. H. BURGESS, B. A., B. D.

Whose call to Walkerton Church was sustained by the Bruce Presbytery at Tuesday's Meeting.

Mr. James Loech left on Wednesday to report to the Pension Board at London.

Mrs. Gammond and children of Fort William are visiting at Mr. Thos. Jenkin's.

Mrs. Howard Todd and two children of Guelph are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Appel.

Miss Dora Schumacher, of Detroit, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Schumacher.

Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Schwindt are in Kitchener to-day attending the funeral of a relative.

Mr. and Mrs. Hy. Tucker and babe, of Toronto, are visiting the latter's mother, Mrs. Wm. Moody.

Mrs Wm. Lindsay and children of Toronto are spending a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs Jos. Linsday.

Misses Margaret and Emily McLean, of Chesley are visiting their cousin, Miss Clara Inglis at Maple Hill.

Mr. Hugh McKerracher of Paisley visited his brother Mr. Duncan McKerracher on Saturday.

Miss Nellie Etsell returned on Saturday after spending two weeks with relatives in Shelburne.

Mrs. Fred Williams and two children of Toronto have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wesley.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Bremner and Miss Sadie are spending a few weeks visiting relitaves at London.

Mr. E. H. Sheffield and Miss Sheffield returned on Monday after spending two weeks at Toronto and Woodstock.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Shaw of Woodstock m stored here on Monday evening and spent a few days with relatives and friends in town.

Mrs. Magnus A. Brillinger and four children of Toronto arrived here Saturday night on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. J. Brillinger.

Messrs Amos Cain, Roy Heipel and Hilliard King motored from Owen Sound on Sunday and spent the day with friends here.

Mr. John Frame jr. arrived home Friday night from Hamilton district where he had been engaged on a farm the last four months.

Mr. Ed. Schnurr, manager of the Bell Tel. Co. at Orangeville, has been holidaying with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Con. B. Schnurr.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bruder and family motored to Breslau on Saturday andspent a few days with Mrs. Bruder's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Keller.

Misses Viola and Mabel Dixon returned to their home at Toronto after spending a few weeks' holidays with their cousins, Jean and Grace George.

Miss Maggie Frame, who has been living at Toronto for several years, has gone to keep home for her brother at LaVallee Ont. and expects later to go West.

His many friends will be glad to know that Mr. Andrew McLean jr., who underwent an operation at the Guelph hospital is improving very favorably.

Mrs. K. McNaughton and family, Miss Aggie McNaughton, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Williams and Master Kenneth Bell motored to Goderich on Friday and spent the day with Mrs. William's mother, Mrs. David Bell.

Chautauqua Tickets

The season ticket at $2 00 for 12 concerts is a big snap. A single ticket for one afternoon costs 50c and a ticket for one evening costs 75c. Be one of the first 600 to get your ticket. Tickets for sale at McNamara's Telegraph office and Hunter's Drug Store.

Entrance to Normal Results

In the report of the Entrance to Normal in addition to those already published as having passed under the Farming Regulations, the following have passed the June Departmental Examinations:—Erma J. Glave, Cecil Cargill, Vernon Tovell, and Leo Yack with honors. The matriculation results for the same Form are yet to be reported. When all the results for the Form are made known, it will be shown no doubt, that a very large percentage of the candidates have been successful.

Boys' and Girls' Chautauqua!

Be there the first day, Aug. 7. The mornings are for boys and girls between the ages of 6 yrs. and 14 yrs. Boys and girls can go to the afternoon and evening concerts on their $1 ticket. Learn the games the Roman boys played. Can you play volley ball? Would you like to be in the play that the Juniors are going to give, if so tell the Junior Leader Miss Havill. You can all be in the Pageant the last afternoon. How about Field Day, will you get a badge? Every boy and girl should enjoy these 6 days of good time. Earn your money and get your ticket ready for August 7.

Death Of E. T. Gibson

Following a lingering illness of several months' duration, Mr. Edward T. Gibson, an old and highly esteemed citizen, passed quietly away at his home on Yonge St. last Thursday afternoon. He was in his 71st year. Mr. Gibson first saw the light of day in the town of Guelph but removed to Clifford as a mere lad, his mother at that time being a widow with eight small children. By dint of industry Mr. Gibson established himself in business in the village but later gave up to go to the G. T. R. service. In 1881 he came to Walkerton as baggageman, a position he held here for 21 years. In the work of Knox Church Mr. Gibson made his influence felt. He was one of the oldest Elders, an active worker in the Sunday school and interested in all good work. He was a man of fine spirit, and in character essayed pure gold. Among the friends he made in his quiet way he was loved and admired. Besides his wife, who was formerly Miss Elizabeth Gordon of Clifford, he leaves one daughter and four sons. They are:—Mrs. M. St. G. Anderson of Youngstown, Alta.; Charles E. of Montreal; Lance-Corp. Gordon A. in France; C. M. at home. Three brothers and one sister also survive:—William of Mount Forest; Mrs. John Lee of Clifford; Robert of Heapeker; and James of Kitchener. The funeral was held on Saturday afternoon from his late residence to Walkerton cemetery. Service was conducted by Rev. Thos. Wilson and the following friends acted as pallbearers:—Messrs H M. Lay, Judge Klein, G. S. Schwindt, V. Fischer, N. Robertson and Geo. D. McKay.

Carrick Pioneer Gone

An old and highly respected resident was removed by the hand of death on Friday, July 26th, in the person of John McPhail, of Otter Creek. Mr. McPhail, who was in his 76th year, had been a patient sufferer from cancer the past three years. Born in Cape Breton Mr. McPhail, came when a lad of 11 years with his father and brother, the late Robert McPhail, to Carrick. That was in 1853, the first year that any settlement was made in the township. It was then practically all solid bush and Walkerton but a small settlement. Near the small stream which took its name from the animals that frequented it, they chose the homestead where Mr. McPhail has resided ever since. By dint of hard effort the land was cleared and transformed into a highly productive farm. Mr. McPhail was a man of industry and rugged physique and never until illness overtook him late in life had he known a doctor's care. A man of sterling honesty and neighborly spirit he was respected and liked by all who came in contact with him. He was a lifelong member of knox Church and a liberal in politics. Besides his wife he leaves a family of four sons and one daughter. They are:—Angus of Clifford; Robert of Detroit; John and Joseph at home; and Miss Bella at home. His youngest son Dan, was killed in action in France on Sept. 20th, 1917. A large concourse of friends and neighbors followed the remains to their last resting place at Walkerton cemetery on Sunday afternoon, July 28. Rev. Thos. Wilson conducted the Service and the pall-bearers were:—Messrs John Brillinger, Thomas Jasper, J. W. South, F. J. and John Wilton, and F. Latchford.

SAD DROWNING ACCIDENT

Nelson Lambertus Loses His Life While Swimming In The River At Ottawa

A Walkerton home was plunged in sorrow on Saturday morning when a telegram was received announcing the sad drowning at Ottawa of Nelson A. Lambertus, the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. George Lambertus, Victoria St. Nelson, who was 28 years of age, and a graduate of the Ontario College of Pharmacy, was employed in one of Allan & Cochrane's drug stores at the Capital. On Friday evening he and another young man employed in the same store, named Alex. Armstrong, went down to the Westboro Swimming Club at Clarella Park on the Ottawa River. They went in for a swim and shortly afterwards the lifeless body of Nelson was brought out from the water. The facts are yet uncertain, and Mr. James Lambertus of North Bay left for Ottawa on Tuesday afternoon to find out full particulars. It appears that Nelson swam out to a raft but expressed the opinion that he could swim all the way back again. Some companions were to bring along a boat. Another companion suggested that he might swim part way to a stake but whether he attempted to do so or not, is not clear. When the body was found, there was not much water in it leading to the impression that heart failure may have been the cause of his death.

Nelson was a clever, industrious good-living young chap and his sudden death is a heart-breaking blow to the parents and family, who have the sincerest sympathy of the community. Of a family of ten children all grew to manhood and womanhood, and this sad fatality is thus the first break in the family circle.

The young man was born on the South Line, Brant, where his father farmed for many years, and was a graduate of Walkerton High School. Later he served as an apprentice in Sieveright's drug store. After graduating from the Ontario College of Pharmacy in 1913, he was engaged by his brother, Mr. James Lambertus, druggist of North Bay and remained with him until about a year ago. He had been at the Capital since early last winter. He liked his position, like the city and was getting along fine, preferring the advantages of his position to going into business for himself. In a few weeks, it had been planned, he was to take a holiday and spend a couple of weeks with his brother at North Bay.

Besides the sorrowing parents, he leaves four brothers and five sisters. They are:—Joseph of Cargill; Will of Dunkeld; Herman of Eden Grove; James of North Bay; Mrs. Henry Siegner of Brant; Mrs. Geo. F. Frank of Carrick; Misses Maggie and Selinda at home; Miss Annie of Walkerville.

The remains were conveyed promptly from Ottawa to Toronto by a representative of the Knights of Columbus and there taken in charge of Mr. James Lambertus of North Bay and brought to Walkerton on the Monday morning G. T. R. train. The funeral which was held on Tuesday morning was largely attended. Services at the church and grave were conducted by Rev. Fr. Hofferth assisted by Rev. Fr. Hiller. The pall-bearers were the deceased's four brothers. Messrs Joseph William, Herman and James and two nephews, Earl Seigner and Gordon Lambertus.

Among those who attended the funeral were:—Mr Albert Lambertus of Hepworth, Mr. and Mrs. John McCormick and son, Robert, and Mrs. James McCormick of Kincardine, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Creech and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Creech of Pine River, and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lambertus, Mr. and Mrs George Lambertus, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Lambertus and Miss Edna Lambertus of Teeswater, besides many from Mildmay, Hanover and nearby places.

Since the above was put in type the following particulars have been received in a letter from Nelson's employer:—The poor boy left the store Friday evening in the best of spirits and I little thought that four hours later I would get such news.

He in company with Mr. Armstrong, another employee, went out to Clarella Park which is just outside the city for a swim and after paddling around for some time he clung behind a boat until he reached a raft and was sitting on this for some few minutes. Meanwhile Armstrong, who had been swimming about for some time, swam over to the raft and told him to stay there and he would swim in and get a boat and bring him back as he knew he could not make the shore.

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Morning train, north bound—11.57 "
Afternoon train, south bound—4.06 p. m.
Night train, north bound—9.25 p. m.

ON "CITY OF VENICE"

Walkerton Boy Had Thrilling Experience—Water Poured In Through Big Hole—If Anybody Thought Of Home It Was Then

One of the boys on the troopship, "City of Vienna," on which Arthur Donoahue, son of Mr. Thomas Donoahue, photographer of Walkerton, was shipwrecked near Halifax, sent the following interesting account of the experience:—

"I was sitting on my bunk, about —o'clock in the morning, putting on my life preserver when all at once the boat went smash into a rock. (You know we have to have life preservers on all the time, only when we are sleeping, and then we have them under our heads ready to pull on. We had practice the previous day to see how quickly we could get them on and get up on deck, and everyone had his own spot to stand, so we knew how to do it pretty well.) The impact knocked me down, but we were on deck in about three minutes. There was no one in full dress. I had my pants, coat sweater, running shoes, also cap. Some had neither cap or coat, and some hadn't any stockings; but once we got on deck we had to stay there. We did not know what had happened till one of the officers came along and said: "She's all right. She only struck a rock." At the same time the water was pouring in through a big hole. Of course they had pumps working all the time. We could not see fifty yards ahead for mist, but we were all standing there waiting. All the while the wireless was working and the signal gun was being fired. In a few minutes some fishing boats and yachts reached us, but they could do nothing. In about three hours a boat came along. We were glad to see it, believe me. You don't know what we felt or looked like when we knew the ship was sinking. If anybody thought of home it was then. But we all got off safely. We had to take our turns when the yacht started taking us over to the other boat. We had to crawl down rope ladders and the waves would bring the yacht up to us. We had to jump every time the waves came and brought the yachts. If we didn't jump in a second, in we went into the water. But everybody got off safely and in about thirty minutes after the last man got off, the ship sank. We didn't get anything to eat—only a little bread till half past nine that night, but we were all satisfied when things turned out the way they did.

LETTER FROM FRED JEWEL

Mrs. Jewell had the following interesting letter from her son, Fred, who is in Hospital in England:—

2 Canadian Command Depot
Bramshott Camp
July 5th., 1918

Dear Mother:—

I will write you a letter to let you know that I am still alive, but feeling just the same. I am out of the hospital again, was before a Board and got B. 2. I don't know if I will be able to go back to the front again as my trouble is pretty bad. I don't know what it is, but I think it is my lungs and chest, for I take spells now and again, and it pains me pretty bad. When I was sent here on June 24, I thought I was going to be sent home, but don't know when I will get home now. Well, mother I have always wanted to write and tell you about the time I have had since I left home, but have never had a chance, so will do so now. I landed here on Aug. 29, 1915, got 5 days leave and went to London where I had a nice time. When I came back I was put in a draft for the 18th., Batt'n and went to France. I had six months in the trenches and on the 7th. of April I was buried in a trench by a big shell. Was in there for an hour and a half, when one of the boys of the 27th. Batt'n came along and dug me out. He then carried me to a dressing station and from there I was sent to No. 3 General Hospital, 'France, later I was sent to No 4 General hospital, London, where I was for one month and a half and was then sent to the Canadian Hospital at Ramsgate. I was suffering from shock, and paralysis of the lower limbs. After nearly two months in this hospital, I was sent to 1 C. C. Depot and from there to the 4 Res. Batt'n where I was placed before another Board and was pronounced unfit for further infantry training so I put in a transfer for the artillery as a Driver, which I was given and was then sent to the 3 Res. Battery where I was for about two weeks, when I was sent to another Battery which was going to France so I went out again as a Driver, in March 1917 and came back on Jan. 28th. 1918. I can't tell you anything about the Front but I had 6 months in the trenches and 10 months and a half with the artillery so you can see I have had a hand in all of the games.

I think the war will be finished this year as the Americans are over here and they are all good big soldiers.

I would like to get into the Flying Corps, but don't think I can. I was up in one of the machines with one of our old Walkerton boys. He is a good flyer, and has been in a number of battles with the German Air-men.

Well, if I have to go back to the Front again I am going to try and get in the Corps in England.

I hope you won't forget to send me all the things I have asked for.

I hope this finds you well and happy. So good-bye.

From yourson,
Fred.

TRAINING FLYERS

An article in the World's Work gives a particularly interesting account of the use of minature range in the training of our aviaton students. It is this range, says Mr. Burton J. Hendrick, that gives the student that preliminary instruction in artillery spotting that is perhaps the most useful service rendered by the aeroplane.

On a huge table in a science hall at Ohio state University, where one of the ground schools are located, is an immense picture map of a section of Belgium. It shows the city of Ypres and all the surrounding country, including every farmhouse, barn, country road, open field, river and pond.

In a gallery about ten feet above this map sit several of our future aviators. They are supposed to be in aeroplanes, six thousand feet in the air. The scale of the map is so graduated that, as they gaze down upon it, the terrain appears precisely as it would look if these men were actually flying in the air at that height. Their business is to locate exploding shells and notify their own batteries by wireless of the accuracy or inaccuracy of the aim. Shell are exploding all the time on this minature sketch of Belgian territory below them—not real shells, of course, but representations that convey a complete illusion.

Under the map, which is of paper and therefore transparent to light are hundreds of little electric-light bulbs.

By touching the appropriate button, the instructor can light his selected bulb and cause a little flash to appear on the map, which gives an accurate representation of an exploding shell. The apprentice airman in the gallery selects the German battery that his men are attempting to destroy, and the instructor touches off his imitation shells.

As soon as each shell explodes, a tapping is heard up in the little gallery; the student is sending a wireless message to his friends, telling them how far they have come from hitting the object. His report may take such cryptic form as "Ten o'clock and three hundred yards." That would puzzle the uninitiated, but it locates precisely the spot where the shell has fallen.

For purposes of signalling, the German battery is taken as the centre of a clock, with twelve o'clock pointed due north. When the airman signals "ten o'clock" he means that the shell has exploded on an imaginary line that would represent the clock hand pointed due in this direction. The "three hundred yards" gives the distance between the exploding shell and German battery. The business of the student is to judge the distance of the exploding shells almost instantaneously. Unless he gains great proficiency in a short time, he has no future in the American Air Service.

OUR WESTERN LETTER

Nice rain and warm weather continues in this neighborhood. Grain is looking fine. Timothy and upland hay will be no crop hereabouts this year. Hay on beaver meadows and creek bottoms looks good.

Eastern papers I notice give good crop reports for the West, they say there are a few spots where it is a little dry etc. I have not been out to investigate, but I have half a dozen neighbors who took a two weeks auto trip to see the crop in the Wheat Belt east of here. They started east by way of Camrose and came back via Stettler. They tell me that after leaving Camrose they began to find it dry and from that until they neared Stettler there was practically nothing growing. They saw thousands of acres with not a blade of grass or grain to show. Yesterday I saw a man from Calgary way he tells me that from Calgary south everything is dried out. A neighbour moved down to about 100 miles east of Calgary this spring. I saw him on 1st July he says he sowed oats for cut hay the first week in June and up to date they had shown no sign of sprouting, it was too dry. On the other hand from here north the crops are looking fine. Some people from here took a trip through the Grand Prairie Country. They say you could not wish to see finer crops. The Wheat Belt south and east of here has had three fine crops which has started the usual boom. Half sections that could have been bought years ago for $500 sold this spring for from $50. to $100. an acre. I am one got bit on this crop.

A PSALM OF LIFE

Tell me not in idle jingle
Marriage is a blissful dream,
For the man is wise that's single,
Girls are not what they seem.

Girls are shrewd and dead in earnst,
And to wed's their only aim;
Miss that is, to Mrs. turnest,
Anything to change her name.

Smiles are sweet and glances killing,
And poor man—bewildered thing,
Thus hamboozled may unwilling
Pony up and buy the ring.

In the world's broad field of battles,
In the flirting match of life,
Be not like dumb driven cattle,
Be not humbugged with a wife.

Lives of bachelors all remind us
We can live our lives the same,
And departing leave behind us
No crusa kids to bear our name.

Then brothers, let us not be demented
Nor lured through Hymen's gate;
Still unmarried—still contented
Learn to let the dameels wait

—Bacheler

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XXX and XXXXX

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GEORGE BROS. LIVERY

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To Your Soldier

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NEWSY HAPPENINGS IN BRUCE

ADDRESS AND PRESENTATION

Pte. Harold Farr of Maple Hill who was home over the week-end last week was presented with a wrist watch by his many friends. The address was read by A. V. Cooke while J. W. Rogers made the presentation. Pte. Farr made a neat reply thanking them all for their kindness. The address was as follows:

Maple Hill, July 21, 1918.

Dear Harold:

We have come together to-day with both joy and sorrow in our hearts to express to you our regret at your departure, our good will and esteem in which you have been held amongst us. It is neither easy nor painless to sever ties with one who has grown up in our midst. To do this in any public way only increases the burden and intensifies the pain, yet we would be unworthy of the friendship of years if we permitted you to leave us without some tangible expression of our feelings toward you. It is with a feeling of pride and admiration we watch you go forth to do your bit, to fight our battles, to defend our homes and to keep the Union Jack floating triumphantly over us.

As a slight token of the esteem in which you are held we beg you to accept this wrist watch and in so doing we wish you Good Luck. May it remind you a warm welcome i ever waiting you at Maple Hill, you who have responded to the call of your Country.—John W. Rogers, T. Little, John C. Leach.

TEESWATER ENTRANCE RESULTS

Honours—Aneta Otheiser, Sadie Gallagher, Grace MacDonald, George Thompson, Ivy Austin, Charles Farquharson, Blanche Hall, Anna McKay. Pass—Cecil Arscott, Hazel Brill, Margaret Campbell, Jessie Case, Pearl Hallenby, Judson Jackson, Annie Little, Nellie Marrs, Therza McBurney, Gordon Mulvey, Muriel Passmore, Eva Stokes, Grace Thompson, Kate Thompson, Annie Walters.

NEW POST OFFICE RULING

Private correspondence for destinations in territory occupied by the enemy—excepting enemy occupied Belgium and the enemy occupied parts of France—may now be addressed direct in the ordinary way instead of being forwarded through an authorized intermediary. Such correspondence, however, must only deal with private news and will be subject to censorship. Items which contain any information whatever in regard to military, economic or political conditions obtaining in Canada or in any allied countries or which contain undesirable information of any kind will be detained.

Business communications from Canada to destinations in territory which has been certified enemy territory under the Trading with the Enemy Proclamation require a license from the Secretary of State for Canada.

Correspondence intended for destinations in enemy countries (as distinct from enemy occupied territory,) or to those destinations in enemy occupied Belgium and enemy occupied France to which correspondence may be forwarded, may still be sent through the medium of Thos. Cook and Son, 530 St. Catherine St., West, Montreal. Application should be made to Thos. Cook & Son, Montreal, for information in this connection.

Mr. F. C. Ryan of Paisley has been appointed manager of the Standard Bank at Park Hill.

Reeve Fischer of Mildmay was a visitor in town on Saturday.

The average man can't remember much about his wedding, but has been led to infer he was among those present.

The factory in Detroit in which Ford is constructing submarine chasers is three-quarters of a mile from either end to the centre of the plant. It is anticipated that 30,000 men will be engaged in the construction of these chasers and the output is expected to reach one ship per day.

A Big Spider

When Mr. Louis Bondi, of Mount Forest, was delivering bananas to Mr. Geo. Walker one day last week, says the Harriston Review, he discovered a large tarantula or banana spider hiding in one of the bunches. A dealer was procured and the spider was very carefully forced into it. It has been kept on exhibition in the store, and is a large specimen of this species of southern spider, being nearly 4 inches from tip tip to tip when extended. It is said that their bite will cause death within 48 hours.

A Real Hog

Mr. W. E. Dickens, drover at Owen Sound, shipped to Toronto last week one hog which tipped the scale at eight hundred pounds. This was the largest individual of the swine species that has gone out of that neighborhood for some time, and was amongst a herd that Mr. Dickens has been feeding on the Robert Glen farm on the west bay shore. At the price prevailing, at the average of eighteen cents, it would have brought $144.00, but in all probability, because of its size, it would not bring a top-notch price, but even at fifteen cents a pound for a two year old, is better than raising horses.

MUST USE LESS SUGAR

A new order of the Food Board has just come into force by which every manufacturer of beer, ales, soft drinks, fountain fruits or syrups, dessert or jelly powders or marshmellow powders, and every proprietor of a soda fountain or ice cream parlor is limited in his use of sugar to 75 per cent. of the average monthly amount of sugar used by him during 1917.

Retail grocers are forbidden to sell sugar to any manufacturer unless the latter has obtained a special permit.

The order contains a clause asking proprietors of soda fountains to use fresh fruits wherever possible. Canners who have been making products for soda fountains must not use more than 50 per cent. of the sugar used by them last year.

The order makes illegal, unless under special permit, the manufacture for sale of icing sugar, icing powders, or any preparation of sugar used only for this purpose. No license for making the articles mentioned in the first paragraph will be issued to anyone who has not been in the business before and up to May 1st.

THE BIBLE FATHER USED

Dear old Book, thy labors ended,
Worn out we have laid thee by:
Thou art now a precious heirloom—
Faded guide-board to the sky!
From thy thumb-worn, well marked pages,
Father read from day to day
Precept, promise, law and Gospel:
And believing, knelt to pray.

Here he sought to find the treasure
That forever shall endure;
Wisely making both his calling
And election, doubtless, sure.
Here he found the Rock of Ages
Where the saved rejoice to stand:
And with vision clear, ecstatic,
He beheld the promised land.

Here the light divinely streaming
On the path the saints have trod,
Cheered him as in rapt communion
He pursued his way with God.
Here he found the Heavenly Manna,
Feasted on the boundless stock,
Drank from springs of Living Waters
Flowing from the Riven Rock.

Here the wisdom of the ages
Shone with constant light and clear
On the way the saints and sages
Of the Lord have traveled here.
Here he saw beyond the Valley
Of the Shadow, yonder host,
Conquerors of sin, the White-Robed:
Father, Sun, and Holy Ghost.

Here he gathered inspiration,
Faith to live and grace to die.
Blessed his loved ones, and in triumph,
Passed a victor to the sky.
Dear old thumb-worn, shattered Bible,
Father's Guide, Companion, Friend
Man-of-Council, Source-of-Comfort,
"Dust to dust" is not thy end.

O'er thy silent pages poring,
Faith discerns, as clear as day,
Things are transient, but no tittle
Of thy truth shall pass away.
Father's Bible, dear old Bible,
Doomed to feel the tooth of Time
But my Father's chastened spirit
Proves thy mastery sublime.

—Inserted by the family of the late Philip Cress.

PROCLAMATION!

Civic Holiday!

At the request of a great many citizens of the Town I hereby proclaim

MON. AUG. 5

as the Civic Holiday for 1918 and I ask all citizens to observe the same.

GOD SAVE THE KING

A. P. Johnston,
MAYOR.

There is complaint that a number of small boys amuse themselves by throwing stones promiscuously. It is a bad habit and parents should check children that indulge in it, as it cannot but lead to the injury of life or property some day.

When the Normanby farmers sent their delegation to Ottawa, their expenses amounting to about $160, was paid by the local council. One of the Normanby ratepayers however, objected to this being paid out of the township treasury, and threatened an action against the council. The farmers therefore reassembled, and decided to make a canvass of the township to reimburse the township treasury.

Sir Adam Chased Fishermen

The Dundalk Herald says: "Sir Adam Beck and party were up at Eugenia Falls on Saturday. The chairman of the Hydro Commission, observing some sports in boats and rafts fishing for trout on the reserve, charged them with trespassing and ordered them off the place. The fishermen claim they have rights on public property and that the place is not a reserve for anyone. For a couple of summers people from far and near have been enjoying fishing there and it has become a popular resort. There are an abundance of "speckled beauties." The Hon. Adam Beck is a smart man but he will become very unpopular in this neck of the woods if he tries to reserve the fishing at Eugenia for a bunch of high-salaried public officers or tin can politicians. Adam Beck has no more right to fish in that pond than anyone else who is a resident of the province of Ontario.

REGULATIONS FOR LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Much worry is caused families who have sons subject to the Military Service Act. When men are being called up suddenly it leaves some farms in rather bad shape, in some cases no one to take off the crop and in most cases only the father well up in years left to worry along.

As soon as sons are called from the farms it is quite proper that those concerned should want to know how harvest leave may be obtained. Farmers have been led to believe, in the first place that agriculture would not be interfered with, and with this understanding much greater preparation was made to have larger crops. Well, the crops have arrived, but in the meantime, through a new order, sons are being called up, regardless of conditions on the farms. Along with the new orders came promises that consideration would be given extreme cases.

Fathers and mothers having sons called up have doubts to whom to go in their trouble. In the early part of 1918 the Minister of Militia sent out a circular to Senators and members of parliament, as well as to military officers stating:

"Attempts to obtain favorable consideration of an application by the use of outside influence are forbidden, and, if resorted to, will be regarded as an admission on the part of the applicant that his case is not good on its merits, and it will be dealt with accordingly."

From the above it would appear that letters to members of parliament, petitions and such like, no matter by whom written, are of no consequence whatever.

But leave of absence is obtainable if the order-in-council means anything at all and those entitled to consideration are set forth as the following:

"The Order-in-Council of May 22nd 1914, authorizes leave of absence to be granted in extraordinary cases of extreme hardship, such as cases in which the man drafted is the sole support of a widowed mother, an invalid father, or other helpless dependents, or certain other helpless dependents, or certain other cases in which he is the only remaining son of military age (19 to 45), and other members of the family have been killed or disabled on service, are now serving overseas, are in training for overseas, are in training for overseas, or are under treatment after their return from overseas."

"All applications for leave of absence pursuant to these provisions must be made by the man himself at the Depot Battalion after he reports for duty. Such application cannot and will not be considered either at the head quarters of the Military district or at Militia headquarters at Ottawa. Correspondence sent to these headquarters will only result in delay and confusion.

"Every man applying for leave of absence must make a statutory declaration in a prescribed form, which may be obtained at the Depot Battalion, where an officer will be especially detailed to deal with such applications."

These are the provisions governing the grant of leave of absence.

BIG LOSS IN GRANARIES

Bad Weather and Mice Destroy Much Grain.

Concrete Structures Best — How to Make Old Granary Efficient—Flush Ewes to Increase 1919 Lamb Crop — Great Shortage of Fall Wheat Seed.

(Contributed by Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.)

No hard and fast rules can be laid down for the erection of a convenient and efficient granary. Each problem requires a knowledge of local conditions and requirements. Granaries, in the majority of cases, are built in enclosures on the bare floor, and constructed with too little regard for strength, durability and convenience. These structures should be located immediately over the feed room, each bin having a chute with a controlling slide, or a canvas distributor to convey the grain to the hopper of the grinder; or if the grain is intended for market, to a sack placed on the scales below the chute ready to receive it. To facilitate emptying the grain, the floor of the bins should be sloping.

The important consideration in the construction of granaries and bins for loose grain is to be sure that the structure is designed with sufficient strength to prevent bulging of the sides and springing of the floor, for grain, owing to its enormous outward thrust, corresponding somewhat to that of water, has a tendency to burst the sides unless well braced or supported. Timber construction requires frequent repairs to prevent decay and general depreciation from use. It is always liable to climate conditions. The boards will crack and shrink in the summer when the bins may be empty, and when the new grain is dumped into the bins an enormous quantity promptly disappears into the cracks and crevices and through holes bored, entailing considerable loss to the farmer, to the consumer and to the nation. Thousands of bushels of grain are, in this way, annually lost to the producers through sheer indifference to the condition of the granary. Yet this preventable waste may be easily remedied and made secure by lining the bins with sheet metal.

The watchword is "Conservation." Every grain is needed to feed the Empire and its Allies. It is, therefore, highly desirable at this time to bend every effort to eliminate all possible leakages and conserve our grain for the need of the Allied nations. While there is an annual depreciation on a timber structure varying from 4 to 5%, concrete construction grows better as it grows old; hence concrete properly reinforced, is the ideal material for granaries, because it is both damp-proof and rat-proof, two very essential factors in the construction of granaries.

Concrete properly made to suit existing conditions, is absolutely impervious to moisture, and can be kept as dry as any structure of wood ever built. The experience of many farmers is that grain, mature enough to be placed in storage, will not spoil on contact with concrete, nor will corn mold, provided there is good ventilation and the roof is tight. To get rid of rats and mice destroy their nesting place and to this end concrete is pre-eminently the best material and is recommended for all farm structures.

Under average present day conditions a reinforced concrete granary may represent an additional outlay of about 25% over that required to construct of timber, but the high efficiency distinctive of concrete quickly offsets this increased initial cost. Concrete construction has many in short, important advantages. The contents are safe from the depredations of rodents, is damp-proof, requires neither paint nor repairs, is dreproof, the grain is perfectly preserved under all conditions of climate and temperature, and the resulting structure is practically everlasting.—Prof. John Evans, Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph.

Care of Ewes After Weaning.

In order to avoid udder trouble it is necessary to keep a close watch of the ewes for a few days after they are separated from the lambs. Not a few cases of defective udders can be traced to the want of a little care in this respect. Milk out just enough to keep the udder soft the day after the lambs have been weaned. After two days' time they are again milked out. Some ewes do not need any more attention after the second milking. Such ewes may be marked to indicate that they are dry. Three more days should elapse before the next milking is done and this method followed until it is certain the entire flock is safe. In conjunction with the method outlined above the ewes should be separated some distance from the lambs, and be on scant pastures until all are perfectly dry. This is a good time to go over the flock and cull out all undesirable members. Non-producers and those with broken mouths and poor udders should not be retained. A good deal of the success of the subsequent lamb crop will depend upon the treatment the ewes receive from time of weaning until after they are bred. They should have good pastures and be given an opportunity of putting on flesh. This is what is sometimes called "flushing." Nothing can be better for this purpose than rape pasture. It is usually from six weeks to six months from date of seeding that rape is ready for pasture. If rape pasture is not available new seeding or second crop clover will serve fairly well. Ewes should not be turned on rape or fresh clover for the first time when the leaves are wet from rain or even dew, in order to avoid trouble from bloating.—J. P. Sackville, B.S.A., Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph.

THE V. A. D. CLASS

Girls Show Their Appreciation Of What The Doctors, Hospital Staff And Others Did For Them—Completed Home Nurse Training

The lecture on Wednesday evening of the Home Nursing Class was of special interest. The girls expressed their appreciation of the untiring interest Dr. Farewell had taken in the class by presenting him with a letter of appreciation and a doctor's leather bag, enclosing a ten dollar Bill. The fact that in spite of the hot weather and general summer out-door attractions, the girls attended the class faithfully, proves the excellent manner in which the class was conducted by Dr. Farewell. He thanked the girls for the letter and gift and disclaimed all credit for having done anything as he thoroughly enjoyed taking up the lectures with such an enthusiastic class. The Dr. congratulated the girls on the unselfish principle they had shown in taking up the lectures, the sole object of which was to be of service and help to others.

A treat of Ice-Cream and Cake was sent to the Supt. and Nurses of the Hospital who had given the class a practical demonstration on Bed-making at the Hospital.

The two young boys Elmer Kolpin and Harvey Paul has been so patient and good about being bandaged that the girls could not resist giving them an extra tip.

Mrs. Shaw, President of the Class and Miss Rowland Sec. Treas. were given a vote of thanks by the girls for the work involved in the duties of their offices. The V. A. D. Class was organized under the auspices of the I. O. D. E. on the suggestion of Miss Rowland who was enthusiastic about forming the class. Much credit is due to Mrs. Shaw and Miss Rowland for the splendid management and success of the class.

The Home Nursing Class was examined on Friday evening by Dr. B. Stalker who kindly offered his services motoring here from Hanover. Dr. Stalker made an excellent and thorough examiner and the girls showed their appreciation by presenting him with a letter and the gift of a pair of military brushes.

There were 28 girls tried the examination and all passed with high percentage.

SAD DROWNING ACCIDENT

(continued from page 1.)

There happened to be another party on the raft at the time, who he was nobody knows, but after Armstrong had just started out Nelson asked this party how deep it was and he remarked that the depth post which was about 25 feet in towards shore was showing 6½ feet of water and he thought they could cling to that if they became tired.

With that Nelson put his feet in the water and started off and had only gone a few feet when he went down. There were several fairly close at hand at the time and they dived several times trying to locate him but as it was getting dark they could not find him. Meanwhile the Police Department were telephoned to and the pulmotor was rushed out. When the people swimming found they could not locate him they rushed for grappling hooks and formed a line on the shore and inside of thirty minutes from the time he went down they had his body on the beach and the pulmotor and two Doctors working with him but it was too late.

Goes To Moosejaw

Miss Jessie Rolston returned this week from holidaying in Muskoka and is spending the week with her aunt, Miss S. Rolston, before leaving for the West where she will take the responsible position of Secretary of the Y. W. C. A. at Moosejaw.

Donations Acknowledged

Mrs. E. J. Skelton, treasurer of the Daughters of the Empire neknowledges with thanks the following donations:—$5.00 from the Registration Committee being pay from Gov't to Deputy Registrars etc; $2 from fund at House of Refuge; $5 from Mrs. Jas. L. Tulton.

Death Of Mrs. Shuttleworth

The death occurred at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Sloan, 191 Western Ave., Toronto, on the 29th, of Mrs. Henrietta Shuttleworth, a former highly respected resident of Walkerton. Mrs. Shuttleworth, who was in her 54th year, had been ill for three years. Her late husband was for many years Supt. of the O. G. Anderson Furniture Factory and a prominent citizen of the town. He was Supt. of the Methodist Sunday School. Besides her daughter, Mrs. Sloan, she leaves to mourn, three sons, all fighting in France. The funeral was held here yesterday on the arrival of the C. P. R. noon train from Toronto. Rev. J. W. Sanderson conducting the service. Among those who attended the funeral were her sister, Mrs. Jones of Alabama, formerly Mrs. Birtch, and her husband.

Track Fixed Up

A lot of work has been done on the race track the past week and the oval is now in good shape for the trotters that will be along on August the 8th.

Back From Toronto

Many old friends are glad to see Mr. Harry Denny back home again from Toronto. Harry intends to follow his former occupation as thresher.

Accepted As Chaplain

Rev. Father Goodrow, the popular assistant priest at Carlsruhe, who volunteered recently for Overseas Service has received word of his acceptance by the authorities and is giving up his work at Carlsruhe. At present Father Goodrow is taking a few holidays, while awaiting instructions to report for duty.

Smirlie Lawson Honored

Dr. Alexander Smirlie Lawson of Toronto, son of Mr. Joseph Lawson of Guelph, formerly of Brant, has been admitted to membership in the Royal College of Surgeons in England. Dr. Lawson, who is one of the most famous football players in the history of Toronto University, has been Overseas the past three years in the Army Medical Corps.

All Given to Red Cross

Mr. T. E. Attwood, proprietor of Movieland, has turned the theatre over to the Daughters of the Empire, the entire earnings to go to Red Cross. The Provincial Dept. has shown its appreciation of Mr. Attwood's generous action by remitting the license fee. Movieland is to be operated two nights a week under the management of Miss Katherine Attwood.

Removed To Brantford

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Glave who have been unable to secure a house at Brantford until recently were here this week packing up their household effects preparatory to moving. Miss Erma, who has been staying here until after the Departmental Exams, which she has passed successfully, accompanied them. The best wishes of their many Walkerton friends go with them to their new home.

Oddfellows' Officers

Officers of Walkerton Lodge No. 83, I. O. O. F. were installed recently for the ensuing term by Bro. Roy Harrison, D. D. G. M. of Port Elgin, as follows: —N. G., Geo. Polley; V. G., H. J. Bown; Warden, T. Boss; Conductor, N. C. McKay; Perm. Sec., Fred Godwin, Corr. Sec., F. Speiran; Treas., R. Lee; Chaplain, Wm. Wells; R. S. N. G., C. Petteplace; L. S., F Bulden; R. S. V. G., J. Holm; L. S. V. G., H. M. Norrish; I. G., S. Earwaker, O. G., G. Henderson.

Walkerton Boy Appointed Chaplain

Rev. Roy J. Kain, son of Mr John Kain, East Ward, who volunteered some time ago to join the Chaplain Service of the C.E. F. has been accepted and has received orders from Lt. Col. Beatty, Director of Chaplain Services to proceed at once to complete arrangements to join the service. Rev Mr. Kain, who is the popular rector of St. Stephen's Church, Thamesville has been here the past week with his wife visiting his parents. As his application has been in for some months, he is anxious to get Overseas as quickly as possible.

NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Civic Holiday, Monday, August 5th.

Mr. L. A. Eedy was in Toronto on business this week.

Mrs. John Wolfe is spending a few days visit at Toronto.

Mr. Michael Schafter, of Toronto, is renewing acquaintances in town.

Miss Steinhoff of Toronto is a guest at the home of Mr. James Whitehead.

Mr. John Frame has taken a position as junior clerk at Hunter's Drug Store.

Miss Muriel and Violet Lumley are spending a two weeks' visit near Flesherton.

Miss Lillian Dietsche of the "Elite" is attending the millinery openings at Toronto.

Miss Caroline Yaeck returned to Toronto after spending two weeks at her home here.

Master Georgie Lettner spent last week with his aunt, Mrs. R. Krueger at Hell's Camp.

Miss Gertrude Hilgartner of Wiarton is spending a few week's holidays with Miss Hilda Ermel.

Miss Frances Crawford and Miss Gladys Fehrenbach are spending a month's holidays at Toronto.

Five rinks of local bowlers have arranged to attend the Hanover bowling tournament on Civic Holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gibson of Montreal are spending two weeks with the former's mother, Mrs. E. T. Gibson.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. George and family motored to Riversdale on Sunday and spent the day with friends there.

Miss Tillie Schnurr of Pittsburg Pa. is on a few month's vacation to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Con H. Schnurr.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Huber of Delhi and Miss Josephine Huffarth of Carlsruhe were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Schnurr on Monday.

Mrs. A. McLean, Sr. was taken suddenly ill on Saturday and has been confined to her bed since. We hope for her speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gordon and son Jim, of Calgary, Alta. are on a few week's visit to Mrs. Gordon's brothers, Messrs. Alex and Wm. George.

A rink of local bowlers composed of T. Pye, E. McConnell, Major Henderson and A. E. McNabskip, are attending the Owen Sound bowling tournament.

Mr. Joshua Michell, a graduate of the Walkerton High School, now of the Imperial Bank Staff at Cochrane, is spending two weeks' vacation at his home in Brant.

Rev. Mr. Warner, who occupied the pulpit of the Baptist Church for the past two Sundays returned to his home at Rochester, N. Y., where he is taking a Post Graduate course.

Mrs. H. Schuett and two children, who have been visiting friends at Kitchener arrived home on Thursday. They were motored here by Mr. and Mrs. John Schwartz and daughter formerly of Formosa.

Miss Ida Glintz is visiting friends at Toronto

Mr. Walter Smith is visiting relatives in Simcoe and Toronto.

Mrs. Martin Kerney is confined to her bed with erysipelas.

Mrs. Erdman is spending a few days of this week with friends at London.

Pte. Tom Smith of the W. O. R. London, Ont., spent Sunday at his home at Otter Creek

Miss Mary McCarter returned to Toronto on Tuesday after spending two weeks at her home here.

Mr. Mart. Taggart of G. T. R. relieving staff visited his parents here this week and leaves to-day for Owen Sound.

Messrs C. Patrick, Jas. Whitehead, H. G. Hunter and G. T. Keurke attended the Owen Sound Bowling tournament this week

Rev. and Mrs. Thos. Wilson bade farewell to their Walkerton friends last week and left on Saturday for London for they will make their home for a time.

Mrs. James Fairlairn and daughter, Mrs. Stephen Garland and little son, Jimmie, arrived here last week on a visit to her brother, Mr. John Frame and relatives.

Mrs. A. (Susie) Bauman, of Kitchener, is here packing her household effects which she will ship to Kitchener this week where they intend making their future home.

R. H. Halbert, Pres. of the P. F. O. will address the Dunkeld Farmer's Club on Friday Evening August 2nd. at 8 p.m. meeting to be held in Schulers Hall—J. J. Zettler, Sec'y.

Miss Emma Scherrer and little Miss Gertrude Scherrer, who have been spending the past two months with Mrs. Erdman, returned to their home at Bay City, Mich. on Tuesday afternoon.

A general invitation is extended to all the citizens of Walkerton to welcome the Chautauqua who arrive on the G. T. R. noon train Wed. Aug. 7. Will everyone make an extra effort to welcome our Chautauqua friends. Let Walkerton be equal to all other big towns and cities giving them a rousing welcome.

Chairs Proved Money Getters

Four rocking chairs generously donated by Mr. E. Myles, the Walkerton furniture man, to patriotic garden parties this season, have brought in the snug sum of $115.00 for patriotic purposes.

Giving Up Store

Mr. D. H. Taggart, who has been conducting a bakery and confectionery business in the store leased from Mr. A. Hehn, is giving up the business. Mr. Hehn states that his plans are uncertain but that he may continue the business.

Kicked By Horse

Mr. John L. George, of Brant, was kicked in the side by a horse on Saturday but did not consider it serious. On Sunday Internal disorder developed as a result of the blow. His condition became serious and not until Tuesday was he out of danger. At present Mr. George is doing well and will, it is expected, be all right again in a short time.

Buys Choice Thoroughbreds

Mr. John Scanlan of Beaver Glen Farm, Brant, added to his stock last week two choice young Scotch Top Shorthorn heifer calves, purchasing them from Thomas Mercer, the well-known breeder of Markdale, for $500. Mr. Scanlan has a fine farm property, good stock and is not afraid to spend his money to get the best. He is certainly doing his bit towards make farming what it should be in this fine section of country.

Mr. Pete La France was laid up a few days the past week as a result of hurting his leg by falling from the Can. Express Wagon.

Steadily Progressing

Mr. C. A. Fox is still steadily improving and during the last few days has made the best progress yet. He is now able to sit up for a short time and occasionally to have a few minutes' chat with some old friends.

Many Shifted to Class A

Capt. Laird and another medical man were here on Thursday and Friday examining the men in Category E. who had been called in for re-examination. A large proportion of them were transferred to Category A. Several men living up in the Peninsula did not get their notice in time and on coming down after the doctors had gone, had to go on to London at their own expense to be re-examined. One man, who is alone on a 300 acre farm 40 miles north of Wiartop did not get down until yesterday.

Walkerton Markets

(Revised, Wednesday, July 3

Hay	$10.00 to ...
Oats, per bsh.	80 to ...
Wheat " "	2.10 to ...
Butter, per lb.	38to ...
Eggs, per doz.	42to ...
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Hogs, per cwt.	18.50 t
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LIVE NEWS OF NEIGHBORING VILLAGES AND COUNTRYSIDE

:-: Happenings of the Week Collected for the Readers of The Telescope by a Staff of Wideawake Correspondents :-:

GLAMIS

Miss Bessie Mallough returned to her home in Teeswater this week.

Mr. J. Cunningham was home from Walkerton over Sunday.

Miss Mary McLeod has returned home from visiting her sister, Mrs. Silcbrist, of Detroit, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. Sargeant and family and Miss Beere and Miss Burns, of Hamilton, motored here on Saturday. Mr. Sargeant and family are visitors at Wm. Nicholls, 16th con., Greenock, and Misses Beere and Burns visitors at J. Cunningham's.

Congratulations to Miss Phyllis Moffat, who was successful in passing her Entrance Exams, with honors.

Mrs. Scott and Mrs. Sutherland, of London, are guests of Mrs. Dan A. McLean.

Miss Margaret Campbell is home from Harriston on her vacation.

Miss Robena McFadyen returned to Toronto on Saturday.

Miss McKenzie, of Owen Sound, is visiting her brothers here.

Mr. and Mrs. Scaby and Mrs. McLeish have returned to their home in Fort William.

Miss Edith Howson is in Clifford assisting Dr. Black's in moving to Guelph.

Owing to Anniversary Services in St. Pauls Church, Aug. 4th. Services are withdrawn in Baptist Church.

An auto party of friends from Hamilton are visiting at James Thompson's.

Anniversary services will be conducted by Rev. Dr. McGillivary, of Guelph, in St. Pauls Church, Aug. 4th.

Messrs Mac. and Neil McLean, Allan Bell and Chas. F. McKinnon motored to Guelph on Sunday to see Angus McLean in the Hospital there, who we are pleased to report is doing nicely.

Miss Lily McKinnon, of Brantford, is home on her holidays.

Miss Emma Howson has returned home from an extended visit with friends in Campbellford and Toronto.

Rev. J. E. McCauley is holidaying at his home in Tara.

Our sympathy goes out to Mr., Mrs. and Miss Moulton, of Port Elgin, former residents here) in the loss of their only son and brother, Pte. Morris Moulton, whose life has been given up for his King and Country. He was first reported gassed and later reported dead.

Rev. D. M. Guest, of Beryie, called on friends here last week on his way to Walkerton for Military Medical Examination.

Mr. Robert Russell, who was seriously injured in a runaway accident a few weeks ago, we are pleased to report is home from the hospital and doing nicely. Hope for his speedy recovery.

Miss Margaret Haldenby and Gertie Gunn are visiting friends near Holyrood.

RIVERSDALE

Mrs. Toulie and daughter and Miss Higgins of Toronto are spending their vacation at Lawrence Beninger's.

Misses Grace McDonald and Katherine Sanderson are visiting friends at Mornington.

Miss Marion Petteplace returned to Kitchener last week after spending her holidays at her home here.

Mrs. Robt. Hall and children of Stratford are visiting her mother, Mrs. Peter Valad.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Halliday spent Sunday at John Sillick's.

Mrs. W. Hocket and son of Toronto are visiting her sister, Mrs. Wm. Brown.

We are glad to report Mr. Wm. McDonald to be recovering after his recent illness.

Master Bert Dietrich is spending his vacation with his sister, Mrs. L. S. Beninger of Wingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Schanbach spent Sunday with friends at Cargill.

Miss Rose Ellinghausen has returned home after spending a few weeks with friends at Detroit.

A number of friends from Gortrie and Molesworth motored to Riversdale and spent Sunday at Gib. Chatreau's.

DUNKELD

We regret to have to report the tragic death which befell Cadet H. F. Allardyce at Deseronto on Saturday last, as a result of injuries sustained in an aeroplane crash near Camp Rathburn, the previous day, when Second Lieut. Morley, who was with him in the plane was instantly killed. Cadet Allardyce is survived by his wife, a young widow, now residing in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodger Corrigan of Lucknow spent over Sunday with the former's brother, Joe here.

Messrs Ed. and Jos. Smith of Greenock visited their sister, Mrs. George Knoll here on Sunday.

Mr. John Ernest was confined to his bed for a few days last week the result of suffering a slight sun-stroke ,while working in the hay field during the recent heat move.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kelly and babe returned on Saturday to their home in Windsor after a few week's visit with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Spitzig of Toronto spent a few days last week at the former's home on the town line.

Mr. Wm Chesney purchased a heavy draft steed from Mr. Jos. Schuett of Cargill.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Merchant spent Sunday at the latter's home at "Beaver Glen".

Mr. and Mrs. Louie Voisen of near Cargill motored up in their new Roadster and spent over Sunday with friends.

Mr. Wes. Abell has a six-acre field of splendid fall wheat, the like of which has scarcely ever been surpassed in quality in former years in this locality. The most wheat growers are grateful at having a half crop of the staff of life this year and how Wes. managed to "win out" over the locals this time is sort of starting to "get them."

A bunch of "Reds" from the Southampton Reserve have formed an encampment in their old quarters and are making ready to deluge the surrounding countryside with their special line of plain and fancy basketware, ahem!

Sunday was a sort of unlucky day for some autoists while motoring in the suburbs. In the a. m. one chap lost control of his machine with the result that the rudderless outfit wiggled off the road and it would be difficult to state which came in for the lion's share of the censored expressions—the car or the helmsman, while the big giant was being pushed back on the rural highway again, and Archie threatened to migrate from the breeze belt when the storm subsided.

The cool weather of the past few days is certainly a pleasant change from the sultry variety existing for several weeks previous.

Mrs. M. Clancy is visiting her daughter, Mrs. John Cronin Ambleside.

Quite a number from here journeyed to the lakeside and spent the week-end enjoying the cool and refreshing breeze along lake Huron's shore.

Barney Spitzig, wife and family of the West, are on a visit to the former's home on the townline, after an absence of six years. Since leaving these parts Barney has made good, being manager of one of the largest grain elevators in that part of the country. He expects to return about the middle of August.

Making a football of some reporters of the Daily press seems to be a popular pastime with many these days. Quite true, some false rumors find their way to an Editor's desk and thence to the columns of his Journal. But why make a big fellow of oneself by assuming the role of a "kicker" when the false report is not of libelous character nor intended to injure? I am sure the informants do not profit thereby unless in a case where they are directly concerned. Moreover, in many more cases retaliation could be effectively administered as a means of justification as far as false reports are concerned, if the other party felt inclined to do the mean thing that his opponent has been wont to stoop to.

CARGILL

Miss Myrtle Elder has joined the staff of the Royal Bank.

Miss Lillian Taylor is the latest addition to the Royal Bank Staff.

Mr. M. L. Ziegler motored over from Blyth last week on a visit to old friends here.

The local Masons have elected officers for the coming year as follows:—

W. M.—J. B. Chisholm
S. W.—Wm. Hopper
J. W.—G. F. Saunders
S. D.—F. F. Balsdon
J. D.—Cecil Gaslon I
Sec.—W. J. Loughheen
Treas.—Geo. Sirrs
Tyler—Thos. Hood

CHEPSTOW

Mrs. Edward Herbert and little son Joseph, of Buffalo, N. Y., are spending the summer months with Mrs. Herbert's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Hanley.

The finest field of wheat we have seen in this part of the country is a ten acre field on Mr. John Durkin's farm. It has a magnificent crop.

A good rain here last Thursday made the farmers smile. The hail which accompanied the rain, did slight damage though.

BRANT AVENUE

Some one remarked a few months ago please turn on more heat. Well we wonder what that some person has been wishing for the past few weeks, since his wish became fulfilled. If he isn't wishing to sleep in the ice house.

Our haymoods are certainly glad that haying is over as there was a lot of sweat wiped off their faces during these hot days. As Iote said oh how good a few drinks of 3 per cent lager would taste and not being obtainable it was handy they could fall back on a good cold drink of "Nature's" lager.

Our two cream haulers Messrs. Long and Johnston came getting nearly being roasted on their topless cream wagons, so they couldn't stand for that much longer so they got canvas tops put over their whole wagon thus helping to keep the cream from being butter before it reaches the creamery.

Pte. Wm. Slade was home on leave from London from Saturday till Tuesday and on Monday his neighbors made a surprise party for him at his home (on short notice) and invited about 30 or more folks. They made merry the few hour's they were together and everyone before departing wished Bill and all our boys in training Good Luck and safe and speedy return again to our midst.

On Thursday August 8th, a lot of our sports are intending to take a day off and see some fast driving by some of the experts who will be the main attractions at the Races.

SOLWAY

Mr. and Mrs. Lambertus and family visited friends in Chepstow on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Spitzig and two children of Chepstow spent Sunday with the former's sister, Mrs. A. J. Knoll.

Joshua Michell of the Imperial Bank of Cochrane is spending a couple of weeks at his home here.

Mr J. L. George had the misfortune to be kicked by a horse on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lambertus and family attended the funeral of the late Nelson Lambertus in Walkerton on Tuesday.

Mrs. Jno. Hanmore and children and sister, Miss M. Keenan, left on Monday for the latter's home in Campbellford where they will visit for a time.

Mrs. Gilbert and three kiddies and Miss Muriel Rankin who have been staying with their sister Mrs. Chas. Ormiston returned to their home in Regina last Tuesday. They were accompanied by Mrs. Jas. Ormiston who will visit her daughter Kate for a time.

HANOVER

The two and a half year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Crispin met with a nasty accident when he got his right hand in the pulley of the hay fork. One finger was broken and his hand was otherwise badly bruised.

Friends in Hanover of Rev. Horace E. Bray of Thamesville, former rector of St. James church, Hanover, join in extending sympathy to him on the occasion of the death at the front of his gallant son, Lieut. Rex Bray of the Royal Air Force. Rex was quite a little fellow when the family moved away from Hanover. Another son, Harold is also serving his King and Country in France.

Owing to the haying season being on, there was only a small attendance at the presentation of medals to the boys who are employed on farms in this locality. Dr. Taylor acted as chairman and after short addresses by A. B. Currey and Mr. R. J. Ball, M. P., the medals were presented to the boys by Mr. Brock of Guelph who gave some interesting details as to the progress of the work, together with the sacrifice the boys were making in assisting the farmers.

Town and District

Local bowlers expect to be well represented at the Bowling Tournament at Hanover on Civic Holiday.

Hurrah for Chautauqua

This is to be 6 days of real enjoyment. There is nothing formal about a Chautauqua. Everyone for miles around Walkerton should enjoy this good time. It will be held in a huge tent on the public school ground. The tent will seat 2000 people. It will be as informal as a circus. If you have no car, get up a hay rack party. Everybody welcome. Get a season ticket and be there the first day Aug. 7. Season ticket $2.40, single afternoon 50c, evening 75c.

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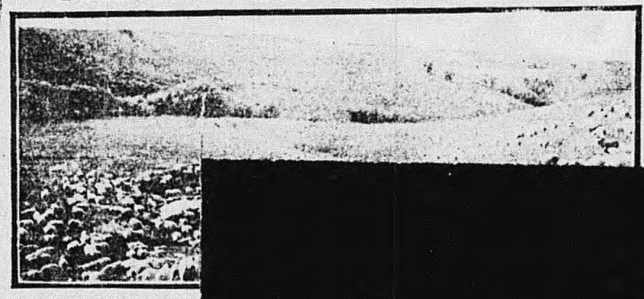
On the British Western Front in France.— French troops on the roadside moving up with British Tommies near the line.



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Some shell cases on the roadside in the front area, the contents of which have been despatched over into the German lines.

SHEEP ON THE FARM



A official of the Dominion Government, who is at present at Lethbridge, Alberta, inspecting the grading of the wool in that district, announces that the clip of the Southern Alberta Wool Growers will be about a million and a half pounds. This is an increase for the association of twenty-five per cent. over last year. Although it is not yet early to make an estimate of the increase expected throughout the whole of the Canadian Prairie West, it is not expected that the average increase will be less than that of the Southern Alberta Wool Growers Association. In other words, an increase of approximately twenty-five per cent. is looked for in the wool clip of Western Canada over that of last year. Shearing has now begun and will be in full swing before the middle of June. The increase in the number of lambs this year has been a very satisfactory one, being between one hundred and one hundred and fifty per cent. of the size of the flocks.

The Canadian Co-operative Wool Growers Association, which was formed last year, is all ready to handle this year's clip. Two warehouses have been secured in Toronto, Ontario, to which the wool of the Association will be forwarded and stored for selling. A large majority of the Canadian sheep raisers are members of the association, but it is expected that much wool will be handled for non-members, so that several million pounds will be sold through this channel during the season.

The growth of the sheep industry among the farmers of Western Canada during the last few years has been a remarkable one. At least it appears so at first glance, especially to those who do not know the country. But it is not so surprising to those who know the natural advantages of the country. Speaking generally there is no part of the continent where a farmer can engage in sheep raising with greater prospects of success than in Western Canada. The climate, abundance of food and

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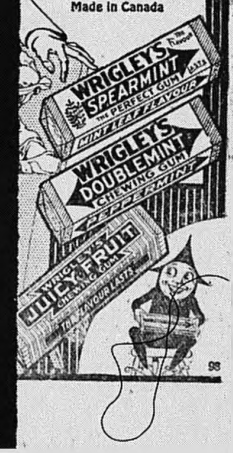
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FARM COLD STORAGE

Small, Efficient Plant Does Not Cost Much.

Simple and Efficient Running Water Systems for the Farm—How Full Directions Regarding Equipment and Installation May Be Secured.

Contributed by Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.

A COLD storage is a room or building, depending upon the size, cooled by ice or by some mechanical means. In short, it is a place for keeping food products cool in the hot weather. Since the farms produce the food and since the cooling of it should be done quickly and immediately after production, say milk for example, that in order to keep it in good condition as long as possible, would it not seem good business and economy to have the cold storage on the farm? This applies to our farms particularly since they produce such very perishable products as milk, butter, eggs, fruit and meat. If there was another advantage in having cold storage on the farm than that it provides a place in which to keep the dairy victuals cool and sweet, there would seem to be a good reason for including it in the farm equipment. There are many ways of providing a small cold storage on the farm, but with the exception of very large fruit and dairy farms, the same principle applies to all, namely, that ice is used as the means of cooling. The method of applying the ice to the best advantage constitutes the problem in each individual case. This is why no one system can be recommended for all cases. It is my intention to describe briefly below one or two which should give good service in many farm homes.

The particular name of this system is the Bunker system. It consists of a small room a few feet square with a bunker or box or rack at one side for holding the cakes of ice. It is separated from the room by a partition which is kept a few inches off the floor and likewise from the ceiling. The bunker has a slatted floor with pan just below to catch water which is disposed of readily through a drain. This arrangement provides a natural means of the cold air to drop down to the room, escape into the cooling room below and for the warm air to pass over the partition to the ice. So long as this bunker is kept supplied with ice there will be a natural flow of air through the storage room. The room be well insulated it will be possible to maintain a temperature of about 40 deg. Fahrenheit in a fairly dry atmosphere. Those desiring plans for constructing the type outlined or any other type may have them free of charge by communicating with the writer. Information and assistance will be freely given to all applicants. Write us.—J. Grahru, B.S.A., Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph.

The Conveniences for Country.

The desirability and importance of an ample supply of pure water on the farm can hardly be over emphasized. Perhaps more than any other single element it determines the healthy and robust development of the body. Inversely, deadly disease germs lurk in the impure waters of contaminated wells which may bring death with little warning into the family circle. Without great expense the water supply on the average farm may be so protected as to prevent contamination and it surely seems the part of wisdom in every case to have an abundant supply of pure water for man and beast.

Where the household supply must be drawn from a well or a stream some distance from the dwelling the physical labor involved is great. It may be assumed that when no plumbing is installed an allowance of 25 gallons per person per day for all purposes is necessary. With a family of figure someone—often the housewife — must carry 400 pounds of water a day, or over one ton a week. In the stable much the same conditions exist. The task of pumping water by hand for a large number of stock is slow and arduous—wasteful of time and trying to the temper. And in cold, stormy weather stock when driven to an outside tank or an ice-covered stream, will rarely drink sufficient for their best performance or development. Better systems in each case pay their cost in dollars as well as in convenience, comfort and health.

The question of cost is important. Many improvements may be made, however, such as safeguarding the well from pollution, installing a hydraulic ram, septic tank, gravity system, etc., which are not expensive and when the farmer has come to do a good deal of the work himself the cost is reduced to a point where thousands can afford the installations. With a practical working knowledge of the principles of farm water supply, water systems, equipage and sewage disposal few, indeed, who have now impure well water and are without household and stable water conveniences but can make improvements of the most beneficial nature and at a cost which, they can afford to expend.

To give such information is the purpose of a bulletin now presented to the farm public of Ontario by the Ontario Department of Agriculture, Parliament Buildings, Toronto. Practical information, as complete as possible, and so arranged as to enable each reader to find quickly the particular problem he is most interested in, is given regarding every phase of the water question. To further assist those who may wish to make improvements or installations the author of the bulletin will gladly give personal attention to any question or problem which may be sent them.

TOWN AND DISTRICT NEWS

The use we make of our abilities is of much greater consequence than their extent.

As the result of being struck by a toy "boomerang" Russel Duke of Grand Valley will likely loose the sight of one eye.

Mr. Andrew Schmidt has handed over to the Carrick Red Cross Society the sum of $20, being part of his share for selling Victory Bonds.

A. Douglas, principal of Southampton Continuation School, is taking his final year for the degree of B. A. at Queen's University summer school.

Mrs. Farquharson, who passed away at Wingham at an advanced age last week, was the step-mother of Mr. John Farquharson, Town Clerk of Teeswater.

Every person who travels into Denmark must submit upon arrival a list of all the wearing apparel he carries with him. On leaving the country he may take with him only the listed articles.

Mr. John W. Berry, manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia at Meaford, is home on a week's vacation. Mr. Berry states that there will be about a fifty per cent crop in the West this season, although in many sections the drought and windstorms completely ruined the prospects.—Mildmay Gazette.

A New Yorker was stopping a night at a hotel in a southern town. At bedtime he called the attendant, who was a darkey, and asked to be awakened at 7 o'clock in the morning. "Say, boss," replied the porter, "I reckon you ain't familiar with these here modern inventions. When you wants to be called in de morning all you has to do is just to press de button at de head of your bed; Den he comes up and calls you."

Too Literal

A tradesman in a certain town put a box outside his shop one day, labelled "For the Blind." A few weeks afterward the box disappeared. "Hello! What's happened to your box for the blind?" he was asked. "Oh, I got enough money," he replied. And pointing upward to the new canvas blind that sheltered his shop window, "There's the blind. Not bad, is it?"

Pointer For Mother

When the small boy of the family needed a new pair of trousers mother thought it would be nice to let him choose the kind he wanted. So when they got to the clothier's she said to him. "Now, Willie, you may choose from these pants on the counter any pair you like." "Gee, here's my choice, ma," said Willie. "See the card." It read: "These pants can't be beaten."

Garden Party At Elmwood

The garden party held on the lawn of Alex. Wilson last Thursday, under auspices of the Women's Institute, was a fine success. William McDonald, M. P. P., Chesley, acted as chairman in his usual jovial way. The ladies supplied a dainty lunch, and a good program. The Chesley band was in attendance. At the close of the program William Machegary, took the platform to sell the quilt donated by the institute. The total proceeds of $230 are to go to the soldiers' comfort fund.

Free Newspapers Thing of the Past

By an official order of the United States War Industries Board, which has the force and effect of a statute, all U. S. papers starting July 15th., must discontinue the delivery of free copies. It has been the custom for newspapers to exchange with each other, and now that is unlawful. Free copies have also been given to charitable institutions, and to men who handle newspapers to exchange with each other, and now that is unlawful. But now all these papers must be cut off. The discontinuance was neither prompted nor promoted by the newspapers, but it is a war measure. Any person receiving a free paper who has it stopped may charge it to the Kaiser, who is really the originator of it. It is a law which affects every publication and must be honestly observed by all of them.

Why Did He Leave Globe?

In an editorial comment on the resignation of J. F. MacKay from the management of the Toronto Globe to become treasurer of the Russell Motor Company, the Ottawa Journal-Press says: Surprise is due to the fact that Mr. MacKay is recognized to be one of the ablest newspaper men of this country. Why should another line of business be able to take from one of the leading positions in newspaperdom a particularly able man? The answer is simple, the other line of business pays more. We would imagine a good deal more for we know that Mr MacKay was proud of The Globe and his connection with it. Furthermore, being a man of highest personal character, and of a most likeable disposition there was every reason why The Globe Company should have been anxious to hold on to him. However, the newspaper industry in this country is not in the financial class of many of the big industrial interests and not able to offer such financial rewards to its workers.

The first steel ship built without rivets was launched in South England. The plates were welded.

The Fergus Board of Education has voted its five public school teachers a war bonus of $50 each for the year 1918 payable in December.

Holland has twenty-two women candidates for parliament. We can see where the mere Dutchman is to be crowded out of the limelight entirely.

Whale meat and swordfish steaks are are reported to be in great demand in Boston. At any rate the latter is calculated to sharpen a man's appetite.

Deer Becoming Tame

The Dundalk Herald reports that several deer have been seen recently in Melancthon township, to the east of Dundalk, feeding in the fields with the cattle.

Letter From Lieut. Harold Young.

Lieut Harold Young in a letter to Geo. H. Mitchell of Hanover, writes that he has been in England up to a month and a half ago, acting as instructor in the Royal Air Force. He is now in France. He says: "At our present station there are all kinds of wild boar in the neighboring forests and we occasionally have some great sport."

He Knew The Place

"Now, boys," said the teacher in the juvenile Sunday school class, "our lesson to-day teaches us that if we are good while here on earth, when we die we will go to a place of everlasting bliss. But suppose we are bad then what will become of us?" "We'll go to a place of everlasting blister," promptly answered the small boy at the pedal extremity of the class.—Brooklyn Citizen.

A Memorial Plate

A handsome brass plate commemorating the death of a heroic Walkerton soldier, Corp. Gabe Haas, son of Contractor Alex Haas, is on exhibition for a few days in Mr. Con Reichenbach's jewelry window. The plate which is to be placed on the wall of Walkerton R. C. Church, bears the coat of arms of the 34th Overseas Battalion and reads:—"In memory of Lance Corp. Gabriel Haas, wounded Sept 8th, 1915, killed in action Nov. 9th, 1917, at Passchendaele. 1916—1917"

Farmer Forced To Knees

The action of some young aviators in flying low over the Provincial Government lands at Willowdale yesterday seriously frightening a number of farmers has caused a great deal of indignation. It is stated that the farmers have been put to a great deal of inconvenience and in some cases have narrowly escaped injury. One young airman is said to have swooped so low to the ground that an elderly farmer was forced to drop to his knees to avoid being struck by the wings of the machine. It is probable that a protest will be made to the R. A. F. commandant.—Toronto Star.

Nothing Doing The First Day

Murphy left the church one Sunday after listening to an eloquent sermon on "The Day of Judgment," and sought out Father Kelly.

"Sure 'twas a fine sermon, father," said he, "but did you mean what ye said about all the nations getting together on the day of judgment—all of 'em?"

"I did that, Murphy," said Father Kelly.

"The Dutch, the Eyetalians, the Scotch, and all?" said Murphy.

"All of them," said the priest.

"And the English?"

"Yes; they will be there too."

"And the Orangemen?..

"Certainly, Murphy."

"And will all the Ancient Order of Hibernians be there too?"

"As sure as you are here now."

Well, father, dear," muttered Murphy as he walked away, "I'm thinking there won't be much work done the first day anyway."

Rev. Mr. Cosens At Palmerston

Says the Palmerston Spectator:—Rev. C. W. Cosens, the popular pastor of the Methodist Church, Walkerton, was in town on Tuesday, the guest of his cousin, Mr. Albert Cusens. The Rev. gentleman after serving the interests of many congregations during the past is still youthful, for no man can be regarded as advanced in years, while his eyes are still set on the course before him and in whose heart still lies the hope of better and greater things to come. Few men in the Methodist ministry possess a richer stored mind and can furnish a congregation with more original matter. It is to be regretted that the Palmerston Methodist Church, although anxious on several occasions to have him as their pastor, have never been able to secure his services. His last year with a congregation is usually his strongest year and if all his clerical brethren had the same broad outlook and been inspired by the same Christian spirit the narrow sectarian spirit so prevalent in many communities, would not be so conspicuous in every day life. The Rev. gentleman enjoyed his visit here very much.

Do not admit to your house inspectors not carrying credentials.

Let outdoor life at this season claim all one's leisure moments. The house should be but the adjunct to the porch and yard. Lunch, when possible, among the trees or on the porch.

Chief Justice Falconbridge granted the town of Wiarton an order of foreclosure under mortgage with six months to redeem or for sale after three months against the Canada Casket Company, Limited, against whom the town claimed $19,980,63 due on principal and $1,811,44 interest on money advanced by way of bonus.

To-day you're husky, sound and hale, and fit to gather in the kale. To-morrow you may have disease, or break your legs off at the knees. To-day you have a job that's good, you whistle as you saw your wood; to morrow you may be informed you've lost the place you long have warmed. If hard luck hands you thus, a poke, what will you do if you are broke? You cannot borrow fifty cents from any easy going gents, for in these times of grief and groans each guy requires his stock of bones. Be prudent now and put away some guilders for the rainy day!

Former Walkerton Boys

Both sons of Mr. D. C. Wilson, who was here from Toronto last week, are still Overseas. Jack, who has been twice wounded, is still in England recovering from wounds but expects to return to the Front soon. Alex, who was badly wounded, has returned to the trenches again after eight months in a hospital in England. The boys both enlisted early in the War and have been in a lot of the worst fighting.

Hot Weather Maxims.

Dr. Hastings, M.O. H. of Toronto, advises people to drink lots of cold water, not iced water, during the hot spell. Frequent baths in tepid or cold water will be most refreshing. Alcoholic beverages should be avoided, also all forms of animal food. Fruit, vegetables and cereals will be found far more beneficial and less food than usual should be eaten. The doctor said everyone should keep in the shade as much as possible and avoid overexertion. If this advice is carefully followed there will be few cases of heat stroke or collapse. Babies should be allowed as much freedom as possible and be clothed with the lightest of garments and no more than absolutely necessary.

Suspended Sentence

Palmerston Spectator:—On Wednesday afternoon of last week, one of a party of returned soldiers who were soliciting newspaper subscriptions, entered the home of Mrs. Fred Langton at Kenilworth and helped himself to her diamond ring and gold penant which she had left on her dresser in her bedroom. Mr. Langton, who was at work in a field near the house, saw the man and told him Mrs. Langton was not at home and thought no more about it until his wife's return, she discovered that the theft had been made. She also found that a box in which the trinkets had been kept, was dumped out on the dresser and some money which it contained was taken. Constable Green of Drayton was notified and the man who committed the theft was arrested the following morning at a Palmerston hotel. He was wearing Mrs. Langdon's ring at the time and was taken to Drayton where he appeared before Police Magistrate Woodman and pleaded guilty to the charge of theft. The Magistrate sent him to Guelph for sentence. On Monday he appeared before Judge Hayes. He informed the Judge that he had served in France and was wounded and gassed at the Somme. He blamed his physical and nervous condition for his having yielded to the crime and was allowed to go on suspended sentence.

SONG OF THE NON-ADVERTISER

That the non-advertisers should get together and sing the following because that is really what they mean when they do not take advantage of the Telescope for increasing their sales:

Please go away and let me sleep.
Don't disturb my slumbers deep.
I don't want to advertise,
Open while the people's eyes,
Beat my business, help my sales,
Work and worry 'bout the "sale"
So just pike it to, and leave;
LET ME SLEEP.

I don't want to fuss and splutter,
Handle eggs and mess with butter,
I don't want to spend a dollar,
Helpin, business with a holler,
If I'd buy a space in the paper,
Trade would make me cut and caper
Leave me be. I'm tired. G'wan
AND LET ME SLEEP.

Death, they say, is swift and certain.
Just a few years, then the curtain.
That don't scare me, 'tis to smile,
I've been dead a long, long while.
'Course my heart beats and I'm walk
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But I'm really dead. See! G'wan
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Silk Poplin
Very servicable and rich in finish. Colors, navy, dark green, sand, taupe, brown, burgundy, dark grey and black. 36 inches wide. Per yard **$1.50.**

Fancy Silks
In stripes, spots and floral designs. New color combinations. Yard wide. Per yd **$1,$1.25,$1.50**

Crepe de Chene
For dresses and blouses, complete range of shades and black and ivory. 38-40 inches wide. Per yard **$1.75.**

Silk Crepe Faille
One of the very smartest and most fashionable materials of the season. Nothing surpasses it in finish and it gives the very best of service as well. All the popular shades including grey, sand, nigger, rose, brown, pink, burgundy, taupe, Belgian blue and ivory. 36 inches wide. Per yard **$2.00.**

Duchesse Pailette
Swiss make and of very fine finish. Best wearing quality. All shades and black and ivory. Yard wide. Per yard **$1.75, $2.25 and $2.50.**

Navy and Black Serges
We have in stock navy and black serges, pure wool, shrunk and fast dyes.
Serges are today practically unobtainable at any price and we could dispose of every yard in stock to manufacturers of ready-to-wear at 50 per cent over our selling prices. No wonder that we think we have something good to offer you in these. 42 to 54 inches wide.
$1.00, 1.25, 1.50, 1.75, 2.00, 2.25 to $3.75 a Yard.

Niagara Maid Silk Gloves
The Glove that fits like a kid and gives satisfaction. Pure silk, double tipped. Colors grey, black and white. Three qualities **75c, $1., and $1.25**

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For men and boys. In Navy with gold shade trim. Combination style with skirt. Prices **75c, 85c, $1.00 and $1.25.**

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August Attractions

This is the month we clean out all Summer Goods. They Must Go.

We start off with 2 doz. Summer Parasols, plain and fancy colors—reg. prices $1.25 to $3.00. Take your choice while they last at 75c each

10 doz. Plain black and white cotton Hose sizes 7½ to 10 worth 35c to 40c. On sale 25c. per pair.

200 yds. Ginghams, Prints, Voilles and Chambrays worth 25c to 35c. sale price—20c yd.

Men's and Boys' Summer Straw Hats clearing at half price some less. See our west window Friday morning for display and prices.

You will be interested in our Table of Remnants. You will find a nice selection of short ends at tempting prices.

Remember "Chautauqua Week" August 7th to 13th.

McBURNEY & CO'Y

NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Walkerton Race Meeting, Thursday, August 8th.

Mr. Henry Spitzig went to South River on Monday.

Miss Rhea Baker returned from the West on Saturday.

Miss Florence Weller of Hespeler is spending her holidays at her home.

Mrs. Richardson and son, of Toronto, are visitors at Mr. E. Myles'.

Don't forget the public meeting in the town hall on Sunday afternoon at three o'clock.

Mrs. John Clancy of Cargill spent over Sunday with her son, James and Mrs. Clancy.

Mr. White of Bracebridge motored here last week on a visit to his sister Mrs. M. J. Ramsey.

Mrs. Joseph Dentinger returned on Monday after a few weeks' visit with relatives at Hamilton and Kitchener.

Mr. and Mrs. Gemmel of Smith's Falls are expected here this week on visit to the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Taggart.

Mrs. Hamilton who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. John McLean the past two months, left yesterday for her home at Hammond, Ind.

Rev. Mr. Mulligan, of Nova Scotia who was called to the pastorate of Geneva Presbyterian Church, Chesley has declined the call.

Judge and Mrs. Greig and Miss Eleanor left Monday on a trip to Winnipeg. Before returning they expect to visit to their former home at Almonte

The death occurred at Neustadt on Friday of Mr. Sieling father of Mr. Adam Sieling of the Knechtel Furniture Co. Hanover and of Mr. William Sieling, Walkerton.

Sergt. Eugene Schnurr, who has been acting as Sergeant-instructor in England writes his father, Mr. Con B. Schnurr from Glasgow that he is seeing Scotland on two weeks' leave.

Mrs. (Dr.) McMillan and her daughter's, Margaret and Madalene who have been visiting her sister, Mrs. Thos. Pye, left yesterday to visit friends at Grand Bend before returning home to Claresholm, Alta.

Mr. W. H Adams returned on Saturday from a short holiday trip to Ottawa, Montreal and Quebec and is spending a couple of weeks here with Mrs. Adams and little daughter before returning to his duties in the city.

The members of the Methodist choir held a pleasant social evening at the home of Mrs. Harvey Brocklebank of Brant one evening last week. They presented Mrs. Brocklebank, who has been a member of the choir, with a nice piece of silverware.

The thirty days of grace allowed by the Canada Registration Board for registering expired on Monday. Attention is now called to the fact that people who marry or change their place of residence must notify the Central Registrar within fourteen days.

A woman that paints puts up a bill: "To Let."

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Meyer and Mr. and Mrs. Alex Meyer of St. Clements motored here on Saturday and spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Benninger and other relatives.

Mr. Pickard of Wiarton, son-in-law of Mrs. Halladay, has leased a sawmill at Paisley and has purchased the Fincher timber lands in Elderslie. Mr. Pickard expects to remove from Wiarton to Paisley shortly.

Mr. Jack J. Spitzig of Buffalo, N. Y. is spending this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Spitzig and will return home on Saturday with his wife and family, who have been visiting here for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Lamont B. A. shipped their household affects to London this week and left on Wednesday for that city where Mr. Lamont has accepted a position as head of the Mathematics Dept. at the new Technical School.

A New York advertising expert, Elon G. Pratt, says: "Some advertisers never seem to to learn that in their advertising they talk too much about themselves, and not enough about those to whom they would like to sell their goods. Too much advertising is written around the I of the advertiser rather than the you of the consumer.

Wanted

Pant-maker wanted. Girls to work on clothing. Apply to S. A. Rife & Co.

Now Out Of Danger

Mr. Louis Voelzing received a cable on Monday stating that his son, Wesley, who was reported dangerously wounded recently, was now out of danger and would likely recover.

Hurt When Horse Bolted.

Mr. Jas. Hyslop was slightly injured on Monday noon by being thrown from his rig when his horse became frightened by a pile of grass on the roadside and bolted. Mr. Hyslop's leg was caught in the spokes of the wheel and he was so badly bruised that he has since been confined to his bed

Paisley Takes Keystone Trophy

A Paisley rink skipped by that veteran bowler, Mr. Ike Shoemaker, went after the Keystone Trophy at Chesley and succeeded in bringing it home. A Port Elgin rink came down last week with envious eyes but were unable to recapture the coveted silverware which still reposes snugly in Mr. Shoemaker's jewelry window.

BORN

FILSINGER—In Carrick on July 15th, to Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Filsinger, a son.

NICKEL—In Carrick on July 3rd, to Mr. and Mrs. Adam Nickel, a daughter.

LOBSINGER—In Mildmay, on July 23rd, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lobsinger, a son.

SCHMALTZ.—In Mildmay on July 24th to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Schmaltz, a daughter.

JEWELLRY OF ALL KINDS

Watches, Clocks, Cut Glass Silverware and Jewellry of all kinds.

C.A. FOX, & SON

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Welt Cushion Sole Shoes for Children are soft and easy. Can't hurt the tenderest feet. Colors black and chocolate. Price

1 to 7½ $2.75
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Ideal Silver Cream

Has no equal for polishing Gold, Silver, or any smooth metallic surface. It is entirely new, and unlike any other preparation contains no minerals, acids or poisons.
A trial will convince you of its merit.

Price 25c a bottle

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Just in at

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THE PEOPLE'S STORE

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Now is the time to prepare for the hot Season.
Note your needs in the following lines and buy at the first opportunity.
New Dress Materials in figured and plain Crepes, Ladies' Parasols, Ladies' Gloves Lisle and Silk, Ladies' Hosiery in Lisle, Cotton and Silk. Ladies' Underwear in Cotton and Porus. Ladies' Waists in Voile and Silk.
Men's Balbriggan Underwear, all sizes. Men's and Boys' Straw Hats in Sailors and Snap Brims and Panamas. Men's fine Shirts and Work Shirts. Men's High Grade Neckwear. Men's and Boy's finishings.

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Our long experience and best buying connections and by paying cash enables us to get the best.
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Goode & McKay
PHONE 67 "The People's Grocery"

WALKERTON'S
Cash Sale Store
Extra Values for This Week

Silk Waists $1.25
15 only, Ladies' White Silk Waists. Washable and well-made. All sizes at $1.25.

Skirts Specially Priced
10 only White Summer Skirts of the latest styles, reg. $2.00, Sale Price $1.25.

Bargains in Ladies' Raincoats
Ladies' Silk and Wool Poplin Top Raincoats, colors grey, fawn and navy. Special at $6.95.

Clearing Sale of White Voille Skirts
Special clearance of Voille Waists this week. Made in the newest styles reg. $1.75 for $1.25

Sale Clearance of Men's and Boys' Straw Hats
20 only Men's fine Sailor Hats, regular $2.00. Special 98c.
A big stock of Common Straws at 15c, 20c and 25c.

Wash Goods
500 yards of Wash Goods, Muslins, Linton, Piques and Crepes. Special at 25c a yard.

Ladies' Hose
Ladies' Silk Lisle Hose, colors, Black and White at 35c a pair.

Pure Food Grocery
OUR STOCK IS COMPLETE WITH NEW CRISP GOODS
Best quality Black Tea, special at 55c lb.
Choice Pink Salmon at 25c a tin
Sterling Brand Salmon at 30c per tin.
Homemade Tomato Catsup at 20c per bottle.

New Stock of Fresh Meats Just In
Spice Roll at 40c lb. Bologna at 22c lb. Breakfast Bacon at 46c lb. Ham 40c lb.

Highest Prices Paid For Farm Produce Goods Delivered Promptly.

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Peanut Butter, per lb 30c
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Oatmeal, Cornmeal, Rye Flour, Bran, Roman Meal, Corn Flakes, Etc.

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Berry-picking Popular

Many town people have been through the country picking wild raspberries the past week. The crop is good and the high price of the tame variety of berries which have been selling around 25¢ a box makes sufficient inducement. The Food Board issued a bulletin recently urging the public to conserve the wild raspberry crop for food.

A Second Mishap

Mrs. Malcom Thompson of Brant met with an unfortunate accident on Saturday. About ten weeks ago her right limb was fractured and she had been able to get around a little lately with crutches. On Saturday while supporting herself at the back of a chair she by some means lost her footing and fell over, fracturing her right wrist badly. Mrs. Thompson was taken to the Bruce county Hospital where her many friends hope she may have a speedy recovery.

Won Keystone Trophy.

The Keystone Trophy, that coveted bit of silverware which Bruce County bowlers are constantly contending for, rests snugly in Mr. Sieveright's Drug window since Friday last, when a rink of local bowlers entered over to Teeswater and captured it after a spirited contest on the green. The Walkerton winners consisted of:—Messrs [illegible] B. Stephan, Major Henderson, [illegible] Benninger, and A.P. Sieveright. Already a rink of contenders [illegible] covetous eyes this way and [illegible]day afternoon a rink from Car[illegible]paying here.

[illegible] Bakery Business

[illegible] H. Taggart, who has been [illegible] the East End Bakery for the [illegible] having given up the business and it having fallen back on my [illegible] again. I have decided to resume [illegible]ery and confectionery business [illegible] the old stand, and would respectfully solicit the patronage of this [illegible]munity. I am adding a lot of new [illegible]xtures in the store and the most up-to-date equipment in the bakery dept. I will shortly put my delivery rig back again on the road and deliver bread, pastery, etc., as heretofore.

A. Hehn.

Fuel Controller Named

Chief Ferguson was appointed Fuel Controller for Walkerton at a special meeting of the Town Council held on Monday evening. The Chief's salary is $50 and if fuel is going to be as scarce as present conditions indicate it will certainly earn his money. It is currently reported that some people have more than their share of diamonds stored away in their cellars and it will be the Chief's job to see that these citizens divide up with their less fortunate brethren. It is reported that the 70 per cent rule is to be abolished shortly by the Dominion Fuel Commissioner and probably after Sept. 1st the amount to be allowed any consumer will be a very small one.

Prospects Good

Mr. Wm. Campbell, who is here on a visit from Holland, Man., says the crops in Southern Manitoba are looking fairly good.

Landed in England

Mr. C. S. Schwindt received a cablegram from his son, Cadet Oscar Schwindt of the R. A. F., on Tuesday stating that he had landed safely in England. Oscar left Toronto about three weeks ago and will complete his course in England.

Joins Toronto Battery

Mr. Armond Whitehead, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Whitehead, has volunteered for service with the 42nd. Battery at Toronto. Armond recently passed his final examinations at Osgoode Hall, qualifying him to practise as a lawyer. His only brother, Capt. Roy Whitehead, is on the firing line in France and his only sister, Miss Helena Whitehead left this week to train as a nurse.

Bob Ferguson Gassed

Chief Ferguson received a telegram last Thursday morning stating that his eldest son, Robert, had been admitted to No. 7 Casualty Clearing Station, suffering from gas. Bob enlisted a couple of years ago at Salmon Arm, B. C., where his wife and family still reside. He has been with a Highlander regiment in France and has participated in some of the biggest "shows" on the West Front.

Town Gives $100

The Town Council made a grant of $100 to the Turf Club at the special meeting held Tuesday night. This amount is the Council's share of the expense of putting down new tile drain at the Fair Grounds and the fixing up of the track. The grant was made up the recommendation of the Special Committee, composed of Coun. Lippert, Pletsch and George, which had been appointed at the last meeting to confer with the Turf Club.

Chautauqua On Sunday

A grand sacred concert will be held in the Chautauqua tent Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. An address will be given by Lieut. Hearst who was wounded a few months ago and while recuperating has been lecturing for the British Service Council through the United States. In the evening at 7.30 a union service of the churches—song service and short addresses. Every body welcome.—Silver collection.

New Hospital Supt.

The Bruce County Hospital Board has appointed Mrs. Fox of Toronto to the position of Supt. to succeed Miss Sutherland who resigned her position recently. Mrs. Fox was formerly Supt. of the Hospital at Portage La Prairie and latterly has been in charge of the Y. W. C. A. at Toronto and comes highly recommended for the position. Both her husband and son are Overseas. Mrs. Fox will take charge at the Hospital on the 15th. inst.

NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Walt. Smith returned from Toronto on Monday.

Mr. Walter Rowand has purchased a Ford car.

Mr. A. Hehn went to Toronto on business on Tuesday.

Miss Edna Wahn spent a few days last week in Kitchener.

Miss Cora Rife of Toronto spent Sunday at her home here.

Mrs. Henry Huffman, of Culross, is very ill with appendicitis.

Miss A. Halladay returned this week from holidaying in Toronto.

Miss Rose LaFrance, of Toronto, is holidaying at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. McCartney and sons spent Sunday at the Sauble.

Messrs David Trail and Fred Godwin spent Sunday at Sauble Beach.

Dr. A. G. Fortune and family took in the Owen Sound races on Monday.

Messrs Hank Irwin and R. Long took in the races at Guelph on Monday.

The Town Council will hold its monthly meeting next Thursday evening.

Mrs. Peter Todd, Mrs. Fahey and Miss Jean Todd are visiting friends in town.

Sergt. Tod. Wilhelm, of Guelph, spent the week-end under the parental roof.

Mr. Wm. McCarter spent the past week holidaying at Toronto and Hamilton.

Messrs Clayton Towell and Walter Luttner spent the week-end at Kincardine.

Mr. Geo. Moore and son, Bobbie, of Wiarton, are visiting at James Brislan's.

Miss Winnie Zettel left Saturday on a motor trip to Guelph, Kitchener and Hamilton.

Mr. W. H. Cameron, general merchant of Cargill, was a visitor in town on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tindall, of Woodstock, are here on a visit to her father, Mr. George Ross.

Mr. Nich. McIntee is spending a few holidays with his friend, Mr. Charles Nelson at Toronto.

Mrs. Valle and Mrs. Nelson of Montreal are visiting their sister, Mrs. Norman Robertson.

Miss Isabel Smith returned home to Maple Hill after spending a month with relatives in Guelph.

Miss Grace Kyle, of Cargill, is spending Chautauqua week with her friend, Miss Ruth Hunter.

Mrs. J. F. Muter and children of Kitchener are visiting at the home of Mr. G. S. Schwindt.

Mrs. Harry Truax and family returned on Monday after a month's camp at Sauble Beach.

Mr. Richard Ashley, of Toronto, is visiting with his son, Mr. Alma Ashley of the South Line.

Miss Margaret Bilger is leaving shortly for Toronto where she has obtained a good position.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Kilmer, of Toronto are on a visit to the latter's father, Mr. N. Crawford.

Races to-day.

Lawyer A. E. McNab was off on holidays the past week.

Miss Florence Vogt has been visiting friends at Port Elgin.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Weiler of Woodstock are visiting relatives in town.

Mr. Shaw of Toronto is a guest at the home of Mr. Norman Robertson.

Kolpin & Ermel sold a Baby Grand Chevrolet car to Mr. David Thompson of Brant.

Miss Rose, of Lovat, underwent an operation at the Bruce County Hospital on Tuesday.

Miss Florence Cunningham spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Giebe, Hanover.

Mrs. Frank Rennie and Jim, accompanied by Mrs. F. G. Eidt, spent the week-end in Wingham.

Miss Florence Bulden, Mrs Wm. Anderson and daughter, Verna, spent Civic Holiday at Cargill.

Gordon Wallace left Saturday on a visit to his two uncles and his sister, Mrs. Tidman at Toronto.

Mrs. Uhrig, of Kitchener, who has been visiting her son, Mr. M. Uhrig, returned home on Monday.

Master Bruce Hunter and Miss Ruth returned on Monday after a month's visit at Jarvis and Paris.

Miss Olive Mosack, of Preston, is on a week's holiday to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Mosack.

Mr. D. H. Taggart is removing his his household effects to the flat over Mr. J. Bauman's Laundry.

Mr. and Mrs. Poucher of Toronto motored here on Saturday on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Stephan.

Mrs. Robt. Irwin and children returned on Friday after spending a few weeks at Ripley and Kincardine.

Miss Flossie Brislan returned to Toronto on Monday after spending a few week's vacation at her home here.

Mrs. Wm. Lederman and son, Ralph of Conestoga, spent a few days of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Amos Leech.

Miss Tillie Schnurr is home from Pittsburg, Pa. holidaying with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Con B. Schnurr.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Giebe, of Hanover motored over on a visit to friends in town and in Greenock over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wiles and Mr. and Mrs. J. Elgin Boss motored to Tara and Arran Lakes on Civic Holiday.

Mr. Duncan McKerracher left on Tuesday for Eyebrow, Sask., to superintend the harvesting on his 800 acre farm.

Messrs John Erdman, Hugh Chisholm, Barry Moore and Norval O'Malley motored to Guelph for the races on Monday.

Mrs. J. E. Ferguson returned yesterday from an extended visit to friends at Stratford, Niagara Falls and Port Colborne.

Mr. Pat McGregor motored up from Toronto last week and spent a few days with his mother, Mrs. W. S. McGregor.

Miss May Poole returned on Saturday after a two months' visit at London, Ridgetown, Northwood and other points.

Miss Emma Bilger returned to Toronto on Thursday after a two month's holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bilger.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Montgomery, and son, Stuart, of Detroit and Mrs. L. Stevens of Toronto visited friends in town on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Fulton of Toronto accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Robert Elder were week-end visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Haas.

Mr. John W. Vanatter, of The Goderich Star, and Mrs. Vanatter, motored through here Monday on their way to visit friends at Chesley.

Mr. Peter Lambertus of Hunter's Drug Store leaves the first of the month for Toronto to take his course at the Ontario College of Pharmacy.

Mr. Wm. Campbell, of Holland, Man., Mr. and Mrs. Sharp, of Paisley, and Mrs. and Miss Ross, of Lovat, were visitors this week at Mr. P. Ritchie's.

Mr. and Mrs. William Gimson of Windsor motored here on Tuesday on a visit to the latter's sister, Mrs. Ed. Kelly and relatives at Holyrood. They were accompanied by Master Hugh Lenahan, and Miss Emma Wilhelm, who will spend two weeks' vacation at her home here.

Wanted

Experienced lady clerk. Apply to J. H. Appel.

Young Pigs Wanted

Two young pigs wanted. Apply at the Telescope Office.

George's Close Call

Letters from Walkerton boys Overseas state that Pte. George Craig, formerly of the 100th Batt'n, was slightly wounded in the shoulder. George had a close call, his mess tin being shot off his back.

New Teachers Appointed

The High School Board engaged two new teachers this week to take the places of Mr. Lamont and Miss Cummer who are leaving. Mr. George Robb B. A. of Milliken, Ont., was appointed Mathematics Master at a salary of $1300, and Miss Traver B. A. of Strathroy Science Teacher at a salary of $1200.

Bruce Boys Some Athletes!

At a recent military athletic meet in France two Walkerton boys, Capt. Roy Whitehead and Sergt. Walt. Eidt won their way to the finals in the high and broad jump beating the best jumpers in their battalions and brigades. In the final jump for the championship of the division both Walkerton men were beaten by a professional.

Pig Broke Their Fall

A strange accident happened at the farm of Mr. J. G. Lambertus, just south of the town on Friday. Two colts fell through the barn floor to the stable underneath. Both of the colts escaped with a few scratches but a big fat porker that was stretched out on the floor underneath received the full impact of their hoofs on its stomach and died shortly afterwards from its injuries.

Joke On Chief

Chief Ferguson went berry-picking the other day and got a nice pailful of luscious berries. He hid the pail behind a bush for safe keeping but when he went to find it the pail was as bare as Mother Hubbard's cupboard. All the Chief's ability as a sleuth came to naught and finally he had to return home empty-handed. Fortunately a friend located the pail accidentally and returned it to the Chief.

Revisited Old Home

Dr. and Mrs. Murray and little daughter, Elsie, of Toronto, called on friends in town on Saturday while motoring back to the city after spending a few days with old friends at Cargill. The Doctor is carrying on a general practice in the Riverdale section. He likes the city fine and from his appearance and genial outlook on life, it certainly seems to agree with him. While at Cargill, Dr. and Mrs. Murray were the guests of Mr. Geo. Sirrs and Miss McCoy.

Camping Down the River

A jolly crowd of girls chaperoned by Mrs. Will Paterson, have been having a good time camping down the river the past week. Marshmallow roasts have been a feature every evening which has been very popular with some of the young men. The "L. L. K. Club" consists of Mrs. Paterson, chaperon, her sister, Miss Helen Brown of Chesley, Misses Gertrude Lewis, Jessie Wells, Ruth Rogers, Ruth Garner, Ivo Taggart, Greta McFarlane and her friend Miss Edna Rose of Grimsby, Retha Schwindt, Ethel Matteplace.

Stirring Address at Public Prayer

Those citizens who attended the public prayer service at the Town Hall on Sunday afternoon to commemorate the 4th. anniversary of the War, enjoyed an out of the ordinary treat in the address of the day which was given by Rev. Dr. A. M. Currie, an able pulpit orator from New York City, who was supplying Knox Church pulpit for the day. Dr. Currie is a Canadian, a graduate of Toronto University, and still believes that Britain is the most democratic nation on earth. He showed how our men in this war are revealing the Christ spirit of Sacrifice. He expressed the belief that we are coming to the time, when international lines will be removed, when old dogmas of religion will be thrown aside, when the Christian civilization which has been transforming the world shall come into its own, when the Sermon on the Mount shall be our philosophy and "Jesus shall reign where e'er the sun doth his successive journeys run." His message was given with an eloquence and beautiful word-painting that made it a masterpiece. Rev. C. W. Cosens ably filled the chair, a short address was given by Mayor A. P. Johnston, and Rev. R. Pardoe and J. W. Sanderson also took part in the service. A good feature was the choral singing under the leadership of Prof. E. R. Lessem, Miss Steinhoff, a young lady with a beautiful voice who was the guest of Miss Whitehead sang a solo that was much appreciated.

Good Crops In France

Writing to his brother, Harry, from Somewhere in France, Philip Denny says he never saw crops in Canada look better than the fields in France do at present. The war, he writes, is coming good now. He is in the pink of condition and never felt better. One day is the same as another on the firing line and he never knows it is Sunday unless somebody tells him.

Bit Tongue, Can't Speak

Father P. MacCorry, a noted orator, who was to have delivered a lecture here in connection with the Chautauqua Course, was the victim of a strange accident last week. While motoring from Brantford to St. Marys, a sudden jar caused him to bite his tongue and he was unable to speak an audible word. He was sent immediately to a specialist in Chicago for treatment.

Won Two Prizes

Walkerton bowlers distinguished themselves at Hanover this week. Six Walkerton rinks attended the tournament. Two got in the prize money, one composed of R. M. Player, H. G. Hunter, C. S. Stephan and W. H. McFlurney skip, winning first in the Association, the prizes for which were safety razors and the other composed of T. Jenkins, H. A. Stephan, A. Benninger and A. E. McNab skip, winning the Consolation, the prizes being brass casseroles. Thirty-five rinks competed at the tournament. W. H. Wright, of Owen Sound, took first prize in the trophy competition, defeating F. A. Batchelor, of Owen Sound, in the final game.

Sells Grocery Business

Mr. W. G. Searle disposed of his grocery business this week to Miss Grace Padbury, of Chatham, taking a 100 acre farm on the outskirts of that city on the deal. The new owner, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Billings, the former a prominent real estate man of Chatham, arrived here on Monday, and after taking stock, are starting a big thirty days' sale beginning this morning to dispose of the entire stock. Mr. Searle has not settled on definite plans but it is probable that the change will mean the early removal of the family from Walkerton. Mr. Searle has been an active leader in the work of the Methodist Church, being on the Quarterly Official and Trust Boards and serving as Steward. In the Sunday School he has been a valued teacher and the Assistant Supt. for several years. Mrs. Searle has also been active in church and patriotic work and altogether the removal of this estimable family will be a loss that will be keenly felt in the town.

Major Moffat's Scheme

The Bruce Preparedness League has asked the Dominion Gov't to send an agricultural expert along with Major Moffat to pick out a tract of land in the West for Bruce Soldiers returning from the War. Major Moffat has a further scheme to start a co-operative community on the tract of land that is to be chosen. We understand the Major believes he is going to have the backing of the Bruce Preparedness League for his community scheme. During the past week we have seen Major Moffat's prospectus. It is an elaborately worked out affair covering four large printed sheets. It is drafted in the Major's usual thorough way of doing things in which he forsees and provides for many contingencies. There is perfection of detail and the scheme certainly looks plausible and attractive on paper. It is so attractive in fact that it should be framed and hung on the wall and left there. As a mural decoration it might be of some value. The cream of Bruce's manhood went Overseas and now we are asked to encourage a scheme to settle them in some far-off part of Canada when they return. The boys themselves will decide where they want to go. But where they would be most welcome would be right here in Bruce where we have the best agricultural land to be found anywhere and plenty of room for any of the boys who want to settle in their old home county. Will the people of Bruce support a scheme to send their heroic sons to some isolated portion of the West? Not much. Major Moffat's scheme is to pool the soldiers' interests in the land, share their profits etc. It is so idyllic that it should have been written in the form of poetry. Human nature being what it is, this way of sharing all things is thoroughly impracticable and indeed it has proved so whenever such a scheme has been tried. There are a lot of prominent people on the executive of the Bruce Preparedness League but if they swallow Major Moffat's scheme and attempt to put any of the County's money in it we believe they will speedily forfeit whatever confidence the people of Bruce may have had in their good judgment.

Two Good Tooth Pastes

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Noon train, arrives Walkerton—1.25 p. m.

LOCAL G. T. R. TIME TABLE

Morning train, south bound—7.05 a. m.
Morning train, north bound—11.57 "
Afternoon train, south bound—4.06 p. m.
Night train, north bound—9.25 p.m

A WALKERTON OFFICER

Lieut. Mel. Wilson Writes Clever Letter Describing the Role Played by Our Machine-gunners. "Over There."

Lieut. Mel. Wilson writing from the Canadian Machine Gun Depot, Seaford, Sussex, Eng., to a friend here, says:—

Sunday morning it. camp—nothing to do, hence the following

Do you sometimes wish to picture us in our life in France—those of us whom you know? If so, I should like to be of help but it is but very little life and activity in France that any one account, however full, can give. Our life changes from season to season, from front to front, even from day to day, for each of the four fronts in the British line on which I have been, trench life is—or was—quite a different thing. On one, in fact, there was no trench life—we could not "dig in" in water-soaked ground. It was shell hole life.

And the change from offensive to defensive, from passive to active fighting will change overnight the whole cast of trench life or work.

And then too, something new is forever appearing to turn us upside down and start us over again. Gas was one such surprise. The new tactics of aeroplanes is another. Only recently have they really bothered us—"the foot sluggers." Of course they have always fought each other in the clouds and distracted the other fellow's artillerymen but only with their cameras did they bother us and that being a painless operation for the time being, we hardly noticed it. But now they fly low, bombing and machine gunning us in our trenches, or hawk-like, follow to see where we're going with that machine gun, or turn their artillery on to our modest little batteries. Such a menace demands new measures of protection, so many old habits disappear and new ones take their place.

And to even the changing mood of the Hun artillerymen, we must adapt ourselves or suffer. If he shells trenches we hunt shelter where trenches are not. If he shells the open, we bie to the trenches again. If he fancies villages, villages we avoid, woods he is almost sure to "strafe," so woods are approached with respect. The A B C of trench reconnaisance is to learn what the enemy shells most and what least and the more adaptable we are to his fancies, the better for our skins. On one front we were told by our predecessors that shell dodging was hopeless—the Hun shelled everywhere. And the truth it was—it was an awful front.

But despite all this, there are some outlines of trench life that remain fixed. There is always a front zone of defence consisting of a network of trenches a mile or so in depth and protected by wire entanglements. Five or six miles behind are the transport lines, where the front line units come out of the trenches periodically for rest. These are out of howitzer range and can usually escape attention from Hun aeroplanes. Here we clean up, refresh our training, play games and hold excursions to the French towns behind, to spend money because it is a burden in our pockets. We also flirt furiously with the ladies if we speak French, or silently if we do not.

But here generalizations end. I must talk of machine gunnery alone, for each arm of the service has its own task and its own tale. The war is so large, our little part so sufficient for us that we know probably less of the other fellow's doings than do you.

Our gun, as you know, fires rifle bullets at a greater rate than seventy-five rifles can maintain. Though one man can carry the gun quite easily, half a dozen mules cannot carry the ammunition it will use up in an hour. This enormous "fire power" makes the machine gun the most dangerous of all small weapons, the great filler of graveyards and the back-bone of defence.

So our supreme job is to stop Huns when Huns get that westward impulse and since a gunner can hide with his gun in a shell hole or a few tufts of grass or in a mere shadow, the Huns fear us "muchly."

But rarely do we catch droves of Germans asking to be killed, and our long vigils in shell-tattered trenches are weary ones at best. By way of diversion therefore, we regularly shoot up his roads and paths by night and if we are really venturesome, we enfilade his trenches or liven his villages by day.

In a "show" our job is to put down a curtain of fire over the heads of our advancing infantry cutting off or killing the fated Huns and when the objective is gained, some of us get on to it to stop Fritz's counter attack which is sure to come and just assure to fail.

These then briefly are the roles we play in the drama and together with other letters you may get from friends who are, or have been at the front, will help to reveal our work to you.

Yours Sincerely,
Mel. Wilson.

FROM THE PACIFIC COAST

"Bruce Girl" writes The Telescope a Splendid Letter—Proud of what Bruce and Canadians have Done

Many old friends in Bruce will be glad to hear from Mrs. J. S. Brown of Cashmere, Washington, U. S. A., formerly Miss Ada Teasdale. Her bright newsy letter in which she tells of conditions across the Line, and something of what our neighbor brothers, the Yanks, are doing should prove highly interesting to our readers.

Box 243 Cashmere, Wn. July 26, 1918

Editor Telescope
Walkerton Ont.

My dear Mr. Eedy:—

Please find enclosed the renewal of of my subscription to the "Telescope" When one is a couple of thousand miles away the old home paper is surely appreciated. My husband is not a "Bruce boy" but he says "we couldn't get along without the Telescope "

I wonder if a little news from this far West would be of interest to your readers.

I spent a very pleasant day a week or so ago with an old "Bruce Girl" Mrs. John Godfrey of Wenatchee. We had lived in adjoining towns for several years without being aware of the fact. Mrs. Godfrey, before her marriage was Miss Dando, of Dunkeld and well be remembered by many of your Dunkeld and Cargill readers. Mr. Godfrey was G. T. R. agent at Cargill and Clifford a number of years ago. He has been for a number of years city Treasurer of Wenatchee. We spent a very busy day recalling friends and acquaintances of long ago. Mrs. Godfrey was well acquainted with Lieut. Col. Meltae of 'In Flanders Field' fame. So many of our boys are shedding lustre on the name of Old Bruce that one is more than ever proud of her birth place.

We found it very difficult to consider ourselves neutral, in the early years of the war, but of course had to compromise by keeping our mouths shut, but now we feel that, as far as our boys have gone, they are making good and it rather puffs one up to hear a good loyal American say "why shouldn't they do as well as the Canadians?" Personally I cannot see any reason why they shouldn't. Your reputation is something to conjure with over here now!

We have in Washington the biggest cantonment in the States, both in capacity and in the number of states whose troops will be housed here. Camp Lewis about 18 miles south of Tacoma on the Northern Pacific has accommodation for 48,000 men and stables for about 15,000 horses. It is training ground for the National Army forces of the States of Montana, Wyoming Idaho, Washington, Oregon California, Nevada and Utah and has long been considered the finest military training ground west of the Rocky Mountains. It lies in the Puget Sound Basin between the coast and Cascade Ranges, and North Mt. Rainier in the immediate vicinity affords training facilities for the men from sea level to unbroken snowy wastes. They surely are rushing our boys east now, they were sending forward from six to eight troop trains daily about 3 weeks ago. It was rather trying to the parents of local boys who, after waiting for hours to see the boys from here as they went through, to have the trains go by at full speed.

There is one thing where I feel that the women have bear the hardest part of the burden, and that is in the matter of conservation of wheat and sugar and the intelligent use of substitutes. I see that you are being broken in to the use of all manner of unheard of things to make "good" bread and eatables generally but they are giving you a great margin. We have to use 50-50 mixture, and get it so our families say they like it. The other day my husband said, "Say Ada, I don't often kick, but this bread is no good". I replied: "James, it is very improper for you to talk in such a manner, but I am prepared to second your motion." It surely is hard for a Canadian who wasn't brought up on corn to take kindly to it in her old age and we women not only have to struggle to make things palatable but also to eat much of the strange and wonderful decoctions that result from our experiments.

We have had a very peculiar season. The early spring season was very cold and dry, we had no spring rains and a very light snowfall last winter, consequently the storage of water in the mountains, for irrigation is much below normal. Then we have had two cloudbursts, in the immediate vicinity which did much damage but we feel that that was minimized by the advantage to gardens and grain. The hay crop is light, but the fruit crop in the valley is in a promising condition and from present outlook prices promise to be fairly good. Of course there is the ever present menace of labor difficulties and transportation embargoes but these things are "in the lap of the Gods" and all we can do is to go on doing our best from day-break until after the last of the chores are finished by lantern light about 10. 30 p.m. I think every man in the valley is attempting to accomplish the work of three men. Just now we are thinning and box making, irrigating etc. The days even with the addition of all those thousands of hours saved by the "Daylight saving" plan are all too short for what is to be done and the nights too short for the requisite amount of rest.

Wishing you good success,
I am yours Respectfully,
Ada Teasdale Brown.

THE WEISHAR CASE

Editor Telescope
Walkerton, Ont.

Dear Sir,

My attention has been called to a statement in your issue of the 18th of July headed "Police Court case" which would imply that I have been wilfully guilty of a breach of the Military Service orders. The case was tried before Messrs. Tolton and Richardson who after the evidence was given thought it would be a hardship under the circumstances to fine me even if I were technically guilty of any offence and they sent a copy of the evidence to the Minister of Justice at Ottawa and with his consent I have been allowed to go free upon payment of costs.

As a matter of fact, Kraemer when hired by me was a stranger. He told me that he had been examined in the West where he had been and that he was not liable to Military Service. Later I was aware that he got a notice and I advised him to report. He refused to do so. I was not aware of the order requiring me to discharge him under such circumstances or I would have done so.

Yours truly,
Henry Weishar.

BRUCE PREPAREDNESS LEAGUE AND FARMS FOR SOLDIERS

(Port Elgin Times.)

A short time ago the Bruce Preparedness League meeting in Southampton appointed a committee to investigate a scheme of community farming for returning Bruce county soldiers. The big sheets of explanation of the scheme had the name of Major Moffat stamped on them in two or three places, and a great many people might have believed for a time that he had laboured and finally brought forth something which would be eagerly sought.

After the first publication of the idea, it at once dawned on Bruce county people that it was one which had for its object the settlement of the boys who might return from France, in some isolated part of Canada, either in New Ontario or the West.

But Bruce people want their boys back home after this war is over. They won't need further leadership from the major, and the latter will receive very little support for a scheme which might have much in store for the major and his friends, but very little for the men and their folk. It seems, that at a meeting in Walkerton the executive, although it isn't stated who the executive is, apparently appointed the major to go west and spy out the land, and also passed a resolution to ask the government to send a man along with him. Then, too, it seems that the sum of $1,500 from the funds of the disbanded 160th has been handed over to the Walkerton branch of the Bruce Preparedness League.

There isn't enough light on the idea for it to look well to the average resident of the county of Bruce. There is quite a difference of opinion on the scheme, and we doubt whether a dozen men of the county, who have given very little time or thought to the organization or workings of the Bruce Preparedness League, should be allowed to start out on an expensive campaign in which there is little interest. The returned men will want their land, they are entitled to it, but we doubt very much if they want a few men to tie them up to some half-baked arrangement like the community idea.

Major Moffat is back from England after two and a half years with the 160th battalion. The Major may know all about soldiering and how to win the war, but this arrangement whereby he is to spy out land for the boys who are in France doing their bit is a little far fetched.

(The Times concludes its article by repeating Mr. Frank Rennie's letter from the Walkerton Telescope.)

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Improve it.
Talk about it.
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Be public spirited.
Take a home pride in it.
Tell of its business men.
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Tell of its natural advantages.
Trade and induce others to trade here.
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AND advertising knows no seasons—it just keeps everlastingly at it; the most efficient and persistent salesman on our payroll.

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THE CROPS IN BRUCE

Special Representative of the Toronto Globe Tells of the Fine Crop Prospects in the Best County on the Map

There are few sections in which fall wheat has done as well in this particularly trying year as it has in Bruce. In a run of 60 miles over this county, covering parts of Brant, Carrick, Elderslie and Greenock townships, it was hardly at any time out of sight of fall wheat ready for harvest. Occasionally, as in other counties, this was in strips along the lines of fences or in the shelter of bush, but whole fields that looked good for 20 to 25 bushels to the acre were to be seen in all directions.

Heavier Snowfall in Bruce

Why has fall wheat done so much better in Bruce county than elsewhere? One reason is probably found in the fact that snowfall was more abundant there and lay longer on the ground. The chief reason is probably found in the thorough tillage which is given to wheat land in Bruce in advance of seeding.

Outside of southwestern Ontario there is probably not a farmer in the Province who will this year have more fall wheat to thresh than will Mr. Conrad Hossfeld of Carrick. He has two fields, of ten acres each, that give promise of 25 bushels to the acre. Since Mr. Hossfeld has never had a failure in this crop, when following a certain line of cultivation, it will be worth while to tell of the method followed by him.

Unique Wheat Cultivation

Mr. Hossfeld takes two crops of hay from his fields after seeding down and then pastures in the third spring. He starts hauling manure to these fields as soon as spring seeding is over and commences to plough down in June or July. Part of the manure is ploughed down with the sod; the rest is disked in after ploughing. Whenever there is a spare day or half day the harrow or cultivator is kept going on these fields. Mr. Hossfeld was harrowing one field with a three horse team when I called on him. He said it was the fourth time he had been over the field since ploughing and that he would probably go over it four or five more times before seeding. By this means weeds are killed and a perfect seed bed secured.

Produces Good Results

That there is no special virtue in the Hossfeld farm itself is shown by what is seen in a third field on his place that was sown with wheat last Fall. This field was in barley last year and the cultivation for the succeeding crop of fall wheat was of necessity not as well done as is usual on the Hossfeld farm. Furthermore, the same amount of humus was not in the soil as when sod preceded the wheat crop. On this field this year's wheat, but for the barley drilled in last spring, would not give a quarter crop. And yet the field is more favourably located than the other two fields, where sod was ploughed under in June or July of last year, that are showing an almost perfect stand.

"In almost every case where fall wheat has done well in Bruce this year, the land was summer-fallowed last year or was handled in the Hossfeld way," said District Representative McKay.

Sweet Clover Before Wheat

Not far from the Hossfeld farm is the home of Mr. J. Holm, whose father came from Denmark. At the time of my call Mr. Holm was about through hauling manure to a field of eleven acres which was covered with sweet clover a foot in length. The limited length of the clover in this case was explained by the fact that 17 cattle had been constantly on the field since spring and that three horses had been on it at night during the same time. A tractor is to be out on the field at once to prepare it for fall wheat. As the roots of the clover form a bulk equal to half that of the top, and as the field has received a liberal dressing of manure, the soil will be full of humus by the time it is ready for seeding with the fall wheat to be sown there.

In speaking of the pasturing of sweet clover, Mr. Holm said the mistake generally made is in not turning enough cattle on to keep the pasture crop well eaten down. Mr. Holm did not make this mistake. Twenty head on a field of eleven acres would seem to be crowding things fairly well, but the condition of the field when I saw it proved the wisdom of what was done. There was no coarse woody fibre in the clover, but an abundance of succulent feed.

The number of fields already in course of preparation for seeding indicates that Bruce farmers intend to put in at least their usual acreage of wheat this Fall, and they will have sufficient home-grown seed for less fortunate neighbors.

Clover Everywhere

In Bruce as well as in Grey one can not but be struck with the large acreage in all kinds of clover—sweet alfalfa and red. On all sides luxuriant fields of alfalfa are seen. Mr. Holm has a ten-acre field which has given excellent crops in four successive years. From that field Mr. Holm took 21 loads of hay this year, and as he has big horses it may be accepted as a fact that the loads were not small ones. When I was on the place the field was covered with a thick mat 12 to 18 inches high, and cattle are to be turned on this for pasture because there is no room in which to store the second cutting.

Mr. Alex. J. Lamont, in Port Elgin district, has a much larger area in this crop—69 acres. Mr. Lamont facetiously says he stacked all there was room for outside and then put the rest in the barn and stables.

Home-grown Alfalfa Seed

Speaking of alfalfa, it is worthy of note that both in Bruce and Grey reliance is placed mainly on home-grown seed. For a beginning in producing this seed the two lime-stone counties are mainly indebted to two men—Mr. Lamont in Bruce and another farmer in Beaver Valley, Grey county. This home-grown seed is true "variegated" and much superior to that obtained from other sources. The truth of this statement was demonstrated in Mr. Holm's ten-acre field. The whole of that field is in good condition, but a little strip sown with other than home-grown seed is not nearly equal to the rest of the field that was seeded with seed produced in the country.

Result of One Man's Example

In Grey county silos are largely built of wood. In Bruce the prevailing construction is of concrete. Mr. W. A. Howand of Brant township is credited with having built the first silo in Bruce. That was put up some 20 years ago. To-day look where one will, silos can be seen in all directions in the county. That is one illustration of the beneficial work one man may do by starting a whole community on the right line.

A Ranching Section

Up about Paisley and Port Elgin a good deal of land is given to ranching. There are holdings of 200 to 500 acres and some holders have. District Representative McKay tells me, as many as 200 cattle on grass now. The extent of the beef interest in this section is shown by the fact that in one year 365 cars of cattle were shipped from Paisley alone. The cattle fed are, too, as a rule, of prime quality. There has been very little nondescript kind of breeding so much in evidence in some sections.

In this county, too, a beginning has been made in co-operative marketing. There is one co-operative shipping centre at Greenock Gore, with Mr. Wallace Megraw in charge of the work. This organization in the 18 weeks since beginning operations has shipped 700 hogs and 20 sheep from Paisley.

An Insurance Fund

In this case an insurance fund of one-half of one per cent of the proceeds of sales is deducted. This meets not only the payment to Mr. Megraw for his services, but covers unforeseen expenses as well. For instance, in one case a shipment of hogs had to be held over for a day and the feed bill was met out of this fund. On another occasion, when more than a car of hogs was in sight, some of the shippers were asked to hold theirs over for the next car. Meantime the price dropped 75 per 100 lbs., and this loss was made up to the men who held their hogs over out of the insurance fund.

Greenock Gore shipments of hogs are sold at a f. o. b. price. Mr. Megraw gives each shipper a ticket showing the weight of the hogs shipped by him and this is cashed at the bank, thus enabling each shipper to take his money home with him on shipping day. The bank is recouped by a draft on the firm, with shipping bills attached, to which the hogs are sold.

Potatoes and Tomatoes

There is a considerable potato district about Hepworth. In that district, Representative McKay informs me, ten to fifteen acre fields of potatoes, largely of the Empire State variety, are common. There is some little leaf trouble in the district, but prospects are for a 75 per cent crop at least.

That part of Bruce lying near Walkerton may almost be considered in the banana belt, as Mr. A. E. Sherrington has some tomatoes ripening now. These are from seed produced by Mr. Sherrington himself. That seed has been saved by Mr. Sherrington ever since six years ago when he was in truck farming before, and still this seed gave better results than did some seed ripened last year.

Killing Out of Cherry Trees

There was a good deal of yellow leaf in Bruce cherry orchards last year. This weakened the trees and last winter's severe cold put a further strain on them. As a result one Bruce orchardist had to tear out 200 cherry trees this spring.

In Bruce, as in other counties, orchards show the effects of labor shortage and the trying conditions of last winter. Bruce orchards, as a rule, however, show much less winter-killing than may be seen along the Lake Ontario front.

Creditable School Buildings

There are few counties in which the average standard of farm buildings is higher than in Bruce. There are still fewer counties in which such a good showing is made in the class of school buildings. No. 8, Greenock, a purely rural section, has a brick school house which would be a credit to a town. A windmill pumps water to a tank and furnishes water for flushing inside lavatories.

Bruce farmers, like their brothers of Grey, are promised a prosperous year. In a 60-mile run crops all showed up well, some of the oats being level with the fences. The clean appearance of the fields was particularly noticeable. There are very few dirty farms in Bruce.

AHMIK.

THOSE COPPER TOES!

This town's just full of shoe salesmen, a new one every week — they're showing youths and maidens fair and matrons old and sleek.

But why, forsooth, do all these stores that cater for our trade forget to stock the slickest boot that ever cobbler made? We gaze and shake our heads again, 'taint those, nor those, our those, we were looking for the little boots that had the copper toes.

When we were kids — dear bless my soul, but that was long ago — we wouldn't think of wearin' boots without a copper toe.

Why, them there boots with copper toes, they make my eyes grow dim a-thinkin' how we used to kick an empty salmon tin. We'd scuff the soles out in a month, we'd wear the heels away, and the observance of the blackin brush would keep 'em kind of gray.

The strings would burst [illegible] tie them up in ways born of d[illegible] but that strip of copper on the toe, by jing, 'twas always there.

The youngsters nowadays no doubt, are dressed in ways more fair from the patent leather on their feet to the ointment on their hair — but just as sure as mountain stream into the ocean flows, they've never made a thing to beat them with copper toes.



FOOD IS WASTED WHEN THE BEST POSSIBLE USE FOR THE WINNING OF THE WAR IS NOT MADE OF EVERY PARTICLE OF IT

MAKING OF ICE CREAM

Food Control Board Permits But 10 Per Cent. Fat.

A Recipe That Has Proven Successful —Stake Vines and Trim Leaves to Grow High-Colored Tomatoes.

(Contributed by Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.)

A GREAT many inquiries have recently come to the Dairy Department of the Ontario Agricultural College regarding the new regulation from the Canada Food Board with reference to the manufacture of ice-cream, and also, as to methods of testing ice-cream for fat.

Order No. 34, section 8, issued by the Canada Food Board reads: "On and after May 1st, 1918, no person in Canada shall use in the manufacture of ice-cream more than 10 per centum of fats, whether of animal or of vegetable origin; or more than six pounds of cane sugar, to eight gallons of ice-cream."

As a result of recent investigations made in the Dairy Department of the O. A. College, by Messrs. McMillan, Parfitt, and Miss Miller, of the Dairy Staff, we can recommend the following formula or recipe, for a batch or mix which will produce about eight gallons of plain ice-cream of good quality and which will come within the regulations as laid down by the Food Board:

44½ lbs. (4½ gallons) cream testing 13% fat.
1½ lbs. skim milk powder.
6 lbs. cane sugar—1½ lbs. sugar may be replaced with 2 lbs. corn syrup.
4 ounces vanilla extract.
8 ounces gelatin dissolved in 6 lbs. (½ gallon) skim milk.

The cost of the ingredients in this formula will range from 32 to 42 cents buying in small quantities. If bought wholesale, the cost would be less.

If whole milk and cream are used, mixing equal quantities of these will produce an ice-cream testing not over ten per cent. fat, assuming that the milk and cream are of average fat content—3.5 and 18 to 20% fat respectively.

Three Methods of Testing Ice-Cream for Fat.

It is necessary for the ice-cream maker to test his ice-cream occasionally, and the following methods will give satisfactory results if carefully carried out:

1.—The Glacial Acetic and Hydrochloric Acid Test.

A representative sample of the ice-cream is taken and melted and thoroughly mixed; a 9-grammie sample is weighed into an 18-gramme Babcock cream test bottle. A mixture is prepared using equal parts of glacial acetic acid and concentrated hydrochloric acid. Twenty cubic centimeters of this acid mixture is added to the 9-gramme sample of ice-cream in the test bottle, and is then all well shaken. The bottle is placed in a water bath of 120 to 130 deg. F., and shaken at intervals until a brown color appears. It is then placed in the Babcock centrifuge and the test completed in the same way as for testing cream and the reading multiplied by two.

2.—The Sulphuric Acid Test.

To make the test with sulphuric acid, a 9-gramme sample is weighed into an 18-gramme test bottle. About 9 cubic centimeters of luke-warm water is then added to dilute the sample, in order to have about 18 cubic centimeters of mixture in the bottle. The sulphuric acid is then added slowly, a little at a time, at minute intervals, shaking well after each addition until a chocolate brown color appears in the bottle. No definite amount of acid can be stated, as the quantity will vary with different ice-creams. As soon as the chocolate brown color appears in the ice-cream a little cold water may be added to check the action of the acid. The bottle is then placed in the centrifuge and the test completed in the usual way. The reading is multiplied by two.

3.—Acetic and Sulphuric Acids.

Weigh a 9-gramme sample of ice-cream that has been thoroughly mixed. About 9 cubic centimeters of water is then added to dilute the sample. Add 5 cubic centimeters of acetic acid and then add carefully 6 to 8 cubic centimeters sulphuric acid. Centrifuge, and then add water the same as in other tests. If using an 18-grammme bottle multiply the reading by two to obtain the per cent. fat in the ice-cream. A 9-gramme bottle which is radiated to give the percentage of fat directly needs no correction when reading.

—Prof. H. H. Dean, Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph.

To Grow Tomatoes Most Successfully.

If you are growing tomatoes to a single stem, be sure to remove all side shoots before they become of any size. All the extra food which is used in their growth is wasted and the breaking off of large shoots injures the plants. When August 15th comes it is well to nip off all growing ends so that the fruit will finish ripening, also open out the plant, if very thick, to allow the sunlight in.

When first fruits begin to ripen, apply nitrate of soda,—a teaspoonful in a watering can, fill of water,—to the plants twice a week to make a liquid manure and use it instead. These are more especially valuable after the growth has been stopped.

Keep a dust mulch around the plants. If the weather is very dry, soak the ground around them thoroughly in the evening, then make a new mulch in the morning.

When the first fruits in staked tomatoes are beginning to color, remove one-half of each leaf. This will hasten the ripening. Sunlight is necessary for rapid ripening.

Leave only growth enough on your plants to carry what fruit will ripen before frost. There is no use in allowing more to set than will be of use to you and the fewer you have will be larger. — A. H. MacLennan, Ontario Vegetable Specialist.

Knife Severed Artery

Mr. Frank Wilhelm, of Brant, had the main artery in his thumb severed while whetting a cradle on Tuesday night. The handle slipped to the ground causing the blade to give his thumb a bad jab.

Postage on Parcels

The cost of postage on parcels to the boys at the Front is quite a heavy burden on some people, and an exchange asks if arrangements cannot be made with the Imperial postal authorities to decrease that cost. In case this could not be done our exchange suggests that the government defray all postage above a purely nominal rate from the consolidated revenue fund.

Milling Firm's Policy

Although The American Rolling Mill Co. has been unable to supply the demand for its product for over two years and a half, the company purposes to continue its advertising. "We are building," said the manager in explanation, "a permanent business edifice, and some day we would have to spend millions of dollars buying back the business and good will of our clients if they are forsaken in this emergency."

Just A Note Of Warning

Many boarding-house keepers and others engaged in the restaurant business in a small way, particularly in the small towns and villages, have not yet taken out licenses as they are required to do by the Canada Food Board. These parties are therefore liable to the penalty required by the regulations. It must be borne in mind that a public eating place subject to license is, according to Food Board No. 46, "any place whatsoever where meals to the number of fifteen or more per day are served or sold to others than members of the family or household of the proprietor or caterer." Persons supplying meals to the number as stated must obtain licenses, otherwise they are liable to fine or imprisonment, or both.

Regret His Going

Rev. Roy Kain's pastorate at Thamesville is referred to by The Thamesville Herald in highly complimentary terms on the occasion of his leaving to go Overseas as a Chaplain. The Herald says:—With the leaving for Overseas of Rev. R. J. Kain, Thamesville loses a most valued citizen. Altho only a member of our community for two years there is a general regret at his going. Both he and his good wife have been active workers, not only in their own church but in the whole community, and we shall all be the poorer for their leaving us. Mr. Kain who is young, athletic, full of energy and strong in faith, is yet kindly and tolerant and withal very human. We believe that R. J. Kain has chosen wisely and that on the battlefields of Europe he will be able to do splendid work for the soldiers, and for the Great General in whose army he has enlisted for life. Although deeply regretting his leaving The Herald wishes him every success in his new work.

Another Big Month

July was another big month in the Children's Aid Society. During the month there were:—

Applications for children	3
Children brought to shelter (not wards)	1
" Involved during the month	41
" Made wards	1
Complaints received	7
Investigations	25
Mail received	78
" Sent out	69
Meetings attended	4
Mileage (approximate) covered	850
Office Interviews	10
Phone Interviews	24
Places visited outside the town	24
Wards in foster homes heard from	2
Wards placed out	2
Warnings given	10
Wards returned to shelter	2
Wards visited	6

There are three Branch committees organized and by the end of August it is expected that we will have 11 Branch Committees in this County. A great many new cases have come to the attention of the Agent during the month, many of these who were not made wards, but whose cases were disposed with, and cared for.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. George Lambertus and family wish to thank sincerely their many neighbors and friends for kindness shown in their recent bereavement.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Phillip Gress and family wish to express their sincere thanks to their many neighbors and friends for their great kindness shown during their bereavement.

BORN

HUTTON—At The Bruce County Hospital, on July 31st, 1918, to Mr. and Mrs T. A. Hutton, of Brant, a daughter.

WALLACE—At Greenock, on Thursday, August 1st, to Mr. and Mrs. John Wallace, a daughter.

NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Mr. Jacob Loos was in Toronto on business Tuesday.

Miss S. Rolston spent the Holiday with friends at Hanover.

Mr. Alf. Schnurr is home from Stratford for a week's holidays.

Mr. C. J. Schnurr has purchased Mr. J. Glinz's Ford touring car.

Miss Adeline Monk of Stratford is holidaying at her home here.

Miss Florence South was a visitor in Toronto and Cheltenham last week.

Lieut. Had Robertson, of Guelph, spent the week-end at his home here.

Mrs. J. Loos arrived home last week from a visit to friends at Palmerston.

Mrs. John Rowland and the Misses Rowland are at Windermere, Muskoka.

Mr. Amos Denny has bought a new Ford Car from the local agent, Mr. G. F. Saunders.

Miss Helene Whitehead left this week to train as nurse in Welles'y Hospital, Toronto.

Mrs. W. M. Dack and Miss Dack of Toronto spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Benton.

Miss Etta Schnurr left Tuesday morning for a week's holidays at Toronto and Kitchener.

Mr. Harley and Miss Gladys Drinkwater of Toronto are visiting their cousin Miss Hilda Ernst.

A bevy of Walkerton's fair sex spent a few days of this week camping down the river at Stony Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Gibson returned on Tuesday to their home in Montreal after spending two weeks here.

Mrs. E. Myles left Friday, accompanied by her sister-in-law, Mrs. Hugill of Guelph on a month's visit to Toronto, Quebec and Anticosti. Her brother, Mr. Hugill, is Supt. of a Lumber Company on the Island of Anticosti.

Mr. Thornburn a prominent lawyer of Winnipeg, his wife and three daughters arrived here yesterday on a visit to Mr. Thornburn's brother in Brant.

Mr. Oliver Touranjeau of Carrick was in town yesterday. He intends leaving on a trip to the West shortly.

Miss Steinhoff of Toronto who is visiting at the home of Mr. James Whitehead rendered much appreciated solos in the Baptist and Presbyterian churches on Sunday.

Capt. and Mrs. Farquhar Shaw are living at Viewfield for the summer.

Brian McCool has taken a position for the summer at the Walkerton Creamery.

A two acre field of spring wheat planted by R. Trunz & Son on the island in the river, promises a good crop.

Mr. Peter Bremner left on Saturday for Stratford to join his brother on a motor trip through Western Ontario.

Clif McKay is acting as janitor at the County Hospital for two weeks while "Dutch" Yaeck is taking holidays.

Mrs. W. G. Cheshire paid a visit to Wiarton last week, bringing home her little daughter, Bernice, who had been holidaying with relatives there.

Messrs John Korman, Clarence Robinson, Mrs. Robinson and Miss Gertrude Oberin motored to Sauble Beach on Friday and spent a few days there.

Miss Eileen McClarty, of Toronto, returned on Monday after spending a week with her aunt, Mrs. John Lobsinger and other relatives here.

Mr. H. E. Bywater, Editor of The Palmerston Spectator, and Mrs. Bywater were week-end visitors in town, motoring up with Mr. and Mrs. Greenwood.

Among those who took in the Owen Sound Races on Monday were:—Geo. D. MacKay, Judge Klein, Robt. Irwin, Dr. Fortune, Robt. Goode, J. and A. O'Neill.

Mr. and Mrs. John Schwartz and daughter, Mattie, motored back to Kitchener on Monday after spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Schuett.

Mr. and Mrs. Robertson and family, of London, were visitors last week with Mr. Robertson's sister, Mrs. W. G. Cheshire. While here both families spent the week-end with friends at Chesley.

Mr. John Hodgson spent most of last week at Toronto, returning by motor via Orangeville on Saturday with his brother, Mr. Alf. Hodgson, wife and family who came up for a few days' visit here.

Mrs. Robert Merchant left this week to spend a month with friends at Buffalo. She was accompanied by her friend, Mrs. Thompson who was returning home to Buffalo, after an extended visit here.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Todd, who have been visiting friends here returned to their home at Guelph on Monday. Their daughter, Miss Helen, will remain for a month with her grandmother, Mrs. Archie Todd.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Annis and Miss Gertrude Wilton motored up this week from Toronto on a two weeks visit to their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Wilton. Miss Edna Wilton who has been visiting in the city, returned with them.

Why doesn't somebody insist on a gutupless day? It would be a great saving in wear and tear of clothes and in food. One doesn't want to eat if one's snug in bed. The Government might arrange to have a washlessday at the same time. Small boys would love it and it would save soap.

Dr. and Mrs. A. N. Walford of Huntingdon, West Virginia, are here on a visit to the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Walford. Huntingdon is a city of about 55,000, which has doubled in population since Dr. Walford went there to practice Dentistry seven or eight years ago.

Mr. W. R. Northgrave of the Bell Telephone staff, who had the misfortune to have his eye badly gouged by a screwdriver while working on a repair job a couple of weeks ago, is coming along fine and expects to have the full use of his injured optic again in a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Little left for Calgary on Wednesday last. Just one year ago they started East on a one year trip intending after that to settle in Ontario but owing to the change of climate not agreeing with Mr. Little, they were forced to return West again and will take up house in Calgary.

Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Grentzebach and daughter, Sylvia arrived home last Wednesday from an enjoyable week's motor trip, in the course of which they visited friends at Welland, Hamilton, Brantford, Woodstock, Hickson and Tavistock. Their daughter, Miss Helen, returned with them from Welland to spend a few weeks here.

Mr. Arthur Phipps, who has been running here from Toronto, on freight for the past four years, has been transferred to the Walkerton branch of the C. P. R. on the run of Conductor Sherman. Mrs. Phipps and the children will remain here until fall, when they expect to move back to their home in Toronto.—Teeswater News.

Labour Day Tournament

The local bowlers have struck committees to handle their Bowling Tournament on Labor Day.

Line From France

Mr. Harry Denny had a line from his brother, Phillip, from the Fighting Front, last week. "We are enjoying life in a cosy old dugout. The shells are flying" was the way Phil put it.

Notice

Having disposed of my business, all accounts owing me are due and payable forthwith. If not paid before the 20th inst., will be placed for collection. Accounts may be paid at store or residence.—W. G. Searle.

Mr. Lambert Bereaved

The many newspaper friends of Mr. J. A. Lambert, publisher of The Mt. Representative, were grieved to learn of the sad loss which came to him suddenly in the death of his beloved wife. She was a woman of beautiful character and her loss will be felt in the community.

Walkerton Markets

(Revised, Wednesday, August 7th)

Hay	$10.00 to $12.00
Oats, per bsh.	80 to..... 80
Wheat " "	2.10 to..... 2.10
Butter, per lb.	38to 40
Eggs, per doz.	42to 44
Barley per bus	.....$1.25..... 1.25
Hogs, per cwt.	.....18.50 to 18.50
Buckwheat	1.25 .....1.25

Good Field of Hay

One of the nicest fields of hay in this section was on the farm of Mr. Noah Stroeder, South Line. It ran about two tons to the acre and some of it grew as high as 5 feet 1 in by actual measurement.

Garden Tools

Hand Cultivators
Lawn Mowers
Lawn Rakes
Hoes
Garden Rakes
Window Screens
Fence Wire
Oil Stoves
Lanterns
Brooms
Pails
Nails
Fence Wire
Etc., at

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Boost Walkerton and Chautauqua, August 7th to 13th

Chautauqua Visitors

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There are many articles which we are able to sell at low prices because we do our co-operative buying on a large scale.

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EAST END BAKERY

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LIVE NEWS OF NEIGHBORING VILLAGES AND COUNTRYSIDE

:-: Happenings of the Week Collected for the Readers of The Telescope by a Staff of Wideawake Correspondents :-:

PINKERTON

Mr. and Mrs. Welsh, of Marriston, motored up and spent Sunday at Mr. N. Garland's. They were accompanied by Mrs. (Rev.) Mason who visited at Mr. Adam Reid's.

Mr. and Mrs. Amsey Gregg, Ruby and Jack are holidaying at their cottage at Inverharon.

No services will be held in the Presbyterian Church here on Sunday as Rev. Mr. Gale is away on his holidays.

Mrs. M. McKay, who has been visiting her cousin, Mrs. Adam Reid, returned to Toronto on Saturday.

Miss R. McKee of Toronto is visiting at Mr. D. Pinkerton's.

On Monday evening a number of the neighbours and friends of Pte. Geo. Wilson, who was home from London for a few days, gathered at his home and presented him with a substantial sum of money. A similar gift was given to Mr. Adam Knox on behalf of his son, Wm., who was called away from London without being granted last leave. A short programme presided over by Rev. Mr. Gale, followed the presentation. The remainder of the evening was spent in dancing and card-playing.

EDEN GROVE

Of all the words of tongue or pen, the saddest are these "back again". Not but what I am personally glad to be back among you but I am very sad that I, all unwittingly, brought tears to the eyes of the young ladies by causing our Rel'g agent Mr. Brown to leave their sympathetic presence.

Privates Alexander and Kincard were home over the week-end.

Messrs. Dave Cargill, James Watson Mike Driscoll and James Keyes have invested in Ford Cars the last while back. Let's all buy one or two.

Two per cent John has secured a new driver. I am not positive—not being much of a horseman but I think it's a holstein.

There were some Eden Grovites at Guelph at the time that carload of whiskey was seized. They tell me their tongues were hanging out so far that they could have used them for Watch chains.

To be a successful farmer requires more brains, experience and skill than is required to be a success in any other industry or profession. You laugh! Very well. Laugh if wish—a hyena can do the same—but listen.

If a horse or cow takes sick on a farm and the owner thereof drives to town, secures a Veterinary and has him attend the beast, he loses not only a considerable sum of money but also practically a day's work. If he is a successful farmer and onto his job, he will cure that animal himself and have on hand the necessary medicines to do it. He must be somewhat of a Vet.

If his binder loses a bolt, he cannot afford to go to town—wait around till his turn comes to be attended to—get his new bolt and return. He must have a machine repair shop on his premises with all the necessary tools and to be able to turn out his own repairs thus saving both time and money. In fact he should be able to take any machine on his premises apart, repair it and put it together again. He must be somewhat of a machinst.

For his own supply or if he can secure more for dressed beef or pork than for live weights, he must be able to kill and dress his own meat. He must therefore be somewhat of a butcher.

If he has an orchard—and he should have one—he must be capable of pruning and looking after it. The art of grafting should be his (not the same kind you are so expert in) as it saves time and betters the fruit. He must study his grounds and its needs. He must be somewhat of a horticulturist.

If the farmer needs a driving shed, tool house, machine shop, or barn, he cannot afford to pay big wages to carpenter. Twould make too big an inroad on his prospective earnings. He must understand and be capable with some help from his neighbors to do the job himself. He must be somewhat of a carpenter.

Then consider a moment his investment. There is not only the considerable amount that represents the value of his land but there is also the cost of his machinery and the successful farmer has an enormous amount of it. Then there is his stock. If you wish an idea of how quickly they run into money, go out and try to buy a cow today. Indeed I dare say very few farmers but would be farther ahead if they sold their farms and loaned out their out their money thus received at seven per cent.

Besides all this he must work—work hard and systematically—not as your city man does from eight till six but from Cock crow till dark. With this knowledge and application anyone can be a successful farmer. Do you want to try it? Come now you laughed at my opening statement. You've always regarded farming as the only job on earth requiring neither knowledge nor brains. What's your opinion now, Mister?

Hiram.

GLAMIS

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Peacock, and daughters of Meaford, are spending their holidays with her parents here.

Miss May Ferris has returned from a few weeks visit in Paisley.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan C. McKinnon and family of Ripley were Sunday visitors here.

Miss Margaret McLennan, nurse in training at Grace Hospital, Detroit Mich. is home on her holidays.

Mrs. Keith and Miss Louise returned home from Toronto last week.

Mrs. L. B. Tufford of Beamsville is here on a visit to her parents.

Quite a large number from here attended The Narva Women's Institute Lawn Social at George Webb's last week.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Robert McLennan on Aug. 3rd. 1918, a son. Congratulations.

Miss Jessie Imig returned to Kitchener on Saturday after spending the past month here.

Miss Eleanor Voss of Toronto is a guest of Miss Louise Reith.

Miss Dorothy Burgess is visiting friends in and around Underwood.

Mrs. Dan Cameron of Armow visited her father Mr. McSween last week, who is ill at the home of his daughter, Mrs. James Thompson.

A large number from here attended The Centre Bruce Garden Party on 6th Bruce on Thursday night and report a fine time.

Miss Maggie McKay returned to Toronto on Friday.

McKINNON—McMAHON

The following marriage will be of interest to many here. The groom is the second son of Mrs. Arch McKinnon Con. 10 Kincardine, who with his brother Finnie went overseas with the first contingent.

Jack was wounded in Sept. 1916 and has been in England ever since.

On the 20th June, 1918, at Holy Trinity Paddington, by the Rev. C. E. White, John Alexander McKinnon, Staff Sergeant Canadian Mounted Rifles, to Kathleen, eldest daughter of the Ven. E. O. McMahon, Arch deacon of Imerina, Madagascar.—The Times, London, England.

We extend our Best Wishes to Mr. and Mrs. McKinnon for a long and happy voyage o'er the matrimonial sea.

Clyde McKinnon arrived home from the West this week.

Miss Hughes of Tiverton was a guest of Miss Symons for a few days.

Mr. Rich. McGregor went to Toronto on Saturday to undergo an operation. We all hope for his speedy recovery.

MILDMAY

Ptes. Seraphine Waechter and George Hammer, of London, spent Sunday at their homes here.

Misses Sarah and Amelia Fisher, Rose Helwig and Pearl Fink and Messrs William and Clarence Kramer motored to Southampton on Sunday and returned on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wendt, of Wroxeter, Mrs. Mary Wendt, Mrs. Reba Schwalm and Mr. Wm. Wendt spent Sunday in Chesley with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Millhouse.

Many of our young people attended the Children's Day Rally in the Evangelical Church on con. 6. The collection which was splendid amounted to over $60.

Mr. and Mrs Ed. Kalbfleisch and family spent Sunday and Monday with friends in Galt.

Miss Mary Uhrich returned home from the O. A. C. at Guelph last Friday.

Mr. H. W. Elliott, of the Bruce Co. Children's Aid Society occupied the Methodist pulpit last Sunday.

Mrs. Reba Schwalm returned home from a two weeks' visit with friends in Ford and Wallaceburg.

Many of our townsmen motored to Clifford last Thursday evening to see the fires which caused considerable damage in that place.

Miss Irene Uhrich, of Toronto, spent the week-end at her home here.

CULROSS CENTER

Mr. and Mrs. James Valad and family accompanied by Miss Evelyn Valad, Mrs. Frank Benniger of Riversdale and Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Hall of Stratford motored to London last week to see Pte. Frank Valad before his leaving for overseas.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wellings of Holyrood spent Sunday with Fred Thompson's.

Mr. and Mrs. John Haines of Salem visited at the home of David Edgar Sunday.

The new buggy and dark bay driver still makes its usual trips quite often.

Miss Ethel Drehmann of Bayfield is visiting her cousin Miss Sophia Parker before leaving for Toronto.

Miss Elsie and Mr Gordon Grant spent Sunday afternoon at John Cuslick's.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Turner motored to Goderich Saturday.

(Intended for last week)

Miss Mary Hetherington of Wiggham, and Misses Annie and Daisy Turner of Teeswater, were week-end visitors at their homes.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Parker, July 26th, 1918, a son.

Pte. Bert Haines of London, Mrs. Haines, Miss Laura Haines and Will. Mann of Teeswater, were visitors at Bethany on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Israel Erle of Salem visited at the home of Thomas Caslick on Sunday.

Mr. Bert Thacker, and Misses Ada Thacker and Laura Foster of Salem, spent a very enjoyable evening at the home of Samuel Parker on Tuesday.

WE WANT THE NEWS

The Telescope wishes to secure a live correspondent in every nook and corner of this district. If your neighborhood is not represented, we shall be glad to receive the names of any capable persons whom you would suggest to act as Telescope correspondent.

RIVERSDALE

Mrs. Wm. Yates and children of Walkerton are visiting the home of Robt. Chatreau.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Brown, Miss Florence and Mrs. Rachett and son motored to Kincardine last Wednesday and spent the day with friends there.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. A. Stewart and children of Mornington are visiting at Wm. McDonald's.

Master John McKinnon is spending his vacation with friends at Walkerton and Hanover.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. McCallum, Miss Gladys and Master Gibson of Teeswater visited at Gib Chatreau's one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Allen of Walkerton spent the week-end at Jake Brindley's.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Mullin of Chepstow spent Sunday at Albert Dietrich's.

Pte. Frank Valad and Vince Pettepiace were home from London over Sunday.

Miss Eva Beninger is visiting friends in Wingham this week.

Mrs. Toutie and daughter Edna returned home to Toronto after spending their vacation with friends here.

Mr. Eugene O'Hagan of Teeswater spent Sunday in the burg.

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AT 9 O'CLOCK A. M.

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During the Sale every article outside of the Tea will be sold at todays's rock bottom price and a straight discount of 15 per cent which means a big money saving scheme-but listen-no delays in this game as no goods will be replaced.

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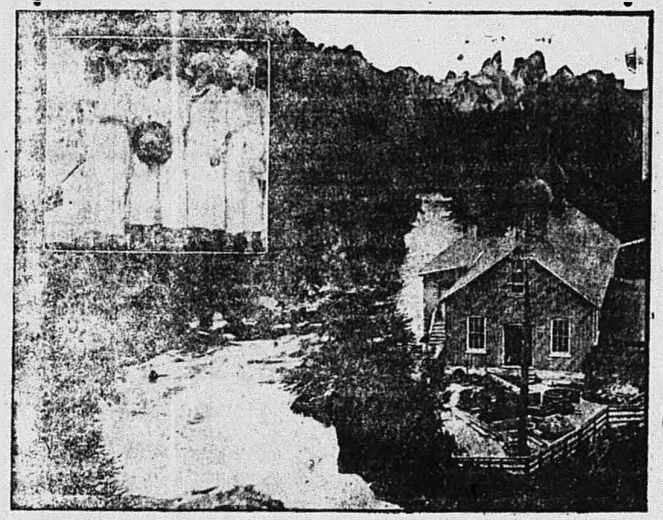


A British Army Piggery in France.—Camp waste utilized to produce food.



On the British Western Front in France.—A machine gun position which is holding the Germans.

In The Eastern Townships



(1) A Group of Girl Campers at Waterfall, Knowlton's Landing.
(2) Scene on Magog River, Sherbrooke.

THERE were troublesome times for loyalists of British stock in America at the close of the eighteenth century; they saw the influence of their beloved motherland dwindling in the new world; they witnessed the defeat of their cause, saw the triumph of George Washington, and their anxiety culminated in despair when, in 1783, the signature of the American declaration of independence threatened to destroy the last tie to that mother country. Wearying of life amongst those who had torn down the Union Jack and hoisted a newer emblem the loyalists of Vermont and New Hampshire left their ancestored grounds and emigrated to the neighboring country where the British flag was still found.

They were a hardy race, these British-Americans who settled in the Eastern Townships of the province of Quebec. They were mainly of English or Scotch birth or of English or Scotch descent, and they came across the border to ensure. Many of them forsook comfortable homes, and there were few who had brought many earthly possessions with them but they were well equipped with indomitable courage and persevering industry. That part of Canada to which they came was then but scantily explored. They knew little of what it offered, yet they were not dismayed as they came through the rugged hills and valleys and past immense forests. They pitched a camp wherever they found a fertile tract of land. Every responsible United Empire Loyalist, who by his loyalty to Great Britain had suffered was given a substantial acreage. Forty settlers made what was called a township, and a township covered about ten square miles. Each township elected an agent, or representative, to negotiate with the Canadian Government. A Constitutional Act was passed in 1791 whereby the settlement of the district was [illegible]

The United Empire Loyalist pioneers of the Eastern Townships soon became attached to the new country into which they were welcomed, and those who had been driven from their homes by their ancestors. Beautiful scenery surrounded them everywhere; there was plenty of big game in the woods, millions of fish dwelt in the lakes and rivers, and virgin soil awaited the request of the plough and spade to yield wholesome crops. Log built houses made sturdy homes, and log fires made cosy hearths in the chilly winter days. But the course of life cannot be all smooth in a new and rough country. There were no roads, and members of families had often to travel long distances through wilderness in search of some of the necessities of life. It is recorded that Henry Lawrence, a youthful lad, travelled forty miles for fifty pounds of salt. A traveller discovering himself lost in the woods was no unusual person in those days.

About the year 1867 the settlement of the Eastern Townships was begun by the Pycock Canadians. They multiplied rapidly, and now they form the greater portion of the population of the locality. Some years ago when opportunities for success in Western Canada were being widely advertised, many of the English-speaking inhabitants of the Townships sold out their holdings, and proceeded to take up larger homesteads in the West.

Some of the towns in the Eastern Townships are centres of prosperous manufacturing industries and considerable traffic. The towns and many of the villages also provide accommodation for holiday folks in the summer months. The beauty spots of the Eastern Townships are much frequented by residents of Montreal, who, on account of their proximity to them, can conveniently go there for week-end holidays.

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EACH year brings a certain amount of trouble through the feeding of new grain to live stock, and in seasons like the present when food is scarce and the supply of old grain has been exhausted before the freshly-threshed grain is ready there is a likelihood that more new grain than usual will be fed to the live stock and consequently greater care should be exercised to avoid digestive derangements.

The horse is generally considered a little more susceptible to digestive troubles following changes in feeding practice than are other classes of farm live stock. It is always well to make changes very gradually and carefully. The main grain feed of the horse in this country is oats, and new oats should always be fed with great care. Hard-worked horses should, if it is at all possible, be fed old oats and the new grain left to dry and cure for a few weeks after threshing. At any rate to avoid colic, acute indigestion and inflammation new oats should at first form only a part of the grain ration, being mixed with old oats and possibly a little bran and the percentage of the new grain gradually increased until the horses are on full feed. Sudden changes from old to new grain are especially dangerous with the horse and particularly with the horse at heavy work and on a heavy concentrate ration. There is, of course, a difference due to the time of threshing. Grain which remains in sack or mow for several weeks and thus becomes dry and cured is not so dangerous as that threshed directly from the field or immediately after harvesting.

As a rule heavy feeding of grain is not practiced with cattle and sheep on pasture. Where such is the case, however, changing from old to new grain should be done with care and the substitution should be, if possible, gradual. If the ration must, of necessity, be composed entirely of newly-threshed grain it should at first be comparatively light and increased very gradually.

Pigs usually handle newly-threshed grain without much trouble, although if on very heavy rations when finishing for market a little care should be taken that they be not thrown off their feed. Newly-threshed grain is difficult to grind fine and is not easily stored and large quantities of the ground grain may not be stored in bulk as heating and musting will result in lowering the feeding value of the grain by rendering it unpalatable and less digestible. Musty grain is more dangerous than clean, new grain.—Prof. W. Toole, Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph.

Get Corn Binder In Shape.

To handle the corn crop expeditiously, economically, and successfully some kind of a corn harvester is an absolute necessity, and it must be in good working order. Various cheap machines have been tried and found wanting, but the corn binder has become a permanent fixture on a large number of farms in this province.

There are several kinds of corn binders on the market, and while each kind may have its special merit as to the arrangement of the essential parts trouble must arise if these parts are not properly cleaned, oiled and kept in alignment.

The advancing part of the corn binder consists of two diverging jaws which may be raised or lowered by an arrangement of levers. Attached to each jaw are two or three travelling chains, furnished with fingers. Their function is to convey the stalks to the binding deck in an upright position as the machine advances. The chains should not be too loose or they will ride the teeth of the sprocket and slip down the teeth. Machines having packers,—to prevent ears being knocked off by jamming the stalks behind the needles—so to it that the packers yield slightly while the bundle is being tied. Too many bundles crowding the carrier will interfere with the binding attachment properly freeing itself. The knotter and the needle cannot do their work efficiently when covered with rust. Polish them with emery cloth. If the knife of the knotter is dull sharpen it or it will cause trouble by pulling the twine from the hook before the knot is made. As it requires considerable power to cut the sappy stubble, and not tear it up by the roots the knife should be thoroughly keen, otherwise it will clog with grass and weeds. The stubble-cutter should also be kept in good condition. It is a useful device, and when rightly sharpened and adjusted does not add very much to the draft.

Do not depend on a superficial examination of the machine to acquaint yourself if it needs repairing, because if you do, you will surely see some small, but vital part needing attention, if not replacing. If no break during the busy season you will cause greater breakages and serious loss.

Clean the machine thoroughly with benzine, gasoline or kerosene. Go over every part of the machine, and while doing this you will locate loose bolts and worn or broken parts. Oil-holes and wells should be cleaned out, and new waste, if required, put into the wells. Refill the grease cups; in short, renew and repair anything and everything that requires attention. — Prof. John Evans, Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph.

TOWN AND DISTRICT NEWS

Bradstreet's statement that 81 per cent. of all failures are among non-advertisers is significant. Intelligent advertising has become an essential in every modern industry.

The "B" on the Oats

Mrs. Henry Damper writes to the Guelph Mercury: "I would like to say I am 67 years old and my husband is 76 and we both have seen that "B" on the oats ever since we can remember. So "don't worry," you can tell them. We live at Crewson's Corners. The people around here felt quite troubled about it."

Sure Poison 'Tis Said

According to a Toronto paper a favorite trick of bootleggers now adays is to cut out the bottoms of whiskey bottles, leaving the official seal on the cork intact, then fill up the bottles with a cheap and poisonous concoction and cement the bottom tight. Those who buy and drink that "whiskey" might as well drink carbolic acid and be done with it. The imitation whiskey may be a bit slower, but it is no less sure a poison.

The Spotless Town

Alvinston Free Press: We read in many of our exchanges, agitations by the editors for the various towns to clean up the streets. In this respect Alvinston leads many of the surrounding towns, as every Friday morning (weather permitting) the merchants get out on the street and sweep into piles all refuse which may have collected during the week, this being then hauled away. This makes a very presentable looking street and should be an example to other towns.

And Next Winter People Will Freeze

A great subterranean fire has been raging for more than thirty years in south-eastern Ohio, according to "Popular Mechanics," It has been fed by fifteen million tons of the best soft coal, which has been on fire since the labor troubles of 1884 in this region. All attempts to extinguish the fire have failed, though at one period water was pumped on it continuously for three years. "One can stand on a high hill in the middle of the fire district," it is said, and see smoke issuing from the ground as far as the eye can reach in every direction."

Handling Gasoline

Many automobile owners do not fully realize the danger connected with the careless handling of gasoline. In a general way they recognize the explosive power of the liquid but few of them know how great that explosive power is. A writer in one of the magazines devoted to the auto trade seeks to make this clear and more impressive by comparing the explosive power of gasoline with that of dynamite. He points to the fact that gasoline, even at low temperature, constantly develops an explosive vapor. Five gallons of gasoline will generate 8,000 cubic feet of gas which, if ignited, expands 4,000 times. One gallon of gasoline, properly mixed with air and compressed, is equal to about 83 pounds of dynamite in explosive force. What makes gasoline particularly dangerous is the fact that it is more rapidly ignited and exploded than dynamite. One can never be too careful in handling gasoline under any and all circumstances.—Popular Science Monthly.

MAN

Man that is born of woman is small potatoes and few in a hill.

He riseth up today and flourisheth like a rag weed, and tomorrow or the next day after, the undertaker has him in the ice box.

He goeth forth in the morning warbling like a lark, and is knocked out in one round and two seconds.

In the midst of life he is in debt, and the tax collector pur-ueth him wherever he goeth.

The banister of life is full of splinters and he slideth down it with considerable rapidity.

He walks forth in the bright sunlight to absorb ozone, and meeteth a bank teller with a sight draft for $267.

He cometh home at eventide and meeteth the wheelbarrow in his path, and the wheelbarrow riseth up and smiteth him to the earth. And falleth upon him.

In the gentle spring-time he putteth on his summer clothes, and a blizzard stayeth him far away from home and filleth him with woe and rheumatism.

In autumn he putteth on his winter trousers and a wasp that abideth in them filleth him with intense excitement.

He buyeth a watch dog, and when he comes home late from the lodge the watch dog treeth him, and sits beneath him until rosy morn.

He goeth to the horse trot and betteth on the brown mare and the bay gelding with the blaze-face winneth.

He marrieth a red-headed heiress with a wart on her nose, and the next day her paternal ancestor goeth under with few assets and great liabilities and cometh home to live with his beloved son-in law.

Mr. Milton Dierlam, at one time a salesman with Whitehead & Huether, was in town last week representing the Brook's Oil Co., of Cleveland. Milton makes his home at Hamilton.

Train Men's Shift

The reduction of train service on the railroads and the consequent laying off of a few crews, has resulted in a good deal of "tumping" lately, the senior men who have been laid off claiming jobs held by junior men and getting them. This has resulted in a good deal of shifting from place to place among the train men.

Broke Traffic Law.

Mr Henry Schmidt, a local liveryman, will bring an action against an automobile driver resident near Paisley for an infraction of the traffic law. It appears that our townsman was motoring to Port Elgin on Sunday morning, and overtook another car south of Paisley. Henry wished to pass, but the other fellow is alleged to have poked along for nearly two miles, and, blocking Mr. Schmidt's every attempt to get ahead. This was more than Mr. Schmidt could stand, and he is determined to teach the offender a lesson in good manners.—Mildmay Gazette

Now Dead and Buried

The Ontario West Shore Railway (the one-time proposed electric railway from Goderich to Kincardine) which at one time promised so much to the municipalities it was designed to serve, later became the subject of much litigations and of heart-ache to those interested in it, has now become a thing of the past. It is not only dead but buried—or if not buried its parts have been so dissipated and distributed that it, as a thing in itself, it no longer exits. The final scene of destruction was enacted a couple of weeks ago, when the effects—wood and iron—between Kintail and Goderich were sold by public auction. J. J. Hunter, of Kincardine, wielded the hammer, and the sum of $220 was realized from the old ties, bridge timbers, scrapers and other junk. The most valuable item was the timber of the big trestle at Port Albert. It brought $155.00. For several years the material has been disappearing—farmers and others helping themselves to such things as they could make use of. There is little left now but the cuts and the grading which for years will remain as a monument to one of the greatest swindles ever pulled off in Western Ontario.

IT MAKES A DIFFERENCE

(From an Exchange)

That it pays to keep your subscription to the home paper pain up is a long-established fact. Take the case of John Jones and his neighbor, Abe Smith, for instance. Both were well known citizens of the community; both had lived the average sort of a life, but when they passed from out this vale of tears John was paid in advance, and Abe was some six or seven seasons behind the lighthouse. Their funerals are held; mourners in equal numbers follow them to their last long resting places. The editor is alone in the sanctum. He sums up their careers in his mind, and after looking at their subscription accounts he tal es the office typewriter on his knee and this is what he says:

John Jones:—Our heart is a tumult of sadness, our life's way has been darkened. A familiar form has gone from our midst that the coming years will be unable to replace. To know our neighbor and friend, John Jones, was to love him. He was the soul of generosity and kindness, and his sad leave-taking has cast a pall over the entire community. As a husband and father he was the personification of all that was good and noble; in his business dealings with his fellow men he was the acme of honest and upright-ness. He has gone out over the vine-clad hills of time to wait the coming of his loved ones on that other shore. His life was ideal, an inspiration to better citizenship; and we know that his shall be the reward of the faithful—a seat on the right of the throne in place in glory through all the eternal ages.

Abe Smith:—In the due course of events Destiny finally came to its senses. And last Wednesday night reached out and yanked old Abe Smith into the unknown. We don't know where he has gone and care a damsite less. So far as this community is concerned we can spare him with pleasure. He was a boulder upon the rails of progress; he was "agin" everything that stood for the betterment of the town in which he lived. He was parsimonious, low-down, and foul mouthed, and it must be a relief to his family to be rid of him. He died leaving a widow and eight small children, no estate, and an unpaid subscription account at this office, for seven dollars. We are human, we are forgiving, and just before the undertaker screwed the lid down we put in a seersucker suit, a palm-leaf fan, and a thermometer. We hope he'll have a darn big lot of use for them.

It's all ill wind that blows no person any good. As a result of the recent registration of the man and womanhood of the country, a Strathroy man and his son, who had not been heard from for many years, were accidentally united. The boy, out West wrote to a Strathroy party for a certificate of his birth. Inquiry was made, and it was found that his father was still living there. To his delight, the father was given the address of his son, who was lost track of many years ago.

Death of Mr. Adam Sieling, Sr.

Death removed one of the oldest residents of this district on Friday July 26th at Neustadt when Mr. Adam Sieling, Sr passed away at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Conrad Helwig at the advanced age of 91 years, 9 months and 7 days. Death was due to a general break down owing to old age. He had a remarkable constitution and as recent as May last walked from Neustadt to Hanover in about an hour and a half. Deceased was retiring in disposition and was highly respected by all who knew him. He was born in Wippershain, Hersfeld, Kurhessen, Germany, on October 19, 1826. He came to Canada in 1847, being then 21 years of age. He made his first home in the town of Salem where he met and married Miss Elizabeth Derbecker. Later the family moved to Normanby township where they lived a short time returning to Salem for three years. They then moved to Carrick township where he farmed until he was 83 years of age. He then lived in Neustadt for 2 years and then moved to Hanover. The marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Sieling was blessed with 11 children of whom 6 survive, as follows: Harriett, (Mrs. John Collinson) of Monroe, Mich; Elizabeth (Mrs. C. Diebel) of Hanover; Christine (Mrs. John Stephan) of Logan township; Sarah (Mrs. Con. Helwig) Neustadt; Adam of Hanover and William in Saskatchewan. Mrs. Sieling passed away eight years ago. The deceased gentleman leaves numerous descendants, there being 41 grand children and 22 great grand children. The funeral was held on Sunday afternoon July 29th, from the home of Mr. Helwig in Neustadt to the Hanover cemetery. The funeral service was held on Mr. Helwig's lawn, being conducted by Rev. J. Leypoldt, assisted by Rev. W. Papenhausen.

MALCOLM MacBETH WRITES FROM WEST

Malcolm MacBeth, an old Walkerton boy, now Postmaster of Milverton and publisher of the Milverton Sun, writes from the West where he is at present on an extended trip with his family:—

We arrived in Winnipeg on Monday night, after a train ride from Fort William, and spent Tuesday and Wednesday forenoon in that city. We toured as much as we could in the time. It is really a wonderful place and considering the amount of waste land to the east of it, one wonders from what it draws its source of prosperity. The most interesting historical place about it is the gateway of old Fort Garry, which was built in 1850. Only the gateway of this famous old fort, built in the days of the Red River settlement, remains, the remainder of the structure having been entirely demolished in the 80's. Had the Hudson Bay Company foreseen what this country is destined to be, it is possible that this fort, which would have proved one of the most historic points in the West, would not have been erased. However, on its ruins towers in stately grandeur the Fort Garry hotel, just recently completed by the C. N. R. This building is about the last word in hotel architecture and is about twelve stories in height, and its equipment is up to the minute. There are no memorials here commemorating the life of the late Lord Strathcona, who for so many years was such a picturesque figure in the West, but the regard was mutual, as Lord Strathcona, who did so much for Montreal and other places by lavishing his wealth on their public institutions, did not contribute a farthing to any of Winnipeg's institutions. The cause is said to have been due to this constituency refusing to return him as a candidate to parliament in the early eighties, when he was plain Donald Smith. Lord Strathcona's prejudices and resentments were strong even to vindictiveness.

The trip from Winnipeg to Regina was uneventful. The crops of Manitoba looked to be fairly good and will undoubtedly, be up to the average. The wheat is not of very great height but is heading out well. A considerable quantity of rain has fallen of late and, while it will help considerably, the benefits will not be nearly so great as would have been had it fell earlier in season.

A remarkable thing about Regina is the amount of ground you see in potatoes—almost every vacant lot is planted in the sustaining tuber. Even in front of the Normal School they grow in the stead of lawns and shrubbery.

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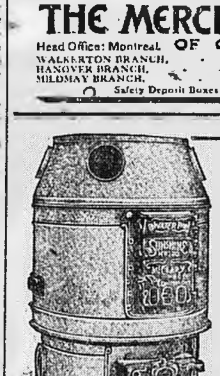
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CHAUTAUQUA WEEK

A Splendid Success In Walkerton
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nounced That They Have
Re-engaged the Production
For Next Year

The word "Chautauqua" signified little or nothing to the average citizen of Walkerton a week ago. To-day it means something. It leaves a pleasant taste on the tongue. It has brought us a feast of goodnchings, which in the ordiffary course of events our people would never have the opportunity to enjoy. The Chautauqua program proved edocative, entertaining and inspiring to the last degree. Its music was provided by artists of more than national reputation. Its dramatic production was given by players of the highest distinction. The addresses brought to our doors the best thought of the times in a series of inspirational orations of the highest order. The large audiences were pleased and profited. "Chautauqua" may now be reckoned as an established institution in Walkerton and to the local Chapter of the Daughters of The Empire is e the credit for pioneering the move- here. Among such a riot of good it is hard to particularize. The Glee Singers started the ball m Tuesday afternoon with a program of popular and clas- ic, making an excellent im- on the opening audience. mouflage of Kaiserism," the rical gun of the Chautauqua made a direct hit. Dr. n is a typical Irishman and his e and wit were such as an Irish- ly could command. Rev. MacCorry's unavoidable ab- ring to an accident was a big intment but Dr. Buhn, who fill the gap, proved to be pos- best feature of the entire Dr. Bohn is a University pro- a man high in the diplomatic of the United States. He Germany at the beginning of ar and it was indeed a rare treat ceive a message from one so tely versed in the situation. Dr. expressed the opinion that the ill never be over until the milli- party in Germany is decisively ed. Miss Martha Alexander, ist, is a gifted artist playing dramatic power and wonderful nique. Her playing was greatly ed. Hartwell De Mille, the cele- d Canadian baritone, and Miss e Williamson, the brilliant plan- ere artists who gave delightful rmances on the second day. Al Sweet's singing band of men who sing well and are real artists at playing the various band instruments, made a st hit. In "If I could live life over n", Col. Geo. W. Bain, the Ken-

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Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McCully and family of Stratford were visitors at Mr. J. E. McGregors this week.

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Lost

Dealer's Motor Car License No. 2526 in Walkerton vicinity. Finder please return to the Telescope office.

Turf Club.

A meeting of the Walkerton Turf Club will be held at the Town Hall to night (Thursday) at eight o'clock. Geo. D. McKay,—Secretary.

Death of Miss Hales

The death occurred Wednesday afternoon at 4.30 p. m. of Miss E. L. Hales, fourth daughter of Rev. James and Mrs. Hales of Walkerton. Futher particulars next week.

Notice

A meeting will be held in the Council Chamber, Town Hall, on Wednesday evg. August 21st, at 7.30 p. m. to form a local committee to assist in the canvass for the Navy League.

Geo. D. McKay.
Secretary.

Killed In Action.

Word has just been received that a former Walkerton boy, Lieut. Clark Ostle, son of Mr. W. D. Ostle, now of Toronto, was killed in action on August 9th. Clark left the Bank at Collingwood early in the war to enlist. He was a clever chap and a fine type of young Canadian manhood.

Fell Off Ladder

Mr. Archie Tolton's little four year old son, Morris, climbed a ladder out in the barn one day last week and fell through on top of the hay loader. One of the tines of the loader pierced the little fellow's left thigh about an inch and a half inflicting a nasty wound which required the doctor's services.

Quarrel Over Berry Patch

Two women living near, Hanover quarreled in a berry patch and came to blows. One struck her neighbor over the head with a berry pail inflicting injuries which required the doctor's attention. As a result Mrs. Jos. Francis charged Mrs. Wightman in Court here with assault. Mrs. Wightman claimed the other woman was trespassing on property rented by her husband but the boundary line is not marked and Magistrate Tulton assessed Mrs Wightman $7 on two charges, $5 damages, together with costs which brought the bill up to $30.64.

NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Mr. Andrew Oberle went to London on Monday.

Mr. Rich. Addley left for the West on Tuesday

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ryan spent Sunday at Paisley.

Bargain week at Bremner's. See advt. on page 4.

Mr. E. J. Skelton left on Monday for Foremost, Sask.

Mr. Aaron Misch, of Hanover, spent Sunday at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Wilson and babe are holidaying at Toronto.

Miss James, of London, is a guest this week at Mr. F. B. James'.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A Glebe and family of Hanover were Sunday visitors here.

A guaranteed No. 1 clothes wringer, ball bearing, at $6.00. S. W. Vogan.

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Toilet paper, Thursday, Friday and Saturday 3 rolls for 25c. S. W. Vogan

Mr. Roy Button of Teeswater spent Sunday with his friend, Mr. Alf Weber.

Mr and Mrs. Ed. Schneider of Mildmay spent Sunday with friends here.

Miss Kate Beattie left on Monday on a three weeks' vacation at Simcoe and London.

Mrs. A. Mosack and daughter, Miss Olive, spent Friday with relatives at Formosa.

Miss Emlelta Stevens returned home after spending a few weeks with relatives at Malcolm.

Miss Rhea Baker spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Player at Port Elgin

Miss Tillie McGregor and Miss Helen Bobyear, of Paris, are visitors at the former's home.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Mosack spent Sunday with Mrs. Dave Schwan at Carlsruhe.

Mr. and Mrs. Con. Alt. of Port Arthur visited relatives in town over the week-end.

Miss Myrtle Parker of Clifford was a guest at Mr. E. Myles' a couple of days this week.

Little Miss Melba Hooey of Chesley is holidaying at the home of her uncle, Mr. W. G. Cheshire.

Miss Myrtle Jenkins returned this week after a month's vacation at Gore Bay, Manitoulin Island.

Miss Iva Hamilton, of Chesterville, is spending a week at the home of her cousin, Dr. W. B. Halliday.

Miss Florence Taylor returned on Saturday after spending a few weeks with friends at Owen Sound.

Miss Violet Lumley returned on Saturday last from visiting friends at Flesherton and Eugenia Falls.

New Perfection coal oil stoves are in great demand. Get one before they are all gone. S. W. Vogan.

Mr. John Noecker, of Drayton, motored here last week on a visit to his sister, Mrs. M. G. Dippell.

Miss Isabel Gordon of Teeswater is spending a few days of this week with her friend, Miss Mae Grant.

Mr. and Mrs. William Young and two children, of Eldorslie, spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Alex McCarter.

Mrs. Vail and Mrs. A. D. Nelson, of Montreal and Mr. and Mrs. F. W. L. Shaw of Toronto have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Norman Robertson.

Master Frederick Fox Hughes, of Waterloo, grandson of Mr. C. A. Fox, was one of the successful candidates on the recent Matriculation Examinations.

Mrs. Wm. Kirstine and son, Graeme, recently spent a week-end at Paisley. While there they tried their luck at fishing with good success, landing two three lb. pike and two two pounders.

Paisley tax rate will be 34 and one-tenth mills.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Lay spent Friday in Toronto.

Mr. Barney Weber paid a visit to Preston last week.

Mrs. Guy Henderson is visiting friends at Stratford.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Garner and Miss Gertrude spent Sunday at Chesley.

Mrs. Grigsby of Toronto is the guest of her cousin, Miss Anna Smith.

Miss Myrtle Parker of Clifford spent Tuesday at the home of Mr. E. Myles.

Mrs. (Sergt.) Wiles and children, of Preston are the guests of Mr. J. H. Wiles.

Sergt. Hermie Runstadler of Petawawa Camp spent the week-end at his home here

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Kay and two children of Kenora are visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harrison and Mrs. Jos. Bergman motored to Port Elgin on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Rogers and babe of Preston are visiting at the former's home here.

Miss Helene Whitehead left on Saturday for Toronto to train as a nurse at Wellesley Hospital.

Miss Abbie Ernewein left on Thursday to spend several weeks with relatives at Cleveland, Ohio.

Miss Edna Ros, who has been a guest at Mr. W. H. McFarlane's, returned home to Grimsby on Tuesday.

Misses Bertha Shoebridge and Lily McCamley of Toronto are visiting at the home of Mr. Frank Smith.

Master Cornelius Benninger who has been visiting with relatives at Carlsruhe returned home on Sunday.

Miss Sabine Brick returned to Kitchener on Monday after a few days' visit with her sister, Mrs. Frank Ryan.

Mrs. Sylvester Parker of Cargill spent a few days last week at the home of her brother, Mr. Val. Kaufmann.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ferris and family motored up from Toronto on Monday and are guests at Mr. Latchford's.

Master Keyworth Sutton, who has been visiting at Mr. Charles Doepfer's, Palmerston, arrived home on Monday night.

Miss Bernice Pinkney, of Stoughton, Sask., is home on an extended visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rober Pinkney.

Rev. Father Lambertus, Peter and Miss Millie Lambertus left on Monday on a few weeks visit to their brother, Dr. A. Lambertus at Eganville.

Dr. Murray, Chiropractor, is holidaying at London, Ingersoll, Woodstock and Hamilton. She expects to arrive home the first of the month.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Goetz of Deemerton and Mr. and Mrs Louis Steffler of Ambleside were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. John Lambertus.

Dr. W. B. Halliady accompanied by his mother and sister, Miss Mary Halliday motored to Wingham on Sunday and spent the day with friends there.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilmont Cann who were recently married in Toronto are spending part of their honeymoon, guests at the home of Dr. and Mrs. A. G. Fortune.

C. P. R. Harvesters Excursion to West on Thursday Aug. 22nd. Fare $12.00 to Winnipeg. Best service, Tickets and information at town office —Hunter's Drug Store.

Rev. W. H. Burgess B. A., B. D. who is to be the new pastor of Knox Church, spent part of Tuesday here while returning from Bruce Beach near Kincardine where he has been holidaying, to his home at Chatham. It is expected that Mr. Burgess' pastorate here will begin about the first of Sept.

Sleeps in Flanders' Fields



DR. MALCOLM McKECHNIE

Captain of No. 6, Canadian Field Ambulance Corps, Died of Wounds, August 8th, 1918.

98 In Shade

98 degrees in the shade was the official temperature here Tuesday, which was by far the hottest day so far this year.

Throw Stones At Windows

While Mrs. Wells, who lives near the Biscuit Factory, was away visiting at Mildmay last week, some young miscreants threw stones through the windows at the front of the house breaking four panes. Trouble is in store for the offenders

Roy Whitehead Wounded

Mr. James Whitehead received a telegram yesterday morning stating that his son, Capt. Roy Whitehead, had been wounded on Aug 9th. Further particulars will be anxiously awaited. Roy went to England in 1916 as Adjutant of the 160th Bruce Battalion. Since the breaking up of his Batt'n he has been at the Front with the 8th Batt'n known as the Little Black Devils, of Winnipeg.

Tuesday's Storm

The heaviest rain in several months accompanied by lightning and wind visited this section Tuesday evening. The rain was much needed and did a lot of good but the wind and a slight hail caused considerable damage. The oats which are only about half cut were knocked down a good deal. Some farmers had trees blown down in their orchards. The government instrument at J. Leggatt's, Yonge St., showed a rainfall of 28,098 gallons to the acre which was surely some spell.

Matriculation Results

The following are the results of both Honor and Pass Examinations. In Honor Matriculation, the school had two candidates and these only for the subject of French. These candidates — Stella Bush and Aileen McCool both won First Class Honors in the lone subject. As 55% is required for this standing these young ladies have done very creditable work. In Pass Matriculation, the following passed in all the 12 papers:— Erma J. Glave, W. V. Tovell and Leo C. Yuck, B. McCool. In partial Matriculation, H. N. Lay passed in 11 out of the 12 subjects and C. A. Cargill, in 8 out of the 12. This report completes the statement for Form III. 17 candidates of the Form wrote — 14 being successful and of these 3 taking both Entrance to Normal and Matriculation Certificates. Candidates are advised to procure a copy of last Monday's paper as in addition to the lists of successful candidates much useful information is given.

Death Of Thos. Coates

After a lingering illness of over two years Mr. Thomas Coates of Brant passed to his reward at 3.15 a. m. Tuesday, aged 68 years, 7 months and 8 days. The deceased who was born in Yorkshire came to this country when only a nine weeks' old babe with his parents. The family settled around Claremont and there Mr. Coates grew to young manhood on the farm. Forty-one years ago last April he came to Brant and located on the farm where he spent the rest of his days. On Jan. 25th, 1874 he was married at Dunbarton to his beloved wife, then Miss Eliza McIntosh, who predeceased him 10 weeks to the day. Mr. Coates was a faithful member of the Baptist Church and belonged to the A. O. U. W. He was known as an honest man, a good neighbor, upright in all his dealings. A family of three sons and three daughters survive: John of Claremont, Mrs. Wm Moore of Varney, Alex. of Walkerton, David, Jessie and Phoebe at home. The funeral takes place from the family residence, Brant, this (Thursday) afternoon.

CAPT. MALC. McKECHNIE

Walkerton Boy Who Went To France With Medical Corps Fell In Battle On Aug. 8th

A telegram to Mr. and Mrs. D. McKechnie from Ottawa on Monday morning bore the sad intelligence that their son, Capt. Malcolm Archibald McKechnie, had died of wounds in France on August 8th. No further word has been received yet but doubtless he was one of the first gallant Canadians, who fell in the Offensive last week in which the Canadian Divisions won back a wide strip of ground from the enemy. Dr. McKechnie, who has been serving with the 6th Can. Field Ambulance Corps, was a young man of attractive personality and high ideals of life and service. The noble spirit which has won the respect and admiration of the world, and which in future years will be Canada's richest heritage was his, in full measure. His last letter to his mother before leaving Camp Hughes, Manitoba, for England, on Oct. 24th, 1916, shows what manner of young man he was. He recalls the joy of childhood when sleigh riding down gentle slops. As he grew older the steeper hills were the attraction. These too lost their charm but the steep hill near the Exhibition Grounds was always a joy. Arriving after a climb over the crusted snow, the start downward was slow at first, then faster and faster, shooting over hummocks and attempting to fly, and on through a piece of swamp out upon the icy river where the sleigh glided gently and then stopped. Then all was excitement and how glad they all were and yet sorry for those who did not come along and take the trip, and so the desire came to him and he hoped to travel far and swiftly and safely along life's pathway and when the speed slackened and the sleigh begin to slow up he would look along the river and up to the grand old hills towering far above, emblems of his mother's devoted love and the eternal Father's care which enabled him to take his bumps over the hummocks and arrive safely at the river and then he would be happy, oh so happy. In his last letter, received last week, he speaks about transfusion of blood which starts a new life which had almost flickered out, and how keenly he was interested and rejoiced in its success. The equipment apparatus had to be invented and made from any material at hand and the men contributed a great deal in making these articles. Noble chaps, they were, always anxious under all conditions to do their utmost to help those who were wounded and gratified at the results, and realized that it is one thing to put a dressing on a wound and send the case on to the casualty clearing station, often beyond help when taken there and what a different feeling they had when the case under circumstances was almost beyond hope and yet they succeeded in bringing the patient around and then sent him on. They, themselves were transfused with the desire to help the other chap when in dire distress.

Dr. McKechnie was born at Gillies Hill, on Jan. 11th, 1889, died of wounds August 8th, 1918. He came with his parents to Walkerton in 1892 when his father received the appointment of County Gaoler. He graduated from the Walkerton Public and High Schools and in Medicine from Queen's University in 1914 and was registered in the University of Alberta at Edmonton. He was associated with Drs. McKentie & McKenzie as a physician for the Canada Northern Railway until he enlisted in 1916 and went Overseas from Camp Hughes as Medical Officer with the 17th Cameron Highlanders of Winnipeg. For a time he served in England on a Medical Board, classifying convalescent soldiers. He went to France in March 1917 as Captain of No. 6 Canadian Field Ambulance C. A. M. C. On August 8th he made the Supreme Sacrifice. We bow our heads and pay our tribute of respect to the memory of a heroic character. Such fallen heroes have left a serious bequest to the coming generation of Canadians. It is ours to catch the torch thrown by dying hands and to hold high the principles of Canadian citizenship.

Taken Ill With Appendicitis

Mr. William Campbell, who has been here from Holland, Man., visiting Mr. P. Ritchie and other friends, was taken suddenly ill with appendicitis the first week and was removed to the Bruce County Hospital on Saturday for an operation. The trouble proved to be pretty far developed and the fact that Mr. Campbell is well past middle age is against him but he is doing as well as could be expected.

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Morning train, north bound—11.57

Afternoon train, south bound—4.06 p. m.

Night train, north bound—9.25 p.m

WHERE THE CANUCKS LIVE

Average Town in France Where Our Soldiers are Quartered Ruefly Described By Well-known Canadian Writer, W. Lacey Amy.

When you see a red tabbed officer gravely examining a stand of notions you know a button has come off his shirt. Tommy patronizes the market because it gives him a chance to air his French and develop his sense of comparative values. The French people attend for the time it saves, the freshness of the produce, and the opportunity for gossip. I haven't discovered that anyone goes because it is cheap—which reminds me of prices at St. Lawrence Market in Toronto in the days before the war.'

A carefully devised scheme in connection with the French town is the condition of the streets. They are paved with cobblestones, sidewalks and roadway. You may travel at fifty miles an hour up to the out-skirts, but there you must slow down in self defence to six or eight, or lay up for repairs. They have signs if the suburbs establishing a rate of ten miles—then the man who hung the signs goes behind a post and delightedly watches you try to exceed the limit. The ordinary warning to pedestrians—most of whom are sooner or later in their peregrinations forced into the road—is the dislodgment of your car flittin a on to the stones.

Towns Kept Clean

French streets are usually clean. I do not know whether that is their nature in peacetime, or because when the soldiers are in town they are bound by the regulations to clean the streets themselves. To be sure the women and girls of the homes are out at eight a. m. scrubbing the cobbles almost to the middle of the road. But the first half hour's traffic undoes all that. The unsightliness is the day's wash up within doors. Whether it is a factory a stable, a blacksmith shop or a house, the scrubbings find outlet into the street, and the khaki street gang come along and see that they do not block the traffic. It is all a clean sort of dirt.

Another result of cobbles is that street sauntering is reduced to the minimum. It is too hard on shoe leather and ankles and muscles. That is why the soldiers favor inch soles to their shoes, so that they may cover a French street without feeling more than the larger unevenesses or falling between the stones. Not every soldier temporarily missing is a prisoner of war.

The houses are quaint. There is a similarity of design, but no symmetry of line. Each house and store has its own walls and roof, its own height, its own finish and color, though the prevailing tone is white. The roofs are always steep; and I am informed by the Canadian artists now attached temporarily to the force that this is artistic. It is at least effective in France. One or two towns have gable ends facing the street, like ours. But usually the peak runs parallel with the street. A burglar has little chance of escape either by French roofs or French Streets.

The French town about which the Canadian force is centred—or rather splashed—has little distinctive from its fellow products of the common mould. It is so typical that a sketch of it should bring every mother in Canada over to France—if she can do it justice—to see what surrounds her boy so many months of the year.

A Jumble of Streets

Picture a spilling of uneven lines from a celestial balloon and you have the plan of the streets. The man who charted them must have been out late on a fete night and have felt the necessity of an unlimited uncertainty of direction. His most convivial evening would never leave him at sea on the streets of a French town. Always there would be a twist ahead to fit into his course.

Having got that thoroughly in mind, one may add to the houses. Once the street lines were laid down, builders came along with competitive sizes of residence in mind (though seldom of plan) and pointed roughly to the location they desired. The size thought not fit into the space, but such a trivial obstacle was overcome by jutting the corner into the already zigzag street line. It cut in so seriously on the sidewalks that they completely disappear at unexpected moments and oppose a blank wall. And to protect the obstructing corners from passing traffic, stone posts were stuck in the edge of the roadway—which the wagons struck at their peril.

Roughly speaking the town centres round the square. The French town without a square flanked by the hotel de ville (in ordinary English, the town hall) isn't yet on the map. The square provides a place for the market, public proclamations, evening gossip, and a temporary storeroom for things in general—usually, during the war, lorries and motor cycles. The idea is that the mayor may look from his official window an dsatisfy himself that his flock is behaving in a comely manner.

Market Like Department Store

The market is weekly, with monthly editions de luxe to encourage the idea that bigger things are possible on effort. The weekly market is a department store, a live stock farm, and a rummage sale combined. You can buy anything from face powder to live pigs, from rope-soled slippers to cherries. The Caledonian market in London, plus the Farrington street market in the same city, added to the farmers' market in the large cities of Canada might produce something resembling the cosmopolitanism of a French town market. We go there for buttons, shaving soap, and fresh eggs for the mess. We pay, but we get thrown in a foreign flavor and a Cook's tourist atmosphere not to be obtained in the available ordinary and cheaper forms of commerce.

Dress of the Civilians

One grows accustomed to the peculiarities of the French civilian dress, but it still retains some novelty for me. Small girls dress normally enough, but the small boys wear large aprons with yokes buttoning down the back and resembling at a distance the garb of certain religious orders. The women vary as they do elsewhere, with quite as good an average. Just now the fit men are in French grey, which makes a sightly uniform. The trousers of the others are peculiar. They are loose at the top, ending at the ankle in a cuff. The volume of the top establishes the home and origin of the wearer. Some require a whole road to pass each other; others use patience and perform the feat on the sidewalks by turning sideways.

Everyone is kindly and pleasant-faced, despite the war. The children are full of life, but not tough or disturbing noisy. The Canadian soldier takes to the people, and they to him, with a camaraderie which makes a real pleasure of a rest camp.

When the Mayor wishes to speak to his people he sends round a crier with a brass plate and a wooden mallet. At the clanger the people gather round and receive instructions. There may be a distribution of sugar at the town hall, or a warning to deliver in connection with the war. And like the boy with a new whistle, the crier does not stint his job.

Just now two or three stores are estaminets or tea rooms or restaurants, some reserved for officers. There are no street names, and the only visible numbers have been put there by the military for billeting purposes. Many signs are in French and English. Any Canadian soldier in France learns enough French in a fortnight to prefer the French signs as a step in his education. By the way they flock to the stores, I suspect that they make purchases at times largely to extend their French vocabulary.

Horns for News Boys

The news vendors announce themselves by horns, except when selling the London papers. These they shout with all the pride of English-speaking Frenchmen. In a certain French city I heard a score of young lads shouting the papers in true London accent—"Pulpuh! pulpuh, suh!" And the speed of their sales is proof of the popularity of their wares and their English.

When the army comes into possession their are others offices besides street cleaning assumed by the military. At every corner where traffic crosses and traffic men, whose uplifted hands are command for private or general. There is no confusion and very little delay, though the corners are sharp, blind and narrow, and the passage of war impediments is ceaseless. The get-there-by policy that makes a road-hog of a man in Canada, and the give-and take that introduces almost incredible amenities into the traffic of London, are unknown in the French town in the military areas. You take your place in the line as laid down by the uniformed arm of a simple private with a black hand on his arm. It saves time, temper and rolling stock, and incorporates into the foreign flavour of strange streets and architecture and language the strong, visible arm of British law.

Futility of Hun Viciousness

There are other signs of war in these towns. With the commencement of the futile German push in March the enemy opened a further demonstration of futility. Most of the towns within twenty miles of the fighting lines have been shelled with varying intensity. A few have been viciously knocked about, others subjected to the German idea of frightfulness as a peace incentive. To say that it has effected nothing of what was intended is to repeat a known truth. Almost every house bears a small sign with the information, Cellar for 5," or perhaps as many as twenty or more, the location of immediate refuge and their capacity.

LETTER FROM FRED JEWEL

2 Canadian Command Depot,
Brumshott Camp,
July 8, 1918.

Dear Mother:—

I will write you a few lines to let you know that I am still alive but feeling just the same. It has started to rain and this is the second day of it and it is till pouring. The rain over here is much colder than that which we have in Canada. I have been talking to nursing Sister Lizzie Rennie and also Miss Wilson, who invited me in to her quarters and gave me a cup of tea and some cake. I also met John Russel while I was at London on leave, and Mr. Martyn while I was in Bexhill Hospital. Well mother you won't need to keep any of my clothes as they will be of no use to me when I get home as I have grown so much taller. I was 4 ft. 8 ins. when I joined the army and I am now 5 ft. 6 ins. high, so you can see how I have grown. I just wish you could see me now.

Well I hope this letter finds you all in good health and spirits.

Write soon and tell me all the news. So Good Bye.

From your son,
Fred.

"Be cualed now or be cold later" is the slogan of Chicago's woman's committee of national defence.

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XXX and XXXXX

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Hire our autos and enjoy this beautiful Summer. You have no worry, our chauffeur understands the car. All you need to do is to enjoy yourself.

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Prompt service, good horses, and right prices. Give us your order.

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ADVERTISING, in spite of all the hard knocks it has received, continues to grow each year. It is essential. It is the power behind the selling organization. Take away the element of advertising and the business world would lie stagnant and at a standstill.

AND advertising knows no seasons—it just keeps everlastingly at it: the most efficient and persistent salesman on our payroll.

AFTER advertising all through your "regular season" you are losing mighty value publicity by discontinuing your "ad." People have now become accustomed to your store news and the time is coming when they are going to need something exactly in your line.

YOUR ad. is a constant reminder—if it appears regularly. The sign above your door is seen only by people who pass your store—an advertisement in The Walkerton Telescope—the paper that goes home, is seen and read by the majority of the people in Walkerton and vicinity each week. So don't make the mistake of advertising just in your particular "season"—keep your name before the public the year round.

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or write General Passenger Dept., 68 King St. E., Toronto, Ont.
Ask for "Farmers' Work and Wages" Leaflet. 1234

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Prepare yourself for his place

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You must be ready to step in and fill his job. The war requires the maintenance of efficient manufacturing and mercantile organizations at home and it is your patriotic duty to do your bit.

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The Northern Business College with a good staff of experienced instructors will teach you what you need to know—what to do and how to do it. The cost will be very moderate. The fees are no higher than they have been for the past ten years.

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:: Write for Any Further Information You Wish ::

Northern Business College
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WRIGLEY'S



Send In The News—

The Telescope would appreciate the assistance and co-operation of its readers in the matter of items of interest. Local news, personals, weddings, letters from soldiers overseas—such news as this is always welcome.

Exploiting Sympathy

And now an Orangeville liveryman is sadly waiting for the return of his horse and rig which was engaged by a representative of a Toronto publishing house which has returned soldiers' out canvassing. People who are willing to exploit public sympathy in this way are worth watching.

Chances In War

Based on the mortality statistics of the allied armies, a soldier's chances, according to the New York Times, are as follows: Twenty-nine chances of coming home to one chance of being killed. Forty-nine chances of recovering from wounds to one chance of dying from them. One chance in 200 of losing a limb. The element of chance was put in a different way on a post card circulated among the Canadians overseas. In this case the number of chances was limited to two: You may be drafted and you may not; if drafted you may get overseas and you may not; if you go overseas you may go to France and you may not; if you get to France you may be wounded and you may not; if you are wounded you may be sent to England and you may not; if wounded you may die and you may not. You still have two chances.

WHAT A GOOD BAND MEANS TO A TOWN

In speaking about bands, and town bands in particular, we sometimes hear people carelessly say. "What good is a band in town, anyway?" Well first take inventory of the fellow who makes the remark. You may have reason to allow the silly question to be unanswered. But regarding the remark more seriously, let us say that a good band is one of the most useful things a town or community can possess. It is one of the best advertisements a town can have. Emerson says something about the world making a beaten path. Well, a good band will make all the roads leading to the town beaten paths, even though the town's other attractions be not enormous. Every merchant is benefitted by a good band. Many people come to town to attend the delightful entertainments and they combine shopping with this pleasure. The promoters of business and municipal enterprises always have the satisfaction of knowing that their civic demonstrations from time to time will be successful, because they have a first-class band to lead the way and attract the crowd.

The churches are provided with orchestras and special musical numbers on anniversary and jubilee occasions. The social functions of a community are more satisfactory and decidedly more pleasant because musicians equal to any occasion are just close by. A band, composed of able players, is a tower of strength to any town or section of country. It cultivates the public ear to a high class of music and does it right at your door, too. Every enterprising citizen will boost the band of his town wherever he goes.—The Canadian Bandsman

THE BEST OF MEDIUMS

You may talk about your posters and your ads upon the fence,
But they ain't the kind of mediums that appeal to common sense;
You may talk about your dodgers, and your circulars and such,
But I calculate they don't assist an advertiser much;
And especially in the winter, when the snow is on the ground,
I wonder where your posters and your dodgers can be found?
But within the cosy homestead when the parlor stove's aglow,
The local paper's read aloud to everyone we know.
The farmer sees the painted sign upon the barn and grins;
Two dollars yearly for the space he usually wins.
And there his interest in the ad begins, and there it ends,
And the same is true of nearly all his neighbors and friends;
But they read the local paper from start to finish every week,
And in its welcome columns all their information seek,
And you may be quite certain that the ads therein displayed
Are always read with interest and are sure to make some trade.
It stands to reason anyhow, that what a fellow buys
He's going to read and get his money's worth, if he is wise
The father, mother, uncle, aunt, the daughter and the son,
Are going to read the local sheet, and so is every one,
So it also stands to reason that a local merchant's ad
Will there attract attention, be it either good or bad,
And the newspaper as medium leads all other kinds with ease,
For that is where the multitude the advertisement sees.

Buttons! Buttons!

It is reported that the stock of buttons for military purposes is running low, and that the government will take over the stock needed for the clothing of the soldiers. This includes buttons made of metal, horn and "vegetable ivory." The manufacturers will not lack customers for all the buttons they are able to turn out, and the government pays a good price. Buttons will thus become a war industry.

Faith In Home News

Down in Renfrew county trustees of various schools by one act do two things, namely, show their faith in the local newspaper and give the home young teacher a chance to do his or her best without going to distant points. They advertise for the teachers required in the home newspapers in its last issue, for example the Mercury, published in the town of Renfrew, carried thirteen advertisements under "Teachers Wanted." The course of the Renfrew education people is to be commended and might well be followed in other places. The home brew is often the best, yet owing to the policy of rushing city ward so frequently followed it remains undiscovered and does not get a chance. Every good thing is not elsewhere but in the home community.—Collingwood Bulletin.

Whiskey As "Baled Hay"

The biggest seizure of whiskey ever made in Guelph or even in Western Ontario, was pulled off at Guelph by License Inspector James O'Brien on Saturday morning, and had it not been that the head of one of the barrels broke open the liquor would have been safely delivered to the parties for whom it was intended. The result of the breaking in of the barrel head while being handled is approximately $8,000 worth of Gooderham & Worts whiskey now lying on the C. P. R. tracks under guard. The whiskey came to Guelph on Friday hidden in a car labelled "baled hay," and addressed to the Imperial Mattress Company, a concern that has no legal existence so far as is known. It was billed from a suburb of Montreal and the whiskey was in 40 barrels, containing ten dozen quart bottles apiece, so far as can be learned, for only one of the barrels was opened. To the casual observer who might open the car all it appeared to contain was baled hay

CALDWELL OF KASLO

"The Ledge," of Greenwood B. C., in a recent issue published the following sketch of a familiar character in British Columbia affairs:

Charles F. Caldwell of Kaslo, is one of the most optimistic, energetic and enterprising men connected with mining and morals in the great and glorious west. He was born under the folds of "Old Glory" and during the mud period of his earthly career spent many days amid the wild scenes of the Coeur d'Alenes in Idaho. He was never a quitter, and usually stayed with everything unto the finish. At Mullan one time, he sat into a poker game in Jack Lucy's saloon, and in 36 hours was broke. He sent to a friend up at the mines for $50 and lost it. He sent time and again until his friend quit his job and came down hill to borrow money in order to keep Charlie in the game. About this time Jack Lucy took Caldwell to one side, and said, "Charley, you're the best poker player west of the Missouri river, but you can't beat this game. These fellows are cold decking you." Sitting in the game again, Charley laid his six-shooter on the table, exclaiming, "I will shoot the first guy full of holes that colddecks me!" In about two hours, he had all the money, and the enemy were so badly routed that Jack Lucy had to spray them with whiskey to brace up their shattered morale. In those bold days Charley was a hard poker player, a desperado, and a dealer in Montana sheep-dip, Arizona chlorides and ancient Bourbon. But, eventually the Lord waved a wand of good over this strong, impetuous man, and he began to follow the trail that Jesus blazed in the early days.

Becoming an evangelist in the church of his choice he has gone over the top after the devil for many years. He has stood pat against Old Nick every time, and made him fall further back into the darkened trenches of hell, vice misery and suffering. While chasing the Evil One, Charley has at the same time been diligent in business, and has done all in his power to advance the interests of his community in the material things that provide work, comfort and prosperity to his fellowman. As a champion for the mining industry he has done noble work, and always aims to have nothing but a square deal alike for mines, smelters and railroads. Some do not like Charley, thinking he is too much of a spot light hero, but he does things just the same, and somebody always throws stones at the man who, falling out of line, jumps on an eminence and points the way to better conditions. At the same time the world loves a brave man who has the courage of his convictions, even if he has some faults left. If he had none left Charley would just evaporate, and be folded into the heavenly formation without the formality of cremation, or a slow funeral

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ONE WEEK'S BUDGET
FOR A FAMILY OF FIVE



CHAUTAUQUA WEEK

(Continued from page 1)

tucky orator, gave an address rich in wit, wisdom and eloquence. The tenor of his talk was uplifting and inspiring. The Tschaikowsky Quartet (Pronounce it any way you like) are a remarkable company of artists. Their leader, Mr. Leon Weltman, formerly led the Russian Court Orchestra. He is ranked as one of the world's leading violinists and has played by command before King Edward Seventh. The Orchestra was very generous, practically repeating its entire program at the free concert on Sunday night. Their blending of instruments in the ensemble playing of the Overture from Wilhelm Tell was perfect. The perfection of their technique as well as their beautiful coloring showed each member to be a wonderful artist. Miss Farner, a beautiful light soprano of peculiar fullness and sweetness, was greatly enjoyed. Her whole work was very dramatic, probably due to her Grand Opera experience. Ben Greet's players in "The Comedy of Errors" were enjoyed to the limit. Mr. Greet's idea is to have his players so well trained that they do not depend on the setting and the scenery. Their reputation is world-wide and their interpretation of Shakespeare's plays is almost in a class by itself. On Sunday afternoon a sacred concert was given in the big tent. Rev. C. W. Cosens presided and gave an interesting account of the Chautauqua organization. The singing was under the capable leadership of Prof. E. H. Leeson, members of the local choirs occupying the front seats. Lieut. Hearst, son of the Premier of Ontario, a young officer who was severely wounded in the Somme Drive and is at present recuperating, came down from Muskoka and gave an address on the War, in which he expressed high appreciation of the war work done by the women and the sacrifice made by them here and beyond the seas. His speech was well received and the ladies of the I. O. D. E. appreciated very much his kindness in coming here on their behalf. The collection was taken at the Sunday services amounted to about $150.00 all going to the Daughters of the Empire. Probably the apex of good things was reached in the last evening when Dr. Russell Conwell of Philadelphia gave his fascinating, informing and stimulating lecture; "Acres of Diamonds". The point to the lecture is that there is a literal acreage of jewelled wealth at the door of the man who has eyes to see it. For generations the diamond fields of Golgonda lay pleading their promises before the dull minds of people who had no eyes to see precious stones. Taking that as his text, the brilliant lecturer develops his theme by a great array of suggestive illustrations. No need to leave Walkerton your home town to win success he told his hearers, the greatest opportunities in the world are right here. Practically every millionaire in the United States made his commercial success in a town of less than four thousand population and nearly everyone started as a poor boy. Western Ontario he predicted, would be the hub of the continent and the home of untold millions of people. The speaker did not deal with other phases of his subject as the storm made it necessary to conclude his talk. The musical program in the last evening maintained the same high standard of the earlier part of the week. In thanking the public on behalf of The Daughters of The Empire in a neat speech, Mrs. Wisser said the affair had been a financial success for the ladies, and they had arranged to have Chautauqua again next year.

The heavy thunderstorm Tuesday evening threatened to cancel the concluding concert. About 7.45 p.m. the wind almost blew the big tent over. In spite of everything there was a large crowd present. On account of the wet the tent was not taken down until the morning, being shipped to Peterboro by G. T. R. yesterday afternoon.

THE WALKERTON RACES

Were A Fine Success—Program Of Speedy Events Last Thursday Was All That Could Be Desired

The Walkerton races held here last Thursday under the auspices of the local Turf Club were a success in every respect. "The best races I have seen in years" was an expression frequently heard. The crowd was good, the weather ideal, the track in fine condition, a good lineup of fast horses present and every event keenly contested.

Twenty-one horses in all faced the the starter and there would have been more only for a train running off the track at Acton, which resulted in several horses being sent in other directions. Mansfield, owned by O'Connel of Mount Forest who was headed this way, went to the Butchers' Picnic at Toronto and there scampered off with first money. Town Hall, owned by Harry Lit, of Guelph, went to Simcoe instead and got first money there.

A lot of hard work had been put on the track here before the races under the direction of Mr. Andrew O'Neill, and the Committee was certainly to be congratulated in getting it into such good condition.

The star event of the day proved to be the 2.18 race which took five heats to settle and was a fight to a finish for first place between Free Bond and Dr. Hall.

The arrangements for the races were under charge of Sec. Geo. D. McKay and a live executive headed by:—President, Robert Irwin; Vice-Pres., Dr. A. G. Fortune; Treas., A. E. McNab.

The officials in charge of the races were:—Starter, Mr. S. Burns of Palmerston; Timers, Walter Burnside of Kincardine, A. G. Fortune of Walkerton, and Roy Brothers of Stratford. Judges, James Farrell of Kincardine; John Adams of Kincardine; and W. G. Goodrow, Hamilton. Clerk of the Course, A. E. McNab, Walkerton.

One half of the net proceeds of the races will go to the Walkerton Chapter of the I. O. D. E. for Red Cross work. What the amount will be, will not be known until after the Committee meeting to-night but it will likely amount to a snug sum.

The summary of the events follows:—

2:50 Class; Purse $250
(Best 3 in 5.)

Opera Boy (Shelton, Kincardine) 1 1 3 1
Freddie Grattan (Ormiston, Tottenham) 3 2 1 2
Helen Bell (Colvin, Teeswater) 2 3 6 4
Chinchilla (Hamilton, Hamilton) 5 6 2 6
Eva Dillard (Shelton, Kincardine) 4 4 4 3
Oliver S. (Hale Mt. Forest) 6 5 5 5
Queen of Patchen (Mountain, Hamilton) 7
Olive Fortune (J. May, Walkerton) 8
Time—2:34¼, 2:34¼, 2:24¼, 2:34¼.

2:18 Class; Purse $250.
(Best 3 in 5.)

Free Bond (Litt, Mitchell) 2 2 1 1 1
Dr. Hall (Overland, Orangeville) 1 1 2 2 2
Tramp Fast (Grey, Mitchell) 3 3 2 3 3
Time—2:19¼, 2:19¼, 2:19¼, 2:24¼, 2:27.

2:10 Class; Purse $300.
(Best 3 in 5.)

Alfreda (Fawn, Mitchell) 1 1 1
Queen Patchen (Mountain, Hamilton) 2 2 2
Helen McKinley (Beattie, Chesley) 3 3 3
Lucille Simons (Fawn, Mitchell) 4 4 dr
Time—2:23¼, 2:23¼, 2:25.

Walkerton Markets

(Revised, Wednesday, August 14th)

Hay	$10.00 to $12.00
Oats, per bsh.	80 to 80
Wheat " "	2.10 to 2.10
Butter, per lb.	38to 40
Eggs, per doz.	40to 42
Barley per bus	.....$1.25 ..... 1.25
Hogs, per cwt.	..... 19.25 to 19.25
Buckwheat	..... 1.25 ..... 1.25
Potatoes, per lb	..... 1.10

Miss McPhail of the Hospital Staff is holidaying at her home at Owen Sound.

Mrs. August Lobsinger of Mildmay visited her sister, Mrs. B. Oberle on Monday.

Mrs. Garbig of Harriston spent Tuesday with her friend Miss Myrtle Jenkins.

Miss Grayce Maltman of Woodstock is visiting her sister, Mrs. Wm. Van-Horne.

Mrs. H. J. Ernest spent the week-end with friends at Stratford and Kitchener.

Rev. John Henderson of Ripley is here this week as representative of the Lord's Day Alliance.

Miss Lilly Shelton of the Fergus Hospital staff is visiting at the home of Mr. J. E. McGregor.

Misses Marie and Eileen Ernewein returned from a two weeks' vacation with relatives at Formosa.

Miss Mary Lindsay returned on Monday after spending two weeks' vacation at Kitchener and Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bruder and Jerome motored to Carlsruhe on Sunday and spent the day with relatives there.

Mrs. Henry Kirstine, South Line, has returned home from a month's visit to friends at London and Preston.

Miss Carrie I Mosack motored to London on Wednesday and will spend a few weeks with her aunt, Mrs. Lou. Flannigan.

L. S. Beninger, the Wingham Creamery man, is opening a creamery station in Walkerton next door to Donoahue's photo gallery.

Death of Jos. Cunningham

His many friends through out the district were shocked to learn of the death on Sunday of Mr. Joseph Cunningham, Glamis' highly esteemed postmaster. Mr Cunningham had been poorly for some months. Of late he appeared bright and hopeful of recovery but this was due largely to his buoyant and courageous spirit. He had never been ill in his life and he fought bravely against the forces of disease. Gradually however his strength was failing and on Sunday he very quietly passed away to be with his Maker. Death was due to uraemic poisoning. Mr. Cunningham was a man of sterling character, upright, sincere, and kindly in all his relations with his fellowmen. His death is a sad loss to his sorrowing family and throughout the community he is deeply mourned. The deceased was born in Trafalgar Twp., Halton County, on Feb. 12th, 1849. He came to Bruce County in 1872 and for four years ran a sawmill in Greenock Twp. He removed to Glamis in 1877 and the following year he started store-keeping which occupation he continued until his death He had been postmaster for about 15 years, having been appointed under the Laurier Administration. He was a member of the Baptist Church and an active faithful worker in that body. Mr. Cunningham was married in Oct. 1874 to Miss N. Elizabeth Hemstreet who survives him along with a family of two sons and four daughters. They are A. B., A. of Melville Sask., J. Charles of Regina Sask. Mrs. R. W. Burgess, Cabri, Sask., Misses Mina, Laura and Lila at home. Mrs. Wm. Atton, Gallivan, Sask., and Miss Lizzie Cunningham of Milton West, are sisters and Mr. Wm. Cunningham of Alliston an only brother. Funeral service will be held in the Baptist Church, Glamis, on Friday morning, interment to be made at Purdy's Cemetery. All the surviving members of the family are present for the funeral except his son, Charles of Regina, who was detained owing to sickness in his home. Just a year ago (Aug 15) his youngest son, Ernest Hall Cunningham, made the supreme sacrifice and sleeps in Flanders' Fields.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Holm and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Widmeyer motored to Ayton on Sunday and spent the day with friends there.

Mrs. A. J. Paddington and children, left on Monday for their home in Stratford, after spending a week with Mrs Albert Fennel.

Mrs. Bert Courtney and child, who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Walford, returned home to Windsor on Monday.

Mr. R. H. Halbert, president of the United Farmers of Ontario addressed a large gathering of farmers at Chesley last week. Mr. J. Walter Findlay of North Brant was chairman.

Two Hanover young men, Hilbert Clark and Elmer Wendorff, who have been patients at The Bruce County Hospital following operations, returned home on Monday.

Reports For Service

Mr. Wilfrid Damm, who has been a valued member of the Egg & Dairy Co. staff the past five years, leaves today to report for military service at London to-day.

Good Crop of Oats.

Mr. James Crawford brought to this office a choice sample of oats of the Golden Grain Variety which he got at the farm of Mr. John A. Hogg of Carrick. Mr. Hogg had a seven acre field of as nice oats as were to be seen in these parts last week. They were about 5½ ft. high and well filled out.

Keen to Serve

Mrs. Fred Bannister had a visit this week from her young brother, Cadet Charlie Murear of Paisley who has recently been discharged by the R. A. F. owing to defective eyesight. Charlie is only eighteen years old but very anxious to fight and he is now trying to get into another branch of the service. His elder brother, John, has been Overseas for some time.

Three Chums Fallen.

There is a strange coincidence in connection with the first three Walkerton boys whose names appear in the Casualty list following the big offensive last week. All three were officers, all three were close chums in the old town. All three led by a common impulse enlisted early in the war to fight for King and Country. And strangely enough all fell in battle at the same time. Capt. Roy Whitehead is reported wounded, it is not known how badly. Capt. Malcolm McKechnie and Lieut Clark Ostic now fill heroes' graves in Flanders.

BORN

CASLICK—In Brant, on Sunday, Aug. 11th, to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Caslick, a son.

ALLAN—At Walkerton, on Friday, Aug. 9th, to Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Allan, a son.

SCHAUS—At Stratford on August 10th, 1918, to Mr. and Mrs. Ted. Schauss, (nee Emma Ernest) a daughter.

Mr W. B. Beatty B. A. Sc., O. L. S. of Creighton Mine, spent the week-end, at the home of Mr. Wm. VanHorne and left Monday with his wife and babe for a visit to his parents at Sarnia.

Visited U. S. Cities

Rev. and Mrs. G. C. Rock arrived home on Saturday from a three weeks' holiday during which they visited Toronto, Buffalo, Cleveland, Toledo, Detroit and other cities, going mostly by water. They spent some time at the home of their daughter at Cleveland and were much impressed by the enthusiastic way in which the people there are taking hold of war work and showing their earnestness. Everybody speaks in high praise of the Canadian soldiers and only hope that their own boys may do as well over in France.

IN MEMORIAM.

In proud and loving memory of Ernest Hall Cunningham, Killed in Action Somewhere in France, Aug. 15th, 1917.

We think of him in silence
His name we oft recall,
But there's nothing left to answer
Only his picture on the wall.

Sleep on, dear Ernie, in your foreign grave,
Your life for your Country you nobly gave,
No loved ones stood near you to say "Goodbye"
But safe from all troubles now you lie.

Mother, Sisters and Brothers.

Pinkerton Crop Competition.

The winners of the Standing Crop Competition, Oats, in connection with The Pinkerton Agricultural Society have been announced as follows:—1. Arch. Tolton, 2. Harvey Clark, 3. Julius Helm, 4. David Pinkerton, 4 T. Harry Young, 6. John Cruickshank, 7. James Garland.



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The Board, having secured competent teachers to fill the two vacancies that occurred during the holidays, announces that the staff is now complete.

Students are prepared in Courses required for the following examinations:—

1. **Entrance to Normal Schools.**
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Full information as to Courses, Text-Books and other matter will be given on opening day.

Those wishing advance information on the above or other matters will obtain it by writing to the Principal.

J. Morgan M.A., M.G. Dippel, H.M. Lay
Principal. Secretary. Chairman.

EAST END BAKERY

I am resuming the Bakery Business at the above stand and will open with a new fresh stock, new fixtures and new bakery equipment. Am having bread shipped in until my equipment arrives, which customers may procure at the Store.

A. HEHN, Walkerton

BAKINGTO-DAY ?

Did you ever hear the ladies say:- "I am so tired, I baked bread today." We would like to suggest that you buy your bread from us during the summer. You will not only save your strength and health but will save the much needed fuel for next winter's supply.

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Buy a ticket for Chautauqua, Aug. 7-13, price $2.00

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We make all our Flour from the choicest wheat. The ladies who bake their own bread recommend our

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An ideal pastry flour.

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Fifteen day supply law must be obeyed.

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PLETSCH BROS **PHONE 10**

LIVNEWS OF NEIGHBORING VILLAGES AND COUNTRYSIDE

ppenings of the Week Collected for the Readers of The Telescope by a Staff of Wideawake Correspondents

PINKN

Mrs. Margaret Ir Toronto is visiting her sister ma Moffat of Pinkerton.

Miss Ruth McKir Chatsworth is visiting her frien Moffat.

Mr. and Mrs. Turnbull and Mr. Weir of Durham red over and spent Sunday at Mr. Moffat's.

EDEN CE

Well, here I am my number tens cocked up ont telegraph table,a cigar in my mouncil in my hand and nary a thou my bein. Everyone except me busy round here making money tbven't time to make news. No on even run away with another man,s for ever so long though Herb Pe ran away with his own wife to ford last Saturday and left her when he returned on Monday. Takes two now that are batching midst—Herb and myself. God us both. Will the neighbors kindly their offerings at the front doo

Herb Allen having rec orders to report for military m examination left on Tuesday fo don.

The ornate verandah at front of the home of P. O'Reilly ished at last. While it took two yea build, the owner is to be congratu on the beauty of the finished produ

Jim Smith has finished hi contract and made indeed a ughly satisfactory job though of co you would expect that none Ben Stansal was able to give satisfon.

Pinkerton's horse ran a last Tuesday morning from the f. R. station throwing out the load turning the rig completely upsidown. The horse suffered some severs on the leg. The dashed quadru has formed the habit.

Great consternation and sincere sorrow was felt in the Grove by the news received last Monday of the passing away of Joseph Cunningham, Postmaster of Glamis, who was widely known and greatly esteemed here.

Hiram.

DUNKELD

Some are anxious to know how Lieut. Col. McRae the famous author of "In Flanders Fields" was so well known in this vicinity. We shall be glad to enlighten them right now. Col. McRae's mother was before her marriage Miss Eckfrid, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Eckfrid, who for many years resided on the property now owned by Mr. Geo. Waechter, which is situated near what was then known as Rose' Siding.

Also the Dando family referred to by by a lady writing in the Telescope last week formerly resided on the place now occupied by Mr. Wm. Reid.

Mr. R. H. Halbert, president of the United Farmers of Ontario, addressed a huge gathering of Agriculturists in Schuler's hall on Friday evening the 20th inst. Long before the meeting was called the quaint old kerzone-lighted structure was placed to capacity, scores of farmers having motored from distant points to hear the man who thrilled an audience of over 5000 people at a similar event held in Forest Ont. about a month ago. After giving a brief outline of the object of the association the speaker dealt entirely with agricultural matters and all present declared it a very eloquent and impressive lecture. The band which furnished the music and the orderly manner in which the meeting was conducted throughout were among the other pleasing features of the program The Dunkeld branch of the association commenced the work of organization the first week in July and has now about 40 of a membership.

A sad case, which would be better, calculated to describe the plight of a war-stricken Belgian family, was, when a young widow of a neighboring town and her little girl aged 8 and a babe in her arms passed through this locality last week, soliciting alms such as provisions, money clothing etc., in support of herself during the coming winter. All the stranger possessed of this world's wealth was apparently a nicely worded recommendation in the form of an appeal, signed by some members of St. Paul's Mission Society of her own home town and which resulted in the recipient of many generous contributions from the local charitably disposed citizens.

A few car loads of baled hay was shipped from here this week. The shipment was drawn in from another section, for transportation via. The C. P. R.

OTTER CREEK

(Intended for last week.)

Mrs. Ezra Schmidt and Miss Carrie Mockie of the eighth con. were visiting at Mr. Henry Wolfe's.

A number from here attended th Evangelical Children's Day at th sixth con.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wood and daughte of Howick and Miss P. Holtzman of Middmay, visited at J. D. Bell's.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hutton, a daughter, (Alberta Jeanette.)

Mrs. P. Gress had a cement silo erected on her farm recently, Mr. J. Lorenz of near Clifford being contractor.

Rev. J. Gronzenbach, pastor of the Evangelical church Walkerton, and family were visiting some of his flock on the fourteenth.

Mrs. Swift and Bert Gray of Toronto spent some of their vacation at Mr. John Fenner's.

WE WANT THE NEWS

The Telescope wishes to secure a live correspondent in every nook and corner of this district. If your neighborhood is not represented, we shall be glad to receive the names of any capable persons whom you would suggest to act as Telescope correspondent.

Mr. and Mrs. John Pfohl of the 12th con. were visitors at the 6th con. on Sunday.

GLAMIS

The Red Cross Lawn Social held at Mr. George Webb's might be termed a decided success. Although the evening was a little chilly for such a gathering many came a long distance to help with the good work. During the evening a splendid programme was rendered which received good order and attention throughout. The Ladies in charge are to be congratulated upon securing such excellent talent. The proceeds amount to $97.00.

SOLWAY

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Stroeder and family of Greenock spent Sunday at Mr Jno. Stroeder.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed O'Connor and Miss E. O'Connor accompanied by the former's sister Miss M. O'Connor spent over Sunday with friends in Elderslie.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lambertus and Walter and Clara Lambertus spent Sunday with friends near Formosa.

Joshua Michell returned to Cochrane on Thursday after spending a couple of weeks at his home here.

Mr. Pat and Miss Margaret Quirk and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Craig and Miss Bess Craig visited friends near Tara on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Monk attended the funeral of the latter's father Mr. Fiddler in Neustadt on Sunday.

Mrs. H. Spitzig and Miss Zettler of Chepstow are visiting at Mr. A. Knoll's.

RIVERSDALE

Mrs. McKinnon of Detroit is visiting her son Archie here this week.

Mr. Albert Heidmiller accompanied by J. Rittinger, A. Dietrich and Mr. and Mrs. Scharbach motored to Kingsbridge and Goderich on Sunday.

Quite a few from around here took in the races in Walkerton last Thursday.

Pte. Wm. O'Hagan is home from London on a six weeks' leave.

Miss Nellie Symon has returned home after spending a few days with her mother in Walkerton who has been on sick list.

Miss Grace McDonald is visiting friends at Greenore.

Mr. Jos. Black and son Andy of Dundalk called at Jas. Halliday's one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Lippert of Walkerton spent Sunday at Adam Lippert s

BRANT AVENUE

This week will finish the cutting, except an odd late piece,

Pte. Cecil McLeod cut Mr. Peter Scanlan's mixed field of wheat and barley last week.

The Avenue was left very busy on race day. A constant stream of autos and rigs all afternoon.

The root crop has picked up a bit following the much-needed rain last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Voisin and family and Miss Hanna LeCagis of Cargill accompanied by her brother, Pte. Harry Lettgus of London, motored down to Mr. J. J. Ernst's on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Fred. Gies of Enniskillen and Messrs William and George Anstett of Hanover were also Sunday visitors at Mr. Ernest's.

Quite a large number from the Avenue took in the Chautauqua at Walkerton the past week. All were well satisfied, considering it a rare treat.

The farmers who have cars take advantage of the cool evenings after a hot days work to go out for a joy ride.

Mr. Harvey Whitehead still makes his usual Sunday evening trips to town

A canvasser for a daily newspaper called on the farmers on this line last week. He went around with a butcher knife in his hand which he offered as a premium. To any farmers who were hesitating whether to subscribe or not, the sight of the butcher knife in his hand must have proved a convincing argument.

(Intended for last week.)

The Misses Nora and Edna Ernst of Kitchener and Miss Juletta of Walkerton motored here with their friend and spent part of the Civic Holiday with their cousin Joe on this Ave.

Mr. Martin Drumm of town accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Ernest visited friends near Dunkeld on Sunday.

More particulars to hand about that reception, not a party as mentioned last week, at Mr. Fred Stade's in honor of Ptes. Wm. Stade and Frank Sutter, two of our foremost young men who were called to the colors this Spring. Their kind neighbors and warm hearted friends made up a collection and presented these two young men each with a valuable wrist watch and a little spending money. This goes to show the esteem in which our young farmers of this vicinity are held, all hope to see the boys all back again with us soon and that this great world struggle will soon be at Peace for-ever.

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AT 9 O'CLOCK A. M.

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2000 lbs of the best Garden Tea ever offered for sale, in Black, Green and mixed, in packages such as Lipton's, Salada, and Red Rose All worth 70c a lb. Out it goes in 5lb lots at **58c lb.**

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Now the Tea Game is a problem and will be $1.00 a lb wholesale ere long. So buy, buy, buy, and then buy again.

During the Sale every article outside of the Tea will be sold at todays's rock bottom price and a straight discount of 15 per cent which means a big money saving scheme-but listen-no delays in this game as no goods will be replaced.

Remember the date, Thurs. Aug. 8 at 9 a. m. at the Searle Stand.

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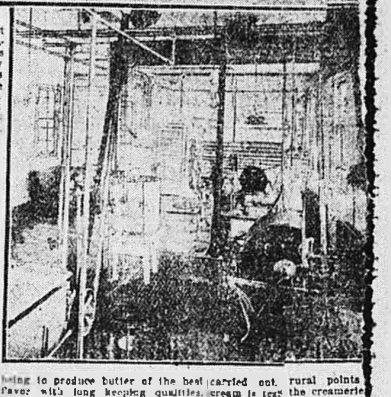
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Cricket grounds and all waste lands to be cultivated. Members of a Sports Club working on their Grounds now under cultivation.



FOOD ECONOMY IN GREAT BRITAIN.
Making potato bread in an English farmhouse by mixing "riced" potatoes with flour.

Manitoba Makes Another Record in Butter Expt





MANITOBA expects to export butter to the value of over $1,000,000 this year. When it is remembered that up to a very few years ago, it was necessary for this province to import butter for its home needs, the growth of the dairy industry there is remarkable. In 1916 fifty-eight cars of butter were exported. Last year the number was increased to ninety-six cars. Up to June 1st this year, with the grass season only well begun, fifty-six cars of butter had been sent out of the province. This number compares with twenty-five cars in the corresponding period of last year. The butter is made up in fifty-six pound solids and four hundred boxes make up a carload, so that, at present prices each carload is worth $10,000.00. There is every indication that the present rate of export will be maintained, if not accelerated, during the year. All the exported butter from Manitoba is being sent to Montreal for shipment to the Allied nations in Europe.

The cheese industry is also progressing. It is only so far back as 1916 that fifty to fifty-five car loads of cheese were brought into the province for local consumption. With the output of the provincial factories increasing continually, the quantity of cheese imported was considerably reduced last year, and now for the first time in the history of the province a full carload of cheese is on its way for consumption elsewhere. The consignment left Winnipeg a few days ago for Montreal, where it will be graded and shipped overseas.

Although still in its infancy and capable of considerable growth yet, the dairy industry in Western Canada has been developing rapidly during the last few years. A high standard of quality is striven for, the aim being to produce butter of the best flavor with long keeping qualities, that the efforts in this direction have met with some measure of success is evidenced by the growing demand for butter from these provinces—a demand which is far greater than the output.

Pasteurization is almost universal in the creameries of Western Canada, and more than ninety per cent of the butter made in Manitoba this year will be from pasteurized cream. The application of the Storch test has been very satisfactory in enabling the dairy officials to determine whether this process has been properly carried out. rural points cream is test the creamerie a travelling ctor; in the lat tories of the irtment of Agri ture the te applied to repre tative samp butter. When Department tests and grad ear load of it, it can, to all tical purp ell just how lo can stand ld storage witho terioration.

At the pr time the creamer are receiv forty-three cents pound at t of shipment for e cial grad butter; forty-two co for No. 1 forty cents for No.

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CANADA.

PROCLAMATIOI

GEORGE the FIFTH, by the Grace of God of the ited Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, KING, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of Ind.

To all to whom these presents shall come or whom t same may in an wise concern,—GREETING:

A Proclamation of conditional amnesty respectin men belonging Class I under the Military Service Act, 1917, who ave disobeyed o Proclamation of 13th October, 1917, or their orde to report for du or are deserters or absent without leave from e Canadian Expe tionary Force.

E. L. NEWCOMBE, Deputy Minister of Justice, Canada.

WHEREAS considerable numbers of men belonging to Class I under our Military Service Act, 1917, called out on active service in our Canadian Expeditionary Force for the defence of Canada under Our Proclamation of 13th October, 1917, although they have thus become by law soldiers enlisted in the Military Service of Canada,

Have failed to report for duty as lawfully required of them under the said Military Service Act and the regulations thereunder, including the Order in Council duly passed on April 20 last,

Or have deserted,

Or absented themselves without leave from our Canadian Expeditionary Force,

And it is represented that the very serious and unfortunate situation in which these men find themselves is due in many cases to the fact that, notwithstanding the information and warning contained in Our Proclamation aforesaid, they have misunderstood their duty or obligation, or have been misled by the advice of ill-disposed, disloyal or seditious persons.

AND WHEREAS we desire, if possible, to avoid the infliction of the heavy penalties which the law imposes for the offences of which these soldiers have thus been guilty, and to afford them an opportunity within a limited time to report and make their services available in Our Canadian Expeditionary Force as is by law their bounden duty, and as is necessary for the defence of Our Dominion of Canada.

NOW KNOW YE that we in the exercise of Our powers, and of Our good will and pleasure in that behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare and cause to be published and made known THAT THE PENALTIES OF THE LAW WILL NOT BE IMPOSED OR EXACTED as against the men who belong to Class 1 under Our Military Service Act, 1917, and who have disobeyed Our Proclamation aforesaid; or who have received notice from any of Our registrars or deputy registrars to report for duty on a day now past and have failed so to report; or who, having reported and obtained leave of absence, have failed to report at the expiry of their leave, or have become deserters from Our Expeditionary Force, PROVIDED THEY REPORT FOR DUTY ON OR BEFORE THE TWENTY FOURTH DAY OF AUGUST 1918.

AND WE DO HEREBY STRICTLY WARN AND SOLEMNLY IMPRESS UPON ALL SUCH MEN, and as well upon all who employ, harbour, conceal or assist them in their disobedience, that, if they persist in their failure to report, absence or desertion until the expiry of the last mentioned day they will be pursued and punished with all the rigour and severity of the law, SUBJECT TO THE JUDGMENT OF OUR COURTS MARTIAL WHICH WILL BE CONVENED TO TRY SUCH CASES or other competent tribunals: and also that those who employ, harbour conceal or assist such men will be held justly accountable as offenders and subject to the pains, penalties and forfeitures in that behalf by law provided for their said offence.

Provided however that nothing contained in this Our Proclamation is intended to release the men aforesaid from their obligation to report for duty as soon as possible or to grant them immunity from arrest or detention in the meantime for the purpose of compelling them to perform their military duty; Our intention being merely to forego or remit the penalties heretofore incurred for failure to report, absence without leave or desertion incurred by those men of the description aforesaid who shall be in the proper discharge of their military duties on or before the said twenty-fourth day of August, 1918.

Of all of which Our loving subjects and all others whom these presents may concern are hereby required to take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of Canada to be hereunto affixed. Witness: Our Right Trusty and Right Entirely Beloved Cousin and Councillor, Victor Christian William, Duke of Devonshire, Marquess of Hartington, Earl of Devonshire, Earl of Burlington, Baron Cavendish of Hardwicke, Baron Cavendish of Keighley, Knight of Our Most Noble Order of the Garter, One of Our Most Honourable Privy Council, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Grand Cross of Our Royal Victorian Order, Governor General and Commander-in-Chief of Our Dominion of Canada.

At Our Government House, in Our City of OTTAWA, this FIRST day of AUGUST, in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, and in the ninth year of Our Reign.

By Command,

Under-Secretary of State.

GREENOCK

Friday evening, the 9th inst. a
ber of the friends and neighbors
ered at the home of Mr. N. Fritz
ons of Greenock in honor of Nath-
Jr. who has been home on three
a' leave after serving nearly two
in His Majesty's Navy in the
Sea Service.
T. H. Purdy officiated ably as
man and after the presentation
well filled purse the youth and
ty of the community enjoyed them-
s in the usual way to an early
The admiration of the neigh-
for "Nat," their own Jack Tar
ery nicely conveyed in the follow-
address:—
To Nathaniel Fitzsimmons jr.
ar Friend;—
We your friends and neighbors meet
h you here to-night, knowing that
are soon to return to duty in His
jesty's Service.
You like many of our boys heard the
l of your king and country and
ively responded to that call. You in-
ed as marine in the British Navy
l you have done your bit to help old
tian rule. "Rule Britannia, Britian-
, rule the waves, Britons never
er will be slaves."
We were all glad to hear of your re-
n even if but for a short time, and
assured that our best wishes will go
h you all the way through, and we
e you may safely return after the
e is vanquished, and the reign of
ace has been restored.
Many of our boys who went out like
ourself we know will never return.
ey have given their best to the life of
rvice, and their young lives full of
e and of possibilities have been
ced upon the altar as a sacrifice for
the cause of freedom, of justice and of
right. Their blood seals the freedom
the weak against the strong, of the
pressed, against the oppressor.
To-night as we meet here with you
u, thoughts and our hearts go out to
e many Bruce boys and girls who
ve gone overseas. We are met here
friendly social intercourse, none to
least us or make us afraid and we
nder how it is with them.
ny are the hearts that are weary
to-night
hing for the war to cease
y are the hearts looking for the
right,
ve the dawn of peace.
We are tired of the waron the old French
ground,
Many are dead and gone.
Of the brave and true who've left their
homes,
thers been wounded long.
o've been fighting to-day on the old
camp ground,
ne are dead and some are dying,
ny are in tears
ying to-night, dying on the old
camp ground."
e poet has expressed here the
eanings of many, very many of those
have been at the front. We hope
may not come to those whom we
dear and yet they are all enlisted
e one great, grand, and noble cause
breaking of tryanny and the build-
g up of freedom and of equal rights.
et us to-night honor our boys and girls
by letting our sympathies go out to
them. Let us think of some of the
things that they have suffered for our
country, and our homes, and for our
selves and have we suffered or sacri-
ficed anything for them, are we deny-
ing ourselves anything because the boys
and girls are away? Do we realize
that our Canada is at war? Let us
think of this and let us arise and do our
part. There can be real service at
home as well at the front, if we but
put our minds and hearts to the work.
There should be sacrifice as well.
And now we ask you to accept this
purse as a slight token of our respect
for you and again we give you our best
wishes, and we ask the blessing of God
to rest upon you and upon the cause
for which you are giving your service
and upon all who are engaged in that
cause.
Signed on behalf of your friends
Thos. H. Purdy
John N. Bell
Roy Alexander
Wm. J. Moffatt

Two young men from Meaford came over Saturday and that night took a couple of young ladies out for a motor ride. Outside the village their engine stopped, and they could not discover the cause. They got busy on the telephone and Geo. McTavish went out with his car and towed them to the garage, where few minutes investigation disclosed the fact that some joker had merely turned off their gas supply —We mean gasoline supply. Judging by language used their gas supply tube was not at all choked.—Flesherton Advance.

Mt. Forest Papers Amalgamate

The two Mount Forest papers, Confederate and Representative, have amalgamated and the new paper is to be published and edited by Mr. A. W. Wright B. A., formerly principal of Mount Forest High School, who has proved a capable editor of The Confederate for a number of years. Mr. Lambert of the Representative has not announced his plans.

TOWN AND DISTRICT NEWS

In other wars ten to fifteen men died from disease to one from bullets; in this war one man dies to every ten from bullets.

The Owen Sound Sun tells its readers "that a rink of Owen Sound bowlers attending the Orangeville tournament bowled for 17 hours without sleep or a square meal." This record is only beaten in the "big game" in France.

Mrs. Arch. McCannel, mother of ex-warden Alex McCannel, suffered a fracture of the hip. Mrs. McCannel, who is 85 years of age, was sitting in a chair at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Craig, at Burgoyne, watching the men at the haying. When she rose from the chair she must have twisted her body, for it was then the fracture occurred. The old lady is resting comfortably, but naturally at her age recovery is not expected.—Southampton Beacon.

Soft coal and coke are recommended as anthracite, but there does not appear to be much of a rush with either of the three. If somebody who has authority, would speak out and state exactly where we are at on the coal question an untold amount of good would be accomplished, whether the news was good or bad. The uncertainty that marks the whole business is perplexing and discouraging as folk don't know what to do. If there is going to be coal they don't want to buy wood but if the black diamonds are not forthcoming why of course there must be a hustle to get the next best. Who has the desired information? Time is wearing along, to-day will be August 1st.—Brussels Post.

The story is told that one farmer near Toronto who grows beautiful strawberries of a famous variety, declares that they are not worth more than ten cents a box, and in spite of disaster to one new patch which has turned out quite barren— insists on selling them for that, while his neighbors on each side argue and chafe without effect and sell their berries for twenty cents. This story is a reminder of a case nearer home. A farmer near Picton, who has beautiful honey, sold it last year at the same price as previously, even though some of his fellow dealers considered it necessary to advance the price, for, said he— "It costs me no more today than it did before the war." Doesn't it seem good to hear of some people who do not use "the war" as an excuse for making enormous profits"—Picton Times.

Cat Catches Snake

Constable Ablett is the owner of a well-trained cat, which, after capturing all the mice around the premises went to the bush and carried home a chipmunk the other day: and later brought a live snake. In carrying the reptile the snake would coil its body around the cat's neck in none too loving embrace.—Dundalk Herald.

Cattle Poisoned

Carelessness in leaving Paris green where his stock could drink the poison was responible for killing one cow belonging to Charles Gates, of con. 8 Amabel, and two others are dangerously ill. Mr. Gates had been sprinkling his potato patch with the Paris green and unfortunately left it out in the yard where the cattle were grazing. Dr. Thomas is endeavouring to save the two that are suffering from the effects of poison.—Tara Leader.

Help Needed For Western Harvest

When travelling to Western Harvest fields—go by Canadian Northern Railway and give loyal support to the Peoples' Line.

Purchase through tickets and ask for routing via Grand Trunk to Toronto, thence Canadian Northern.

Information of value to harvest hands is given in a leaflet entitled "Harvesters Work and Wages" to be had from any C. N. R. Agent.

When Speed Was Speed

Alexander Wells, an old citizen of Wellsville, Ohio, has a copy of an interesting and novel document issued by the school board of the town of Lancaster, Ohio, in 1828. The question of steam railroads was then in its incipient stage and a club of young men had been formed for the purpose of discussing their value and feasibility. They desired the use of the school house for purposes of debate. This was looked upon by the school board as an innovation bordering upon sacrilege as indicated by the reply to the request, which is the document in the possession of Mr. Wells. It reads as follows: You are welcome to the use of the school house to debate all proper questions in, but such things as railroads and telegraphs are impossibilities and rank infidelity. There is no word of God about them. If God had designed that his intelligent creatures should travel at the frightful speed of fifteen miles an hour, by steam, He would clearly have foretold it through His holy prophets. It is a device of Satan to lead immortal souls down to hell."—New York Railways Magazine.

A transcendental preacher took for his text "Feed my lambs." A plain farmer very quaintly remarked to him, on coming out of the church. "A very good text sir; but you should take care not to put the hay so high in the rack that the lambs can't reach it.

Don't Be a Knocker

Hide your little hammer. What is to hinder you from speaking well of your own town on all occasions? It is just as well to tell your visitor that our town is composed of as good people as inhabit the earth, but there are some fault knockers that do not seem to have any other employment. You will break none of the Ten Commandments in saying this.

Like A Pretty Woman

Why is a newspaper like a pretty woman? To be perfect, it must be the embodiment of many types. Its form is made up. It is always chased though inclined to be giddy. It enjoys a good press; the more rapid the better. It has a weakness for gossip. Talks a good deal. Can stand some praise and is awfully proud of a new dress.

Ready For The Job.

A dashing Lieutenant-Colonel, ex-member of the general staff, was approached by a recently drafted man.

"What might your name be?" Do you belong to the bunch?"

"I'm the colonel in charge."

"Wal, I see the balance of 'em busy around here, and I don't see you doin' anything. How do ya a fellow go about gittin' your job?"

Operation For Blood Clot

A number of children were playing on the bandstand at Tecswater Sunday afternoon of last week when one, Hoss Thompson, fell over the edge. Though there was no outward cut or bruise, he was unconscious for hours, and when he did come to, he was unable to speak. He was hurried off to Toronto, where an operation resulted in the removal of a clot of blood from the brain. It is hoped here that the little chap will recover his speech and soon be well again.

A Hot Dream

This is the story told of the discovery of coal in the Schuylkill region. A hunter built a fire on some rocks and then went to sleep. He thought he had dreamed himself into the torrid zone, and then he sat up and rubbed his eyes in amazement. The rocks on which he had built his fire were burning. He told his story to friends, and an enterprising merchant dug out a wagon-load of coal and took it to Philadelphia, where he tried to sell it. He would have better success to-day.

Rev. Roy Kain Honored

At the conclusion of the service in the Anglican church Sunday night, Warden F. M. Syer called Rev. Mr. Kain from the vestry, and in a brief speech Mr. John Howatt expressed on behalf of the people of Thamesville their regret at his going away, but the pride they felt that he was going "over there" as another representative of this community in the great struggle for liberty and asked him to accept the token which was handed to him by Mr. Syer as a slight appreciation of his services to the community during his residence here. The purse handed to the rector of St Stephen's by Mr. Syer, contained $105.00. In a few words Mr. Kain thanked Messrs. Howat and Syer on behalf of the people of Thamesville, and spoke again of the warm place which Thamesville holds in his heart. Mrs. Kain was then asked to come forward, and on behalf of the Ladies Guild of St. Stephen's Miss Anna Coutts read an address expressive of the regard the ladies of the church felt for Mrs. Kain and Mrs. Agnes McFarlane presented her with a pretty pearl brooch. Mr. Kain left Sunday night for Toronto, where he had to report Monday morning, and we understand that he will be stationed at Niagara camp for the present.—Thamesville Herald.

A GOOD JUDGE

For many years, an old laborer had been engaged by a farmer to dig potatoes at a fixed sum per acre. When he died, the farmer engaged another man, and a day or so after he had started to work, the farmer thought he would go around and see how the new man was progressing. At one end of the field, to his astonishment, he discovered a large heap of stones. "Here, wot's this mean?" he demanded. "Well, sir," came the reply, "we thought we'd save ye a bit of trouble next seed-time, so whenever we finds a one in the taties, we just dumps it down here." "Ah!" said the farmer sadly shaking his head, "I'll never find another man like Jim." The new hand was naturally somewhat nettled. "Why, old Jim was almost blind," he said, "and didn't know a stone when he seen one!" "Mebbe he didn't and mebbe he did," answered the farmer scrowfully, "but he warn't so particular about keepin' 'em out of the taties, and they weighs."

A Pound of Honey

When you eat a spoonful of honey, you have very little idea us to the amount of work and travel necessary to produce it. To make a pound of clover honey, says the Presbyterian, bees must take the nectar from 62,000 clover blossoms; and to do this requires 2,750,000 visits to the blossoms by the bees. In other words, in order to collect enough nectar to make one pound of honey, a bee must go from hive to flower and back again 2,750,000 times. Then, when you think how far these bees sometimes fly in search of those clover fields, often one or two miles distant from the hive, you will begin to get a small idea of the number of miles one of the industrious little creatures must travel in order that you may have a pound of honey.

Marooned Thirteen Days

Marooned on an islet in Lake Rimy 60 miles west of Cochrane, without food, without means of catching a fish or shooting a passing bird, even without matches, Joe Pelletier and George Imbau, settlers, suffered the agony of slow starvation for thirteen days. After landing on the island, their canoe floated off. When rescued by a search party, they were in a state of collapse and unable at first to tell their story, but the state of the shrubbery on the island was an eloquent testimony to their sufferings. The leaves were plucked off. The twigs broken, even grass on the shallow soil had been torn up for food. A few day's care partially restored the men, and Pelletier is now on the way to complete recovery. Imbau, unfortunately, ate a big meal of moose meat before he was able to endure such heavy diet, and he died from the effects.

CARRICK COUNCIL

Town Hall, July 29th, 1918.

Carrick Council met this date pursuant to adjournment. All the members present. The Reeve in the chair. The minutes of last meeting were read and adopted.

Finance Report.

The following account were referred to the Finance Committee and disposed of as follows:—

J. Drummond, 66 yds. gravel	6 60
Mrs. Geo. Holtzmann, 21 yds. gravel	1 68
Jno. Krueger, 190 yds. gravel and mr.	15 20
Jno. Inglis, 25 yds. gravel	2 15
Simon Huber, 100 yds. Gravel	7 00
A. Rehkopf, 50 yds gravel	3 50
Hy Schnurr, 45 yds. gravel	3 15
W. J. Woods, grav'l acct	18 00
Jno. Kunkel, grav'l to pathmaster	19 00
Jos. Albrecht, 60 yds. gravel	4 21
Jos. Trautman, 22 loads gravel	2 20
Mrs. C. Woods, wire watches	67 50
Dan Reuber, 253 yds. gravel	15 61
Jno Schmidt, 20 days running grad'r and 10 yds. gravel	62 20
A. Schmaltz, refund pool room license	5 00
Jos. Schwehr, 45 loads gravel	4 50
J. A. Johnston rep. B M & D, express, stationery and postage	15 50
Chas. Klein, 24 gravel	9 00
Wendell Schnurr, 91 yds gravel	4 27
Jno Tegler, putting in culvert	2 00
Weber Bros., wire for snow fence	11 20
Jno Buschell, 196 yds gravel	23 80
Val Fischer, 91 yds gravel	9 56
Jno Beitz, rep. bridge	22 05
Jno Hohnstein, running grad'r	25 00
Hy Weber, 88 yds gravel	6 16
F. Kramer, putting in culvert	4 00
A Rehkopf, 54 yds gravel	2 70
Jno Schurter bl. for repair drag	1 20
M Ellsinger, 1 mtg and 2 days R&H	7 75
J Montag, 1 mtg and 1 day R&H	4 00
C Wagner 1 mtg and 1 day R&H	4 00
A Lewis 1 mtg and 1 day R&H	5 25
J Juergens 1 mtg	2 75

Mr. J. M. Fischer addressed the council asking for a grant for the Mildmay Fall Show.

Montag—Juergens—That this council grant the sum of fifty dollars to the Mildmay Fall Show.

Moved in amendment by Wagner and Lewis—That the sum of sixty dollars be granted to the Mildmay Fall Show. The amendment was carried.

Communication from the clerk of the village of Mildmay was read, demanding an audit of the township accounts up to the date of the Incorporation of the village of Mildmay, in order that the settlement of affairs between the two municipalities may be arrived at.

By Law No. 11, to strike the rates for the year and by-law No. 12, appointing auditors for the special audit of the township accounts were read first time.

Lewis—Wagner—That by-law Nos. 11 and 12 be now read a second and third time and finally passed—Carried.

Montag—Juergens—That this council do now adjourn to meet again on Monday, the sixteenth day of September next for the transaction of general business.—Carried.

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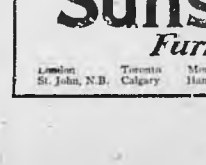
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NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Corp. Bob McGregor, of Petawawa Camp, is home on leave.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Kay, of Kenora, spent a few days of last week visiting friends here.

Mr. F. B. James is at Southampton this week on engineering work in connection with the construction of the dam.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lamont, of Malcolm, and Mr. and Mrs. Giles, of Toronto, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Stevens.

Mrs. Winterhalt, of Montreal, is home on a visit to her father, Mr. Martin Drumm. Mrs. Winterhalt sr. of Kitchener, is also a visitor.

Mr. P. Bremner arrived home on Friday from a visit to his brother, Mr. James Bremner at Stratford. While away he accompanied his brother on an enjoyable motor trip to Buffalo and Rochester, N. Y. Across the line they found ideal motor roads and thoroughly enjoyed their holiday.

George Fox Was Chautauquan

Walkerton has just had its first taste of Chautauqua but quite a few years ago a Walkerton boy, the late George Fox, distinguished Canadian violinist, was actively identified with the Chautauqua in the Western States. In fact one of his old colleagues on the Chautauqua platform was here last week in the person of Mr. Hartwell De Mille the famous Baritone, who delighted the audiences here on Thursday afternoon and evening.

A Sudden Stop

On Saturday afternoon a lady from the country was bringing her butter and eggs to town when she had a somewhat unusual experience. Coming down Bilkie's Hill her horse went at such a speed that it couldn't stop, so it chose the verandah of Mr. Tuckey's residence as a convenient place to take a little rest. In the process of stopping it fell on the verandah broke the shafts of the buggy and most of the eggs. The lady was badly frightened and didn't exactly appreciate that method of coming to a stop.

Sergt. Vickers was up from Toronto over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Billing, who have been assisting Miss Padbury, returned home to Chatham yesterday. Mrs. Billing will return to Walkerton in a few days.

Messrs Herb Flach, Ed. and Frank Mosack accompanied by the latter's sisters, Mrs. Dave Ornazek of Kitchener and Mrs. Leo Caskanette and children motored up from Preston and spent till Monday at their home here.

Mrs. Robert Wilson returned on Wednesday from a three weeks' visit at North Bay. She was accompanied by her two daughters, Misses Beth and Anina Wilson, who will spend a few weeks' holiday at their home.

Nearly Fit Again

Mrs. Beechie had a letter from her son, Herb. Van Hatten last week written from an English Hospital, in which he states that he expects to be back on duty again in a few of weeks. The last time he was hit in no less than five places but only one wound was serious.

Wounded In Hospital

Mr. S. Tucker, a young returned soldier who is here from Toronto on a visit to his aunt, Mrs. Geo. Carbert, has had a strange war experience. It is now a couple years since he enlisted at Toronto with a city battalion for Overseas and while he has never actually got to the firing line he has been doubly invalided and bears on his body the marks of the enemy's shrapnel. While in England he was taken down with a bad attack of rheumatic fever and it was while lying in a hospital cot that a bomb from a German airplane came through the roof, causing several casualties. Mr. Tucker was hit in the leg with shrapnel as he lay there and this of course did not help matters any. It was only a short time ago that he had sufficiently recovered to return to his home Canada, and he is now taking a quiet rest.

CHILDREN'S AID WORK

Editor Telescope

Dear Sir:—

Replying to the question: why not have organized Branch Committies in connection with The Children's Aid Society before now. With your permission I beg to answer by saying that we did organize Branch Committees early in the history of the Society and in the following places viz—Cargill, Paisley, Port Elgin, Southampton, Chesley, Tiverton, Lions Head, Lucknow, Wiarton, Meaford, Tara, Hepworth and Hanover, and that a number of neglected children was largely owing to the information given by those Committees which led to the investigation and treatment of such children. This should have been added in my recent report of the work done during my time as agent and secretary of the society.

D. McLennan, Walkerton.

TREASURER HASN'T RECEIVED CHEQUE.

(Port Elgin Times.)

To the Editor of The Times:

Sir:—You have an article in your last issue in which you say that "the sum of $1500 from the funds of the 160th, has been handed over to the Walkerton branch of the Bruce Preparedness League."

I beg to say that this is a mistake. Our branch has never seen the money nor does not control one cent of it. The money, I believe, is at the disposal of the Bruce County Preparedness League outside Walkerton Branch.

R. Perdue, Sec'y-Treas.
Walkerton Branch B. P. L.

(The Times regrets it presumed that this $1500 went to the Walkerton branch. It presumed it on the ground that the money had not then, or has not up to now, reached the treasurer of the Bruce County Preparedness League, although it was reported by The Walkerton Telescope to have been paid in nearly three weeks ago—Editor Times.)

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Walkerton Flower Show

The Annual Flower Show of the Walkerton Horticultural Society will be held at the Town Hall on Friday evening, August 30th.

Drowning At Port Elgin

Alvin Hamilton, a young lad 15 years of age, was drowned off the docks at Port Elgin, Saturday evening. Hamilton, while playing with other lads, fell in and succumbed before help could reach him.

Crops Never Better

Mr. John Hogan of Chepstow informed the Telescope that in all the forty-six years he has lived in this country he has never seen better crops than he saw coming in that day between Walkerton and Chepstow.

Lieut. Parker Killed

Word that Lieut. Parker formerly of the 160th. Bruce Batt'n, had been killed in action was received at his home at Paisley on Saturday. Lieut. Parker was the Machine Gun officer and a very popular and efficient officer. Before the war he was engineer on the Grand Trunk.

Hanover Bowlers Here

Four rinks of Hanover bowlers motored here on Tuesday night and played friendly games with the local "kitty-touchers." Three of the visiting rinks went down to defeat, the other being up three shots. The scores:—

Hanover	Walkerton
Zinn—9	McBurney—24
Henning—12	Fye—19
Schilling—16	McNab—28
Scarboro—20	Eidt—17

Bombed In Hospital

Mr. and Mrs. A. Swanston had a letter last week from their son, Walter, who has been in a French Hospital since April recovering from a shrapnel scalp wound. He had been unable to write lately on account of the knock out he got when the Germans bombed the Hospital several weeks ago. A bomb knocked the number off his bed and one of the boxes he had received from home was blown to pieces. All that saved him was the fact that he was lying on the floor. His wound, he said, was getting along alright.

All Four Sons Serving

Probably no family in Bruce has a prouder record than that of Mr. Robert Bryce, East Ward, whose fourth and youngest son, Leslie, went to Toronto Monday morning and signed up with the Royal Air Force. Mr. Bryce has four fine sons and not one of them lost a minutes time in getting into khaki as soon as the opportunity offered. Charlie was invalided home recently with serious wounds. Walter is in France with the Canadian Artillery. Chester is in the United States Cavalry the past four years and now holds the rank of lieutenant, expecting to go Overseas in a few weeks.

Emerald Rosary Lost

In Brant township between the 6th and 12th concessions. Finder please leave at the Telescope office.

C. P. R. Special Rates To Toronto

Going August 24th to September 7th, return good until Sept. 11th. Fare and a third. Tickets at town office.—Hunter's Drug Store.

Memorial Service

A memorial service for the late Capt. (Dr.) Malcolm McKechnie will be held in the Baptist and Christian church on Sunday evening, September 1st.

Auction Sale

Auction Sale of Household effects, garden tools etc. at the home of the undersigned, on Saturday, August, 24th at 1.30 o'clock. Miss M. Grainger.

New Floor On Bridge

The East End Bridge is having a new floor put in on instructions from the County Council. It is some years since the present planks were put down and they need renewing badly. Mr. Al Hampson has the job.

Lce. Huether Promoted

Leslie Huether, who has been with the British Naval Air Service in Southern Italy for many months, was awarded a full Heutenancy. Les. has been transferred to England and has been enjoying his leave in Rome and other cities enroute from Italy to England.

Playing Final Game

The Scotch Double competition which is being played by the local bowlers, is almost completed and the final game will be played this week. The men who will play off for the prizes are, Ted McConbell and Tom Jenkins and Alex. McNab and R. M. Player.

Lawn Social

The North Carrick Red Cross Workers are having a lawn social at Walter Jasper's next Friday evening, Aug. 23rd. A baseball match, a good program, a lunch, a booth, and a fish-pond are some of the attractions. Everybody come and help a good cause. Admission 25 and 10c.

Will. Carson Wounded

Word was received here from Wiarton on Saturday that Will. Carson, a Bruce soldier well-known in Walkerton, was wounded in the face. He went Overseas with the 160th Bruce Batt'n. For several years he was employed by Mr. James Whitehead here and was highly thought of in town.

Walt Ellinghausen Wounded

A telegram from Ottawa to Mr. B.E Ellinghausen on Saturday morning stated that his son, Pte. Walter Ellinghausen, Infantry, had been wounded in the face and upper part of the body. Walt was one of the youngest members of the 160th Batt'n, enlisting as a bugler. When the 160th was broken up in England he went to France to join another infantry unit, the 49th Batt'n. He is now at No. 3 Gen. Hospital, Letaport, France.

NEWS ABOUT TOWN

A week from Monday will be Labor Day.

School starts in town a week from next Tuesday.

Miss Havill spent a few days of last week in Port Elgin.

Misses Ella and Mae Hyslop returned last week to Kitchener.

Mrs. Pearl Stevens is spending this week with relatives in Paris.

Miss Bertha Frame is spending a week with friends at Teeswater.

Miss Tillie Frank of Detroit is visiting her sister, Mrs. James Clancy.

Mr. Elroy Hergott of Port Colborne is spending his vacation at his home here.

Miss Mary Maguire of Toronto is on a few days visit to Mr. and Mrs. Jas Bridan.

Misses Nina and Beth Wilson returned from a visit with friends at Port Elgin.

Little Miss Beth Irwin is spending a week at Port Elgin with her friend, Betty Player

Mr. and Mrs. F. X. Foechman and family of Carlsruhe spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mr. Eli Myles and family motored up to Port Elgin on Sunday and spent the day at the Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Appel and Mildred are holidaying this week at New Hamburg and Guelph.

Miss Emma Hunsiger of Kitchener is home on a visit to her father, Mr. Jos. Hunsiger of Chepstow.

Mr. Reg. Porter of Toronto is home on a month's vacation with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Porter.

Pte. Val. Schurter arrived home on Monday to spend six weeks' leave at his home at Chepstow.

Miss Etta Schnurr returned on Wednesday from spending her holidays at Toronto and Georgetown.

Misses Marie and Rose Miller of Hamilton are spending two weeks' vacation at their home here.

Dr. and Mrs. Laurie Barrett and little daughter, Margaret of Galt are visiting at Mrs. Barrett's home here.

Mrs. Thomas Donoahue came up from Tweed on Saturday and is spending the week with Mr. Donoahue.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Bonnell of Owen Sound spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jasper.

Miss Vera Hildred, A. L. C. M. of Kincardine returned home Saturday after visiting her sister, Mrs. J. A. Wesley.

Mrs. P. J. Scanlan and daughter, Veronica, left last week on a visit to the former's mother, Mrs. T. Smith at Chicago.

Mrs. F. E. Coombe and daughter, Miss Alice of Kincardine are spending two weeks at the home of Mrs. Jas. Warren.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Shaw motored up from Woodstock last week and spent a couple of days with members of the family here.

Miss Olive Heughan of Toronto visited her father here, while on her way to Southampton, where she will spend a few week's vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. I. A. McBurney and family of Saskatoon arrived here Monday evening and will visit the former's mother and brother here.

Miss Amelia Steffler returned to her home at Teeswater after spending a few weeks with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Lambertus.

Miss Emma Wilhelm returned to Windsor on Monday after spending two weeks' holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Wilhelm.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Covert and family returned to their home at Toronto after spending a month with the latter's sister, Mrs. Fred. Zottel, Brant.

Prin. Morgan is expected from Toronto this week.

For the best farm shoes go to Ramsey's Shoe Store.

Mrs. (Dr.) Sinclair is visiting her mother at Hamilton.

New fall styles in women's fine shoes at Ramsey's Shoe Store.

Dr. McLean, of Welland, is visiting at his old home in Brant.

Roy Wesley and H. St. Norrish spent the week-end at Kitchener.

Groceries at cost at Padbury's selling out sale. Searle's old stand.

Mrs. W. G. Searle, Lloyd and Erma, are visiting friends at Exeter.

Cushionette Shoes need no breaking in Sold at Ramsey's Shoe Store.

Mr. Cann of Toronto, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. (Dr.) R. H. Fortune.

Regal on your shoes means quality in them. Sold at Ramsey's Shoe Store.

G. S. Finlayson of Lorne, who enlisted with the 160th. has been wounded.

Mrs. J. A. Rowland and the Misses Rowland have returned from Muskoka.

Women's $5.00 shoes clearing at $3.95 in the window at Ramsey's Shoe Store.

Buy your groceries and chinaware during the big sale at Searle's old stand.

Remember the big slaughter sale of groceries now going at Searle's old stand.

Miss Mildred Bell leaves this week to attend the millinery openings at Toronto.

Mr. W. G. Searle spent a few days this week with friends at London and St. Thomas.

Misses Grace and Mabel Chalmers, of West Moncton, are the guests of Miss Jessie Wells.

We are clearing out groceries and chinaware at cost. G. Padbury, Searle's old stand.

Mr. W. R. Paterson has bought a thorobred Boston Bull pup from an Aylmer fancier.

Mrs. Carter and babe, of Port Huron, are visiting her brother, Mr. Thomas Austin, of Enniskillen.

Mrs. Gammond and Mrs. Blondon are herefrom the West on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Jenkins.

Holidays will soon be over, for the best School Shoes at lowest prices go to Ramsey's Shoe Store.

Lieut. Earl Johns of Wiarton, a former member of the 160th. Batt'n, has been reported wounded.

Mrs. Norman Robertson, Mrs. Shaw, Mrs. Vail and Mrs. Nelson are spending a few weeks at Southampton.

Miss Ella Neal of the G. M. W. staff at Hamilton who is visiting at the home of Mr. A. P. Pengelly in Brant, called on friends in town on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs Bert Rudolph and Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Rudolph and child of Buffalo, motored here Saturday on a visit to the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rudolph.

Mr. J. Armstrong, M. P. of Toronto motored up this week and on Monday took his brother-in-law, Rev. R. Perdue off for a short holiday at Toronto. At Clifford the axle of the car broke, causing them to change their plan and head for the Fishing Club and spend a day or two there while awaiting repairs from the city,

Rev. Father A. J. Fischer C. R., parish priest of Kitchener, was in town on Tuesday calling on Rev. Father Cummings and other friends. He motored up from Kitchener to be present at Formosa Church Sunday morning when his nephew Rev. Father Edward Waechter, who has just returned from Rome, celebrated his first Mass. Father Fischer is spending a few enjoyable days amid the scenes of his boyhood around Chepstow.

Girl Wanted

For light house work. Apply to Mrs. Sam Vogan jr. Colborne St.

Card Of Thanks

The I. O. D. E wish to thank all those who gave such valuable assistance during the Chautauqua.

Wanted a Good Home

We have a fine baby girl, age five months, that we are anxious to place in a good home as soon as possible. Do your bit and apply to H. W. Elliott. Agent, C. A. S. Box 127, Walkerton, Ont.

Landed In England

Mr. Jacob Kraemer of Greenock received a cablegram on Tuesday stating that his three sons, Ptes. Barney, Will and Alex had landed safely in England. The boys left London, Ont., recently with a draft from the 1st. Depot. Batt'n. W. O. R.

Will Teach at Ambleside

Miss Marie Weiler a graduate of the Walkerton High School who passed her Normal School Examinations this year has been engaged to teach at the Ambleside Seperate School. Miss Edna Bilger another High School Graduate has accepted a school in Carrick.

Killed In Action

Tuesday's casualty lists contained the name of Capt. J. L. Richards of Calgary as killed in action. This is likely Lester Richards, a former Walkerton boy who enlisted at Calgary as lieutenant. He was a grandson of the late John Richards of Carrick and his father was at one time employed in J. Lee & Sons' mill here.

Getting Steadily Better

Mr. C. A. Fox continues to make steady improvement. He now sits up in a chair most of the time in the bright sun room and takes a few steps about the room occasionally. A chat now and then with some old friend has proved diverting and many kind messages of enquiry coming from friends at a distance have helped to brighten the long days during convalescence. Mr Fox's trying illness has at least served to show him that he has more friends than he ever imagined.

Wounded In Left Hand

Mr. Con. Reichenbach had a telegram from Ottawa on Monday that his son, Pte. Joe Reichenbach, had received a gunshot wound in the left hand, on August 10th and is now in No. 3 Australian General Hospital at Abbeville, France. Joe was one of the first men of the 160th to get to the firing line, reverting from the rank of Sergeant in order to make the grade. This is his second knockout. Last Easter he was the victim of concussion but managed to keep out of the Hospital.

They Made Money

The ladies of the I. O. D. E. will have a net profit of $240 on the Chautauqua after paying all expenses. They intend inventing this amount in Red Cross materials thereby doubling their money again through the County grant. It has been learned that Walkerton is the only place on the Dominion circuit where the Chautauqua has been handled by women alone and the ladies are naturally a bit proud to think that they are the first women's organization to tackle the proposition and what is more to make a success of it.

Joins The Bobbin Co

Capt. Farquhar Shaw has become associated with his brother, Mr. W. M. Shaw, in the management and ownership of the Canada Spool & Bobbin Co. and will be actively connected with this growing concern. Before the War Capt. Shaw was Western Manager of the Canada Furniture Manufacturers Ltd. with headquarters at Winnipeg but he resigned to go Overseas as Paymaster of the 160th Batt'n. Recently he returned home because the authorities transferred him back to England from the fighting Front. Capt. and Mrs. Shaw have taken the old Shaw property, Viewfield, for the summer.

Home From Rome

Rev. Father Edward Waechter, son of Mr. John F. Waechter of Formosa, arrived home last week from Rome, where he was ordained into the priesthood. In company with another young priest, Father Reitzel, he sailed via the Mediterranean Sea and had an uneventful trip. In Italy he found that the recent success of the Italian forces on the Piave had a most heartening effect on the populace and the determination to win the war was never stronger. Rev. Father Waechter celebrated his first mass at Formosa on Sunday. Among the large congregation present were a number from a distance including Father Waechter's uncles, Rev. Fr. A. J. Fischer, C. R. and Mr. Geo. Fischer of Kitchener, Mr. and Mrs. John Schwartz of Kitchener, his aunts, Sister Rita Paul and Sister Irene, and cousin, Sister Rita, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael McNab all of Buffalo.

Mildmay Girl Drowned

Miss Elizabeth Schneider, a Mildmay young lady, was drowned at Buffalo last Saturday. Particulars have not yet been received. Miss Schneider was acquainted in Walkerton, her sister having been a member of the local Post Office Staff a few years ago. She was 28 old.

Break In Pipe Fixed

East Warders are getting their supply of town water through the regular main, the big pipe which was broken during the flood last winter having been fixed by Mr. W. J. Hermeston. Fortunately the break was found to be near the shore where the water is not very deep and it was made right by Mr. Hermeston in short order.

Wounded In Seven Places

It appears that Wesley Voelzing, the young Brant soldier who was reported seriously wounded on July 13th, had a very close call. A letter from the Chaplain received last week stated that for two weeks after being brought in he was in an unconscious state but was at last coming around. A letter from Wes. himself to his mother, Mrs. Con. Voelzing of Hanover received this week, states that he is doing nicely but has no less than seven wounds on his breast.

Severely Wounded In Thigh

Mr. James Whitehead sent a cable last week to the Canadian Red Cross, London, Eng. asking for particulars regarding his son, Capt. Roy Whitehead, who was reported wounded on August 9th. when the Canadians made their big drive forward. On Monday he received the following reply:—"Capt. Whitehead gunshot wound in thigh severe. Making further enquiries." By some strange ommision Mr. Whitehead has not yet heard the name of the Hospital where Roy is located and he has cabled for that information.

Plucky Young Girl

One of the first farmers in this part of the country to finish harvesting is Mr. J. G. Lambertus who lives just south of the town. Mr. Lambertus has no hired man and no boys in the family but he has a capable young daughter, Miss Alma, a student of the First Form of the High School, who showed she knew a thing or two besides Latin roots by stepping in and taking a man's place in the field the day after school closed. Day by day she stayed with the job and finished up in record time. Alma isn't a "suffragette" but she is an exceedingly capable young person who deserves a lot of credit for her pluck.

Invents Winter Bike

Mr. Francis X. Frank, a young machinist employed at the Knechtel Factory, has invented a clever device which will enable the owners of bikes to keep right on riding when summer turns to winter and the snow appears. The invention is called the "bicycle-sled" and is adapted from the ordinary wheel by removing the front wheel and replacing it by a small runner and interchanging the rear wheel with a runner attachment and a smaller wheel with cogs around its outer surface. The invention has been patented in the United States and patent in Canada has been applied for. Mr. Frank has already received one good offer for the sale of the patent and it looks as if his invention may bring him good returns.

Gallant Young Officer

Lieut. W. Clark Oatic, whose death in action was reported in last week's Telescope, fell during the Canadians' victorious drive on August 9th and 9th. The official word came to his father, Mr. W. D. Oatic, of Toronto, in a message from the Prime Minister on August 13th. Clark, who was a fine specimen of young Canadian manhood, was born at Walkerton 29 years ago. He spent his boyhood years here, his father being in business here at that time and after graduating from Walkerton High School he entered the Traders Bank at Cargill. Later he was transferred to the head office at King & Young Sts., Toronto. After the amalgamation of the Royal and Traders Banks he was sent by the Royal to Collingwood as accountant. In the Spring of 1916 he answered the call of King and Country, enlisting with the 177th, Simcoe Batt'n and after being in training some time was promoted to the rank of Lieutenant. On April 4th of that year he left his native land for Overseas. While at Bexhill-on-Sea, England, the 177th was broken up and he was then drafted into 3rd. Canadian Batt'n with which he had been on the firing line about a year. He fell gallantly carrying on in one of those splendid incidents that will emblazon the pages of Canadian history; and the lives of those left behind are enriched by his precious memory. Besides his parents, Lieut. Oatic is survived by one sister, Cora Mae, graduate nurse of Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore.

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Morning train, north bound—11.57 "

Afternoon train, south bound—4.06 p. m.

Night train, north bound—9.25 p.m.

MAJOR MOFFAT'S SCHEME

What the Newspaper Men of Bruce Think of the Major's Colonization Scheme for Our Soldiers.

SCHEME NOT POPULAR

(Mildmay Gazette)

Major Moffat's scheme to start a co-operative farming community for the Bruce County soldiers returning from the war, is being pretty generally knocked in this county. The people of Bruce are objecting the idea of sending their boys to some far off part of Canada to farm when they come back preferring to have them settle down right here in Bruce where conditions cannot be excelled. Major Moffat has succeeded in interesting the officers of the Preparedness League in his scheme but it is doubtful if the matter will be seriously considered.

LOOKS WILDCATTY

(Kincardine Reporter)

The scheme of settling returned soldiers out west, now being boosted by Major Moffat, formerly of the 160th Bruce Battalion, looks rather hair brained. We stated at a meeting of the patriotic league in Southampton in June that was not feasible. We still contend that it is not workable. We know men who left their farms right in this section to enlist. If they come back we presume they will want to look after their interests. Living in an isolated section of the great west will hardly appeal to the soldier. Another side of the case is this. Why should the Bruce Preparedness League try to arrange to have former citizens settle in the west. When the war is over we will need our own people at home. Their places are here waiting for them, and we do not take kindly to Major Moffat's wildcat community scheme. There are a lot of fellows when they get out of khaki will probably tell some officers what they think of them. Major Moffat might have gone to France with the boys. To say a man 37 years of age is too old to go to France won't go down with those who know.

MAJOR MOFFAT'S SCHEME

(Paisley Advocate)

Before going to spy out land for the project, the men authorized to do so might do a little investigating as to what part Major Moffat proposes to play in the scheme. It can be safely said that among the soldiers who have already returned from doing their bit on the fighting line there can be found men who will be better judges of land and farming question than the major who has just arrived back from the training front, and would be more entitled than he is or can be to any easy money that might be expended in connection with the scheme. There may not be two score Bruce County Soldiers desirous of accepting land as their reward for services, and in that case the Government would have no right to insist upon them taking to farming. Every man who enlisted and stays in the fight until he becomes incapacited or sees the finish of the campaign is entitled to some choice as to the compensation he is to receive at the hands of the country and people for whom he went out to fight. By all means give the returning boys all the land they want, but don't force it upon them. And let the conditions be the most favorable that can be secured for all who prefer farming for the future, but don't allow the good things to be hand-picked by those who have done no fighting.

MAJOR GETS A TRIP TO THE WEST

(Port Elgin Times)

Report has it that Major Moffat is away to the west to spy out lands for the boys of the 160th battalion. The Major just can't bear to have the boys come back to their old homes and friends again. He has lead them for 2½ years all the way to England and now that they have gone over to France to do some of the big jobs the major hurries home to prepare a place for them out in Northern Ontario, it is said, where he will be head of them again and lead them to glorious victories on the farm through the "community" plan.

You see in this community scheme the boys who came back will all be together, work together, marry one another, build up homes, raise lots of fine grain, put it all in one big heap to sell and put the cash in the community bank.

It is just as easy as that. The Major's scheme is so clear to the committee in charge, Messrs. W. D. Cargill, M. P. P.; C. M. Bowman, M. P. P.; Wm. McDonald, M. P. P.; Sheriff Jermyn, A. E. McNab, C. J. Mickle, and W. D. Bell, that they just can't wait to see whether the soldiers have any particular interest in it.

We read how the Doukhobors tried it, and the Russian Mennonites too, in the west, and why cannot our 160th boys?

So they can, if the want to, but just why, when our lads get into the thick of the fighting, the major should return home and get a few civilians together to spend the people's money on a scheme that hardly an hour's thought has been given to is more than the ordinary mind can grasp.

Why not the major and the committee try the scheme on some of the Bruce County soldiers who have already done their bit, who are home now and are much better qualified to look after the soldiers' needs than Major Moffat? Bruce people are indebted to every soldier who went from this county not only to the 160th, but to all, and it's about time the men on the committee understood that a little more information would be welcomed Bruce County residents.

The Times, in an issue immediately after the announcement was made concerning the scheme, took exception to spending the people's money without first making a clear statement of what was intended, and we are still of that view.

If land grants are to be given to all soldiers by the government, what the soldier does with it is his own business. The Times has always credited the men whose names appear as boosting the community scheme, with better judgment. They would serve the county better in endeavouring to have the government give the soldiers money grants to settle on farms in the county of Bruce, that they might raise up their homes among their kith and kin.

If Major Moffat and others are away on trips to the west at the people's expense they should be called home at once and asked to go to work on a community farm.

After they have shown by practical demonstration the advantages of their Scheme it will be quite time enough for them to induce others to follow.

My! What A Good Looking Crowd!



THE WALKERTON TELESCOPE STAFF

The old-time "Printer's Devil" is now a relic of the past. The "Angel" has replaced the "devil" in printing offices during war times.

TELESCOPE LETTER BOX

MAJOR MOFFAT'S SCHEME

Editor Telescope

Sir—

It is true that at the meeting of the Bruce Preparedness League held at Southampton in June last it was by no means unanimous on Major Moffat's Scheme for settling soldiers on land. Still there was a stirring sentiment that something should be done along this line and a committee was appointed consisting of W. D. Cargill M. P. P. C. M. Bowman M. P. P., Wm. McDonald M. P. P., Messrs. A. E. McNab, C. J. Mickle, W. D. Bell and Sheriff Jermyn to look carefully into the matter. This is a committee of strong representative men, one that the county has confidence in that they will not run away with any wild scheme proposed by Major Moffat or anyone else. Would it not be well to wait till they deliberate on the matter and look carefully into it before we turn the whole thing down especially when between 200 and 300 of the men have asked for it. The community part is good and should be commended. Large parts of the West were settled years ago by whole sections going into one district and we know as far as Bruce people are concerned they have made good. Co-operation is all right. The boys will work that out themselves. Pooling their interests I don't think would work. It would not last one year among the farmers but it is said we want to keep those men at home, that there is lots of land in the county for them. That sounds alright. The father's farm awaits the boy but what about the boy who has no farm awaiting him. They can't buy land for the simple reason they haven't the money. The Government has no land to give them. The only possible way would be for the Govt. to loan them the money at a loan rate of interest that would be a mighty big proposition at the price land is in Bruce to day. And further it is said it would be unfair to send our boys to some isolated place in the west. People from Bruce have done this before and have made good. I know of many young men that would have been farming in the West to-day if it had not been for the war. It should be kept in mind that this is only intended for the man that will come back in physical condition and wants to go on the land. There are hundreds of others who will have to be provided for in some other way. It is the biggest question the people of Canada will have to deal with. But, sir, it has to be grappled with. Can we not get in behind this committee and try and work out something that would be a credit to the county and pleasing to the boys when they come home.

Yours truly

G. Christie.

Sangeen, Aug. 12th, 1918.

WHAT IS CHAUTAUQUA?

What's this racket all about?
Turns the whole town inside out,
Folks a pushing 'long the street,
Treading on each other's feet;
Autos whizzing everywhere,
Horns a tootin out. Take care,
Horses kicking up the dust,
Got to get somewhere or bust;
Pretty girls with cheeks aglow,
Rustling round to get a beau;
Dames from every walk of life,
Spinster, maiden, widow, wife;
Men of every shade and size,
Joy asparkling in their eyes;
Little boys and older chaps,
Madly turning flipper flaps,
Rushing, jamming up and down,
When Chautauqua comes to town.
What's Chautauqua anyway?
Looks some like a circus day;
Banners flying everywhere,
Music floating in the air,
Big brown tent and folks I guess
Fifteen hundred more or less.
Well, Chautauqua is a'maze
Of about seven joyous days,
Fraught with wisdom, music, fun,
Something good for everyone.
Gives me hope, gives me cheer,
'Nuff to last a full grown year,
Brings the weary bit o' rest,
Puts new zeal in human breast,
Braces up discouraged man,
Makes him want to try again,
Gives him ginger, gives him pep,
Keeps him moving 'long in step
With his stronger fellow man,
In life's greater, broader plan.
When you get right down to biz
That's 'bout what Chautauqua is.

Seven thousand dentists met in convention in Chicago last week. They adopted a win-the-war policy and began drilling right away.

"If I were asked to give advice to a group of young folks who wanted to get ahead in business," said a successful manufacturer the other day, "I would simply say: Make friends. As I sat here before the fire the other night I let my mind run back, and it was with surprise that I learned that many of the things which in my youth I credited to my ability came to me because I had made influential friends who did things for me because they liked me. The man who is right has the right kind of friends, and the man who is wrong has the kind of friends who are attracted by his wrongness. A man gets what he is."

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NEWS OF BRUCE CO.

America's war bill has reached $13,935,877,000. The war is costing the United States nearly $2,000,000 an hour.

Great Britain's financial outlay every day of the war is $31,930,000. Her national debt has increased from $3,225,000,000 to 29,900,000,000.

A government order for 99,560,000 pounds of bacon and 131,000,000 pounds of canned meat for the army was received at the stock yards in Chicago. This is what puts the "pep" into the live stock market.

A novel baseball game was that played recently at Bridgeport, Connecticut, between a nine made up of sailors who came from their sea base in submarine and a nine of soldiers who came from their camp in airplanes.

Church choirs are shown by the Port Hope Guide not to be the most agreeable organizations. In support of its argument it quotes from a diary of a Kingston man who died the other day with the record of having sung in the choir of one church for forty years. His record shows that during that period he had witnessed tilts between sopranos and altos, 7165; ditto, tenors and bassos, 5326; leaders resigned, 895; organists fates for practice, 650; members married 1560; friction with ministers, 4 230; discord among the members 1137.

Now It's the Bowman Trophy

The bowling prize known as the Bowman trophy was lost to Bruce county for a considerable time, but has been brought back by the northern men, Batchellor's rink at Owen Sound winning from Guelph, and then losing to McAuley, of Southampton. On Monday evening skip Shoemaker went up to the lake town, supported by T. Muir W. Rae and J. H. Glover, and wrested the tall silverware from the fishermen. An Owen Sound rink is to make a try for it to-day.—Paisley Advocate.

Scheme Didn't Work

Harriston Review—It is almost a miracle that two lads of the town are not sleeping in their graves, instead of running about enjoying the last few weeks of their holidays. These two boys whose homes are just across the road from each other got it into their heads that they would construct a private telephone from one house to the other. With this end in view they proceeded to string wires across the street above the 4,400 volt high tension hydro wires. They had climbed a high maple tree and were proceeding to reach the wire across by means of a fishing pole, when their wire touched the hydro wires; instantly there was an explosion and the two wires dropped to the ground burning holes and scorching the cement walk. If the ground had not been so dry as it was, one of the lads would have, no doubt, been instantly electrocuted. The hydro people may institute proceedings for damages.

He Built A Dam

All kinds of animals do wonderful things without ever being taught. Each in its own line inherits an education that, in common language, goes by the name of instinct. A college professor in Maine tells how he convinced a friend who did not believe that beavers could build dams. He bought a baby beaver of a hunter and sent it to his skeptical friends. The creature became a great pet in house, but showed no signs of wanting to build a dam until one Monday morning a leaky pail full of water was put on the floor of the back kitchen. The beaver was there. He was only a baby, to be sure but the moment he saw the water oozing out of a crack in the pail he scampered into the yard, brought in a chip and began his work. His owner was called and watched the little fellow, very much astonished at what he saw. He gave orders to have the pail left where it was, and the industrious beaver kept at work four weeks, when he had built a solid dam all around the pail.—E. Tarriase in The Visitor.

Indisputably a Phenomenon

"What is a phenomenon?" asked one workmen of another. This enlightening definition is quoted in Young's Magazine:

"It is like this: Suppose you were to go out into the country and see a field of thistles growing."

"Yes"

"Well, that wouldn't be a phenomenon."

"No, that's quite clear," agreed the other man.

"But suppose you were to see a lark singing away up in the sky."

"Yes."

"Well, that wouldn't be a phenomenon."

"No; that also seems clear."

"But imagine there is a bull in the field."

"Yes."

"Even that wouldn't be a phenomenon."

"No"

"But, now Bill, look here. Suppose you saw that bull sitting on them thistles and whistling like a lark—well, that would be a phenomenon."

Mr. G. E. Morrow, a Grand Valley druggist, was fined $50 and costs for failing toaffix a war stamp to an article purchased in his store.

She—Will you love me as much in December as you do in June, dear?

He—More, darling. There is one more day in December.

The two amalgamated papers at Mt. Forest will have a title of 31 letters 'The Confederate and Representative.' In these days of war-saving why not conserve twenty or so of the letters?

Those new Bank of Commerce bills are beautiful things, but they don't seem to stay around any longer than the old ones. For a faithful companion there is nothing better than a battered old dime.

Carrick Crop Competition.

The Standing field crop competition held in connection with the Carrick Agricultural Soc. resulted as follows:—Thos. H. Jasper, Carrick 83; Andrew McKaugue Culross 82; Andrew Schmidt, Carrick 81; W. A. Rowand, Brant 80; W. A. Tolton, 78; Jno. Armstrong, Culross 73; Jno. Bickel, Carrick 64; Alex Rowand, Brant 59; J. Borah 58; J. Thompson, 56;

Missed Their Clothes.

A group of village lads who went down to the beaver meadow to swim on Monday afternoon, got into a rather embarrassing predicament. Leaving their clothes on the bank, the boys plunged into the water, and did not notice a herd of cows that were pasturing near by. When they got out of the water to look for their apparel they were surprised to find that many articles were missing. The innocent looking bovines would never have been accused of the theft, but for the fact that one of the animals was seen struggling with the remnants of a bright colored sweater, all of which had been swallowed but the sleeve. The half clad boys made their way home by the back streets.—Mildmay Gazette.

Culross Tp. Council

Town Hall Teeswater Aug 12th 1915

Council met on the above date. The Members of the Board were all present.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and sustained.

Moved by Jas. Thompson sec'd by Philip Keffer that Jno. Armstrong be appointed to have the brush cut on the road at lot 11 Con. 14 and Sideroad 1u graveled or Graded as he sees fit as it is reported not to be in proper condition (Carried).

Keffer—Thompson—That we appoint the Reeve to have the Bridge at lot 12 Con. 5 repaired as it is reported to be in a dangerous condition and have the same done as soon as possible (Carried.

Thompson—McPherson—That as we require a tax Collector and we have been paying Sixty Dollars in former years for collecting that we advertise for tenders for the position the Same to be handed in to the Clerk before the next meeting of Council.

Keffer—Thompson—That as the Reeve of Carrick has asked for a grant for tile to drain the street in Formosa that we appoint Jno. Armstrong to investigate same and report at next meeting of Council.

McPherson—Thompson—That the rate for the year 1918 be 4 Mills in the Dollar for Township purposes (Carried)

Armstrong—Thompson—That we appoint Philip Keffer to attend the convention to be held at Toronto on Sept. 4th. for the purpose of organizing the Farmers in Ontario to deal with things pertaining to the war such as paying their fare share etc.

The following accounts were passed.

Jno. M. Glynn man and team on Grader 2 days	$10 00
Chas. Schumacher 50 yds. gravel	5 00
Fred Wocks man and team on Grader	2 50
Wm. Henderson 66 yds. gravel and road	7 00
And. Weishar rep. bridge con 4.	2 00
Jno. Scott 48 yds. of gravel and road	7 80
Theo. Collison 97 yds. of gravel	9 70
Wm Case freight on grader	9 28
Theo. Collison Bal. on gravel contract	15 20
Jos. Hunter 70 yds. gravel and road	8 60
Electric Light Formosa	14 72
Jos. Murray for Cement Ble.	190 00
Mich King cutting hill Con. 1	65 00
Fairbairn Publishing Co. 200 copies Voters Lists	45 00
Jas. Harkness rep Bridge Con 2	20 00
Robt. Grant man and team on Grader 2 days	10 00
Jno. Donaldson man and team on Grader 1 day	5 00

The finance report was read and adopted. The Council then adjourned to meet again on Monday Sept. 9th. or at call of the Reeve.

Chas. Button,
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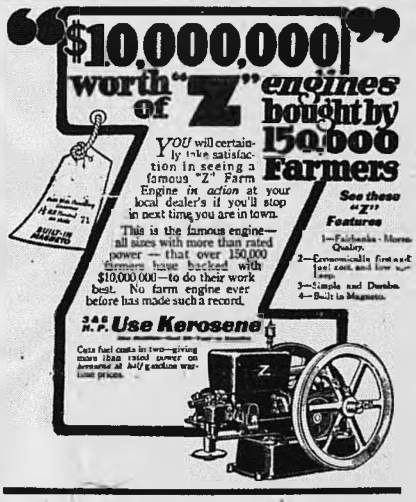
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Major Moffat Scheme

The Executive of the Bruce Preparedness League was called together here on Monday afternoon to receive from Major Moffat his report of his visit to Northern Ontario in connection with his community Farming scheme for Bruce County Soldiers. The members who attended were:—W. D. Cargill, Chairman,' Messrs. W. D. Bell, J. McEwen, and W. M. McDonald, M. P. P. of Chesley, John Rowland of Walkerton and Frank Ronnie of Brant. Major Moffat and Mr. J. McEwen told of the proposed site of the Colony in Shackleton Township, about fifty miles west of Cochrane and five hundred miles north of Toronto. The site is on a small river along the Transcontinental railway. It is there that Major Moffat proposes to locate his co-operative colony, the men pooling all their land together, as well as their govt. loans, profits etc. The Ontario Govt. is very anxious to get settlers and their offer as reported by Major Moffat was to set apart any unoccupied land that might be chosen as a site, to build roads through it, give the settlers the use of the implements etc. at a moderate rental based on actual cost of maintenance erect camp building, provide foreman, loan each settler $500 under the terms of the Settlers Loan Act etc. Mr. Frank Rennie, Pres. of the Brant Preparedness League, attacked Major Moffat's scheme. The community idea and pooling of profits etc. was not at all feasible. If any scheme could be worked out to the Boys' advantage it should be done by a real veteran. Major Moffat had been a soldier all his life but had never been known to do any fighting. He asked whether Major Moffat was a British subject or an American citizen. No action was taken by the meeting on Major Moffat's report. There was only a few members of the executive present and some of these left before the meeting was over. But a number of returned men who had been summoned to the meeting by Major Moffat met and appointed three of their number to go to Northern Ontario at the Govt's expense and report on the land selected by Major Moffat. Major Moffat also nominated one, making a committee of four composed of:—Sergt. Garfield Reddon, London; Sergt. B. Kennedy and Carrick of Whitechurch; and Pte. Herb Fenton of Port Elgin. While the people of Bruce are anxious that the Boys from this County shall get the full benefit of all government grants, believing that nothing is too good for them Major Moffats "community" scheme does not appeal to the common sense of the folks here. There are a lot of reasons which have been already outlined in the Telescope and the other county papers why it won't go down.

CARD OF THANKS

The family of the late Thomas Coates wish to express their sincere thanks to their many neighbors and friends for their kindness and sympathy extended in their bereavement.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Jos. Cunningham and family wish to express their sincere thanks to their many neighbors and friends for kindness shown during their recent sad bereavement.

OUR TEACHERS' SALARIES

Walkerton, Ont. 19th Aug. 1918

Editor Telescope

Dear Sir:—

In a recent issue of the Montreal "Standard" I came across an article on the New Minister of Education, The Hon. Dr. Cody. In answering the criticism as to why a minister of the gospel was chosen the writer mentions the fact that the post was held in the past by five or six men from the same profession, and apparently they made good.

The article deals mainly with teachers' salaries and the writer shows that a good cook gets more than the average Public School teacher. He goes on to say that if Dr. Cody does nothing more than give the teachers a salary that will enable them to live in a manner befitting the responsible position they occupy, he will deserve of the people of Ontario a statue of gold.

I cut out the article and sent it to Dr. Cody and he assures me that one of the great objects he will keep before him will be the giving of the Public School Teachers of Ontario "a living wage."

I feel absolutely certain that one of the acts of legislation will be the giving a substantial increase to the salaries of our Public School Teachers, and God knows they deserve it.

Now would it not be a graceful act of Justice on the part of our Public School Board, if they would of their own free will recognize the valuable work of our teachers by giving them a substantial increase at once. In my opinion there is not a class in the community worse paid, nor is there a classdoing more noble work, more thankless work, than the Public School Teachers.

I earnestly commend this suggestion to the attention of the Walkerton Public School Board.

I am, Yours Truly,
E. Perdue.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ferris motored back to Toronto on Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Frank Latchford left Monday morning on a two weeks' visit to her brother, Mr. W. S; Best.

Rev. and Mrs. H. R. Mosig of New Hamburg are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Buehlow.

Mr. H W. Elliott, Children's Aid Inspector, went to Bruce Twp. yesterday to take charge of a couple of neglected children as wards of the Society.

Rev. Martin J. and Mrs. Wilson of Hamilton and Mr. and Mrs. James Alderson of Guelph called on friends here last Thursday while motoring here to Chesley.

Miss Ellen O'Hagan of Preston, daughter of Thos. O'Hagan of Chepstow, underwent an operation for the removal of her tonsils and adenoids, while home on holidays this week.

Miss McPhail, a graduate of the Bruce County Hospital of 1910, is here at present nursing a private case at the Hospital. Miss McPhail, who has many friends here, returned home a few months ago from the West where she had been practising, owing to the death of her brother at the Front.

Hurt In Threshing Machine

A young man named Freiberger from Waterloo, was badly hurt while helping his cousin, Mr. Jos. Freiberger, thresh at Mr. Fred Zettler's in Greenock, on Monday afternoon. His elbow got caught in the blades of the thresher severing some of the cords. He was removed to the Bruce County Hospital but after having his arm dressed was able to return home again.

Recovered From Gassing

Mrs. Fred. Bannister had a letter a few days ago from her husband, stating that he had practically recovered from the effects of the shell-gassing which he received at the Front on July 23rd and by the time that the letter would reach her he expected to be back on the firing line again. Pte. Bannister, who has a wife and three young children, enlisted with the 160th Batt'n on Christmas Day, 1915, and on the breaking up of the Batt'n in England, he went to France with a draft to the 75th Winnipeg Grenadiers. After fighting several months he developed blood-poisoning in the right hand and narrowly escaped having it amputated. He had only been back in the trenches a week or two when a gas-shell from the enemy sent him to the hospital again.

Mildmay Veteran Sent Down

Four months at the Jail Farm was Magistrate Denison's sentence on Pte. Wm. Herringer of Mildmay, veteran of three years of treach fighting, in Police Court at Toronto on Monday, for taking part in the riots of August 2.

"Why were you rioting?" demanded the colonel. "What grievance had you against these restaurants?"

"I went in and had a piece of pie and cornflakes, and was charged 40 cents."

Col. Denison: "That is the reason you wanted to smash the place?"

"Yes."

Four constables testified as to Herringer's activities on the Saturday morning. His battle cry was "Over the top, boys; we'll show them what we went to France for."

Constable Peacock said Herringer was throwing catsup bottles and dishes.

"I threw only oranges," declared Herringer. "I had just come from Mildmay and walked up Yonge street."

Mr. Cowley: "Were you throwing catsup bottles?" "No, sir, I didn't have a catsup bottle in my hand."

"He's had three years' service, your Worship," said Mr. Corley, "and he has been shell-shocked and gassed."

Magistrate Denison: "That's commendable, but no justification for smashing up restaurants."

BORN

DITNER—In Greenock, on Tuesday, Aug. 20th, to Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Ditner a daughter.

HUDSON—In Cayuga, Ont., on Wednesday July 31, 1918, to Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Hudson, a daughter.



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NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Town schools re-open a week from Tuesday.

Mr. Arthur Giesler of Kitchener spent the week-end here.

Eighty Lucknow citizens expressed a willingness to work on the farm.

Mrs. Frank Smith of Windsor spent the week-end at Mr. Gus Royce's.

Miss Kathleen Elliott of Chesley is visiting her cousin, Miss Hilda Ernel.

Sergt. Holmes of Harriston was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Sandy McCarter on Monday.

Cadet Leslie Hibbert of the R. A. F. Camp Borden, spent the week-end at his home here.

Miss Carrie Mosack returned on Monday after a few weeks' visit with relatives at London.

Mr. James T. Crawford has been confined to the house with a severe cold the past few days.

The families of Messrs. Schumacher and Wingefelder accompanied by Mrs. Korman are spending a week at Sauble Beach.

Miss Jennie Wright who has spent the past two weeks with Miss Ruth Warren, returned to her home in London on Tuesday.

Rev R. Perdue is spending the week at Toronto. Service at St. Thomas Church next Sunday will be taken by Mr. F. B. James.

Mrs. Dan Sheehan and little daughter, Dorothy of Hamilton, are here visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Ernest.

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Pletsch accompanied by the former's mother, Mrs. P. Pletsch, are visiting friends at Stratford this week.

Mr John D. Little of Brant who has been poorly for several months is, his many friends will be glad to know, showing great improvement.

Rev. W. A. Campbell, who preached at Knox Church on Sunday, is a brother of Mr. Campbell who was Principal of Walkerton Public School a few years ago.

Messrs Geo. C. H. Lang and Henry Krug of Kitchener and Mr. Isadore Klein of New York motored here and spent the week-end with Mr. C. A. Fox and other relatives in town.

Mr. Clarence Oberle of the Merchants' Bank, Chatham, who was brought home last week suffering from typhoid fever, is reported to be about the same, no change since last week.

Mr. and Mrs J. Gordon and son, James, who have been visiting relatives here the past month, left on Thursday for Toronto where they spent a few days prior to leaving for their home at Calgary, Alta.

Mr. William Weinhardt accompanied by Misses Marion and Eadburga Tonen of Buffalo, N. Y., motored here from Neustadt where they have been visiting and spent a few days of last week with the latter's sister, Mrs. John O'Malley.

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Miss Madaline Weller is holidaying in Mildmay.

Miss Padbury went to Chatham for a few days this week.

Miss Flora Thompson of Galt is visiting old friends in town this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Irwin and family are spending a few days at Port Elgin.

Mrs. H. Trimble underwent a minor operation in a Toronto Hospital this week.

It is reported that Irwin Bros. the well-known horsemen, have dissolved partnership.

The County Goods Committee, Messrs Whicher. Case, McDonald and Supt. Izzard held a meeting here Monday.

Mr. George Harrington and son, Jack, and Mr. Charles Presant of Toronto visited old friends in town over week-end.

Mrs. (Dr.) R. E. Clapp left yester day on a motor trip to Toronto, in company with Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Bowman of Southampton.

Miss C. Stevens of Paris, Mrs John Anderson and Master Harvey of Virden Man., visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Royce this week.

Dr. and Mrs. A. H. Campbell and two children and Miss Joan Campbell of New York are here on a visit to their sister, Mrs. Con. Reichenbach.

Mr. Harry Wells of the Royal Bank, Toronto, and son of Mr. W. H. Wells, Walkerton, was operated on for appendicitis at Fergus on Monday.

Pte. Charlie Bryce left this (Thursday) morning for Winnipeg where he has secured a position through the Retired Soldiers' Hospital Commission.

Mr. and Mrs. Mac. McKenzie of Thedford motored here on Monday and spent the day as guests at Mr. W. H. McFarlane's. The Misses McFarlane accompanied them on their return to Thedford for a short visit.

The Streets Committee are doing much-needed repairing on the roadway between the Biscuit Factory and the Cemetery corner. The Council will receive back a portion of the expenditure from the County Roads Fund.

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Did you ever hear the ladies say:- "I am so tired, I baked bread today." We would like to suggest that you buy your bread from us during the summer. You will not only save your strength and health but will save the much needed fuel for next winter's supply.

JOHN O'MALLEY

Miss Lienk of the hospital staff is holidaying at Owen Sound.

Capt. F. A. Bassett, and Miss Faith of Collingwood spent Monday and Tuesday as guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. Dippel, leaving Tuesday by motor accompanied by Miss Vera Dippell to visit Mr. John Noecker at Drayton. Capt. Bassett is an old Great Lakes navigator and served for some time in present war as Captain of transports in the English Channel.

Agreeably Surprised

A letter from Mr. D. McKerracher to a friend in town states that the crops in the district around Eyebrow, Sask. are very good considering the dry spell. The rain which they had lately helped a good deal and Mr. McKerracher says he was agreeably surprised at the yield.

Visitors From Cuba

Rev. Robt. Routledge, wife and two children are here from Cuba visiting Mrs. James Crawford. Mac. and Miss McCannell, Mr John Routledge of Brant and other relatives. Mr. Routledge is a professor in a College in Cuba and is back to the old home for a short holiday.

Capt. John Douglas Passes.

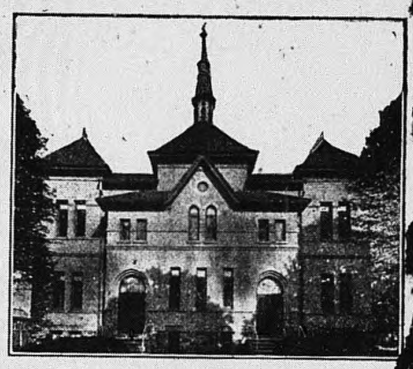
Capt. John Douglas of Tara, one of Bruce's best known and most highly esteemed residents, died at his home on Saturday morning in his eighty-fifth year. Mr. Douglas took a prominent part in all public movements and was a member of the County Council for a number of years. In 1899 he was Warden. He was captain of No. 6 Co. 32 Batt'n and was in command of that company when the Batt'n was called out to assist in the suppression of the Riel Rebellion. Lieut. Col. W. J. Douglas, who returned home recently from serving in France is an only son.

Walkerton Markets

(Revised, Wednesday, August 21st)

Hay	$10.00 to..... $12.0
Oats, per bsh.	80 to..... 8
Wheat " "	2.10 to..... 2
Butter, per lb.	38to .....
Eggs, per doz.	40 to .. ..
Barley per bus	.....$1.25.....
Hogs, per cwt.	.....18.50 t
Buckwheat.....	1.25 ..
Potatoes, per lb.	.....

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Full information as to Courses, Text-Books and other matters will be given on opening day.

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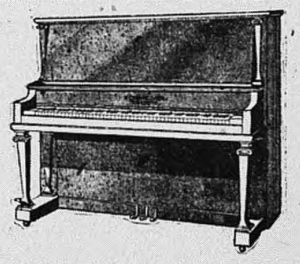
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Principal. Secretary. Chairman.

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IVE NEWS OF NEIGHBORING VILLAGES AND COUNTRYSIDE

:-: Happenings of the Week Collected for the Readers of The Telescope by a Staff of Wideawake Correspondents :-:

GLAMIS

Mrs. R. Y. McFadyen of Toronto, has been visiting friends here.

Miss Lily McKinnon returned to Grantford last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Griffin, of Fergus motored here on Thursday to attend the funeral of J. Cunningham.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack McFarlane and sons, of Toronto have been visitors with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Tufford of Beamsville returned to their home on Monday after a couple of week's holidays at Inverhuron Beach and with her parents here.

Mrs. K. Francis, and Miss Mamye of Toronto, Miss Margaret Colborne of Buffalo, N. Y. and Mrs. James Coward and babe of Toronto are holiday visitors at Murdock McKay's.

Mr. S. Stevenson arrived home from London on Saturday after attending the funeral of his brother-in-law Thos. Rodney.

Mrs. John Stocks and sons of Port Huron, Mich. spent a couple of weeks with Mrs. Nesbitt.

Miss Tuffin of Toronto is a guest of Mrs. A. Carr.

Mr. Albert Pickard of Wiarton was a caller in the burg last week.

Rev. J. A. McClung, and Jas. G. Purdy attended Free Methodist Conference in Ridgeway last week.

Mrs. George Gilchrist and Miss Janet of Owen Sound spent a few days at Joseph Wrightson's. They were accompanied home by Miss Minnie Wrightson.

Mrs. R. W. Burgess, of Cabri, Sask., and A. B. A. Cunningham, Melville, Sask. arrived home last week to attend the funeral of their father. The latter returned to his home in Melville this week.

Rev. P. Reith conducted Union ...vice here the past two weeks.

...rs. Cunningham returned to ... on Saturday after a month's ...the home of his late brother.

... K. McLennan is in Toronto ...ng treatment. We wish her ... recovery.

...argaret Campbell returned to ...on Monday.

...eith attended the funeral ...at North Pelham last week.

...rs. Albert Jackson of Tor... been holiday visitors at the ...of his sister, Mrs. R. J. Nesbitt.

...e McIntyre family are all at their ...tage at Inverhuron.

Misses Beere and Burns of Hamilton returned home on Friday after visiting at Mrs. J. Cunningham's.

...Bankaker and son Charles of ...re visitors at John Deehan's.

...eston of Toronto was here ...the funeral of her father, ...McSween.

...s. McSween and family have ...visiting at the home of Alf Abell, ...dine.

Lizzie Cunningham of Milton, ...isiting at the home of her late ...J. Cunningham.

Services will be held in the ...urch on Sunday at 11 a.m ...S.S. at noon.

...y Ferris is visiting in Pais...

Flossie McLennan spent a few ... Kincardine.

Eleanor Vess returned to Ter... Thursday.

Mr. Angus McLean who was in Guelph Hospital for past month returned home this week. All welcome him home and hope for his steady improvement.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Peacock and daughters have returned to their home in Meaford.

Mrs. W. J. McKenzie (nee Miss Edith Hutchison) and children have returned to their home near Wilkie, Sask.

Mrs. A. E. Hogarth, of Toronto, spent the past week with her mother, Mrs. Joseph Patterson.

Mr. Jack Forsythe, of Riversdale, has been assisting Mr. A. Symon with the harvest.

Miss Ella and Masters Melville and Albert Brown, of Paisley, have been holidaying with relatives here.

Again death has entered this neighbourhood and removed another of the old pioneers in the person of Mr. Roderick McSween, in his 77th year, passing away at the home of his daughter, Mrs. James Thompson, con. 2, Bruce, on Sunday morning, August 18th, 1918, after several weeks' illness. The deceased was born in Scotland, came to Canada when a young lad of about 12 years and resided on 2nd con., Bruce, on the farm now owned by his son-in-law, James Thompson, where his death occurred. Mrs. McSween predeceased him 15 years ago and he has since been residing with his daughters. Mr. McSween has been a cripple for a great many years from severe injuries received and was unable for any active work. He was highly respected by every one and had a disposition that was kindly and courteous. The following family survive:—One son, Alex, now in Superb, Sask., and three daughters, Mrs. Beaton of Toronto, Mrs. Dan Cameron, Armow, and Mrs. James Thompson, 2nd con., Bruce, Glamis, and two brothers and two sisters, all residing in British Columbia. The funeral takes place from the home of his daughter, Mrs. Thompson, on Tuesday afternoon to Purdy's Cemetery. To the bereaved ones we extend heartfelt sympathy.

EDEN GROVE

A most appalling quietness reigns over the Grove at the present time. From the slums you can hear someone up on Quality Hill creaking his jaws chewing 'tatie cakes' and from the Hill you can hear quite plainly someone phoning long distance—Yes, and catch the reply. It's something desperate this intense solemnness. I fear I shall go mad unless my "threshing machine" returns shortly.

Mrs. Pearson and son Melville returned from Brantford last week.

Miss Gertrude O'Reilly, graduate nurse, who has been visiting at home for some time returned to Guelph last Monday.

Miss Jennie Millen has secured a position handling nursery stock at Wesley Overend.

Miss Martha Fordyce has been successful in securing an important position at the home of Robert Dalgarno.

A sad accident took place on the G. T. R. train from Paisley the other day when Miss Trace Desmond lost her slipper.

We are glad to report that Richard Connor who had a hemorhage a week or so ago is under the capable hands of Nurse Desmond doing as well as can be expected.

Our shrewd neighboring farmer, Herman Lambertus, traded his Ford car to Joe Schuett for a second hand panio and an unknown amount of cash last week. If Herman had let me know I had a couple of coal scuttles, and an old shovel and a certain amount of money myself to trade for it.

Mac Scott is busily engaged getting his threshing machine ready for use. Sure sign that the summer is almost melted away.

Hiram.

PINKERTON

Rev. and Mrs. R. M. Gale and Misses Hattie and Gladys Gale are spending their holidays at their former home at Alma.

Miss R. McKee of Toronto, who has been visiting at Mr. D Pinkerton's returned to the city last week.

Mr. Raney of Toronto representing the Dominion Albanie occupied the pulpit on Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Birrell are away on a visit to Toronto and a trip down the St. Lawrence.

Rev. Jas. Gale of Hyde Park is spending his holidays in the village.

The ladies of the Red Cross wish to thank Mr. David Pinkerton for his generous donation of $100.00.

CULROSS CENTRE

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Bell and little daughter of the 14th con. visited at James Day's Sunday.

Miss Elsie Grant visited friends at Teeswater Sunday.

Miss Maud Bradley of Harriston is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. A. Cas lick this week.

Mr. and Mrs John Becking visited at Samuel Parker's Sunday afternoon.

A few of our young sports visited Salem Sunday evening and enjoyed the nice cool evening for driving afterward.

Mr. and Mrs. James Valad and two little children spent sunday with relatives at Riversdale Sunday.

OTTER CREEK

Most farmers in this vicinity will finish their harvest this week.

Mrs. E. Bailie and son, of Cargill, visited Mrs. P. Gross on Sunday.

Mr. John Bell and sister, Miss Mary, were visitors at Mr. Emerson Schumacher's on the Belmore Line.

Mr. Edward Fenner was a visitor at Mr. Wm. Klein's on Sunday.

A number from here attended the Evangelic Children's Day held at Mildmay on Sunday last which was a decided success. The programme was rendered in perfect style. One of the best features of the programme was a duet given by Mr. J. Johnston and Rev. E. Becker, entitled "Will your heart ring true," it being worth while going for that alone beside all the other feast of good things. The auditorium was crowded to the doors. The collection amounted to $112.25 in the evening and $50 in the morning making a total of $162.25 for missions which proves the great success of the programme of the day.

GREENOCK

Some of the farmers around here have threshed and they say the grain is turning out good.

John Moore, Hugo Winter, and George Stroeder who were training at London got home on harvest leave.

Mr. Wilfred Ritchie of Walkerton, Mr. Garnet Louther Mrs. Wm. Louther and Mrs. Hunter of Greenock motored to Kitchener and returned on Sunday.

Mr. J. G. Carter lost a fine big cow on Saturday.

The Misses Hauck, of Buffalo spent the week-end at Mr. J. Holler's.

GREENOCK TP. COUNCIL

Knox's Hotel, Pinkerton,
July 22nd, 1918.

Council met as per adjournment, all members present, the reeve in the chair.

The following accounts were presented for payment: A. McKinnon, work on con. 2, opp. lots 10, 11, 61 days 6 hours, at $3 per day $184.80, team work at $4.50 per day $128.25, blasting stumps $5.50—$318.55; A. McKinnon, 2 ewes killed by dogs and lambs damaged, $45; R. Chatreau, insp. sheep, $1.80; A. Watson, delivering wheel scraper to Glamis, $2.50; J. Erb, 128 yds. gravel per A. McKinnon, $18.00; J. L. Austett, 61 iron rods cut and bent, $105; J. Cluney, sidewalk, 4 charged to Brant, $18.15; J. Deehan, grading on s. l. 30, $5; M. Cassidy, 560 ft. plank and repairing bridge $18.30, team on grader $4—$22.30; J. Valad, 4 day team on grader, $2.50; M. Cassidy, 22 yds. earth to widen con. 3, $11; D. Cassidy, 87 yds. gravel at die. on con. 3, $50.16; J. Symon, 4 days inspecting Cassidy contract and ditching, $12; A. Carr, drawing plank and covering bridge, con. 14, $5; W. Cousmans, cedar posts and ties for rail at Riversdale bridge, $8; J. Cousmans, taking delegation to Southampton re s. l. 5, $5; J. Hehn, work on grader, $35; J. J. Donnelly, 448 ft. rock elm plank per A. Carr, $11.20; D. Pinkerton, 2½ days of man per W. Taylor's division, $5; W. H. Taylor, hauling tile and putting in culvert, $5, freight $1.47—$6.47; M. M. Nesbitt, maintenance of Ada Cunningham, $15.50; J. Cunningham, postage for clerk, $5; A. E. Knox, room for meeting $1.

Sawyer—Campbell—That the foregoing accounts be paid and that the reeve and treasurer be instructed to sign cheques for same.—Carried.

Symon—Gilchrist—That By-law No. 575 be repealed.—Carried.

Sawyer—Campbell—That Dr. P. J. F. Houston be appointed M. O. of H. for the township of Greenock, and that the clerk draft a by-law confirming the appointment.—Carried.

By-law 576, appointing M. O. of H. was drafted and read a first time.

Sawyer—Campbell—That By-law 576 be read a second and third time and finally passed.—Carried.

By-law duly read and passed.

Campbell—Sawyer—That the reeve be instructed to take proceedings under the Ditches and Watercourses Act to drain a portion of con. 10 from lake east.—Carried.

Gilchrist—Sawyer—That this council do now adjourn to meet at Chepstow on the 15th of August, to levy rates and for general business.—Carried.

WE WANT THE NEWS

The Telescope wishes to secure a live correspondent in every nook and corner of this district. If your neighborhood is not represented, we shall be glad to receive the names of any capable persons whom you would suggest to act as Telescope correspondent.

Read the Ads.

CREAM

We have opened a Cream Station on Durham Street, Walkerton, next to the photograph gallery, and will pay highest cash price on delivery for Cream every

THURSDAY

L.S. BENNINGER

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Erdman's Ice Cream

A delicious Ice Cream that is manufactured in Walkerton. Ask your dealer for Erdman's Ice Cream or send your order direct to us.

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JNO. B. ERDMAN

Walkerton

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WALKERTON

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For general use you will enjoy using our well known and popular brand. Try our

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An ideal pastry flour.

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Walkerton

Flour Mills

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Take Advantage of this Last Opportunity to Get Your

GROCERIES AT COST

Hundreds are availing themselves of this great chance to reduce the High Cost of Living by patronizing this Sale. As the stock is new, clean and up-to-date, you take no risk in buying and you get a bargain in every purchase.

Our Big Line of China is also Being Offered at Slaughter Prices.

Anticipate Your Future Needs and BUY NOW!

G. PADBURY

Searle's Old Stand Phone 161

DO IT NOW!

Get a washing machine. The 1900 Gravity Washer is easily worked by hand. A child can turn this washing machine. One of our customers told us the other day that he had a Gravity Washer that they had used for ten years, and that his wife would not be without it.

1900 Gravity Washer $17.00
Guaranteed Wringer $6.00

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Lowe Bros. Paints when you paint. O'Cedar Mops and Furniture Polishes.

S. W. VOGAN

Hardware Walkerton.

Airmen Ready For Perilous Work



British and Italian airmen are now very great friends.



A Royal Flying Corps Bombing Squadron—A pilot examining a 25 lb. bomb.

Fighting in Mesopotamia



An open machine gun emplacement.



Turkish prisoners recently captured.

Town and District

One's station or position in life does not matter so much as the way in which one fills it.

"There are many Americans," says Mr. Daniels, Secretary of the Navy, "who are eager to get their bite."

—A grasshopper hopped into a Keppel man's ear and caused a great deal of pain before it was removed by a physician.

Ballachy & Laidlaw, who have conducted for years a very successful general store business at Paisley, have dissolved partnership, Mr Ballachy taking over the business.

Give your trade to the merchants who keep store the year round. Buy of the man who stands at your side at the tax collector's counter. Buy of the man who is your neighbor, your acquaintance, your friend. Buy of the man who is a factor in the town you live in, who helps to make a market for the things you have to sell. Buy of the home merchant that advertises in this newspaper.

If there is one enterprise on earth that a quitter should leave entirely alone, it is advertising. To make a success of advertising, one must be prepared to stick like a barnacle on a boat's bottom. He should know before he begins that he must spend money—lots of it. Somebody must tell him that he cannot hope to reap results commensurate with his expenditures early in the game. Advertising does not jerk: it pulls. It begins very gently at first, but the jerk is steady. It increases day by day and year by year until it exerts an irresistible power —John Wannemaker.

The Canadian editors now touring Britain have been to see the King and Queen and one western man has expressed his surprise at the democratic attitude of the King and Queen. We infer from the western man's remarks that instead of having to lie prostrate on the rug in the throne room, they just sat around in the kitchen and told yarns while the King prepared the crackers and cheese. But pshaw, we are getting used to democracy in high places. Didn't the Duke of Devonshire drink out of an ordinary cup at the Toronto fair once, and didn't the Toronto papers devote a column space to us tell about it? Tish, tush on this democracy talk. We wouldn't have been surprised to have heard that before they parted the King and Mr. Jennings were just plain Geo and Milt to one another.—Thamesville Herald.

My neighbor's working every day to plow his corn and make his hay; he's toiling in the sunshine now, to get the clover in the mow. He'd have a fit or two, I'll bet, if any of his crop got wet; he cures it all up nice and green, the finest hay you ever seen. That fellow's always on the hop a-chasing after some old crop; his labor he can never cease he doesn't get a bit of peace. He's fertilized his crop so much he has to work to beat the dutch to harvest crops of hay and grain before they're spoiled by dew and rain. He'll get a sunstroke I'm afraid, while I rest here beneath the shade. I'd rather not get my work done, than sweat away out in the sun. I've got one on him anyway, for I don't raise much clover hay; my soil is sour I ain't got time to sweeten up the farm with lime, so I can rest and take my ease and fan myself to make a breeze, while neighbor's bringing in the hay; I'd rather feed straw anyway. If I feed clover to my cow she gives too much milk anyhow. Mirandy's got enough to do without that extra milking, too. A man that's thoughtful of his wife sure gets more pleasure out of life!

Rats Costly Eaters

Experts have estimated that one rat will consume 40 to 50 pounds of food in a year. It has also been figured that it requires the continuous work of about 150,000 men with farms, agricultural implements, and other equipment to supply the foodstuffs destroyed annually by rats in the United States. In addition, rats destroy other property, mainly of agricultural origin, the production of which requires the work of about 50,000 men. This gives a total of 200,000 men whose economic output is devoted solely to feeding and otherwise providing for rats.

DAYS ARE NAMED FOR EXHIBITION

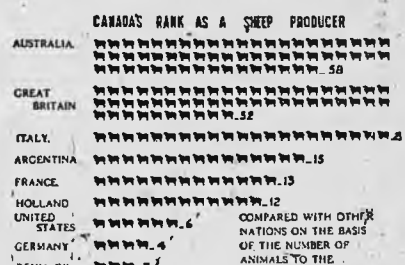
Following is the list of days named for the Canadian National Exhibition:—

Monday, August 26th—War Veterans' and Opening Day.
Tuesday, August 27th—School Children's Day.
Wednesday, August 28th—Women's Day.
Thursday, August 29th—Allies' Day.
Friday, August 30th—Press Day.
Saturday, August 31st—Production and Conservation Day.
Monday, Sept. 2nd—Labor Day.
Tuesday, Sept. 3rd.—American Day.
Wednesday, Sept. 4th—Farmers Day;
Thursday, Sept. 5th—Manufacturers' and Transportation Day.
Friday, Sept. 6th—Review Day;
Saturday, Sept. 7th—Citizens' and Athletic Day.

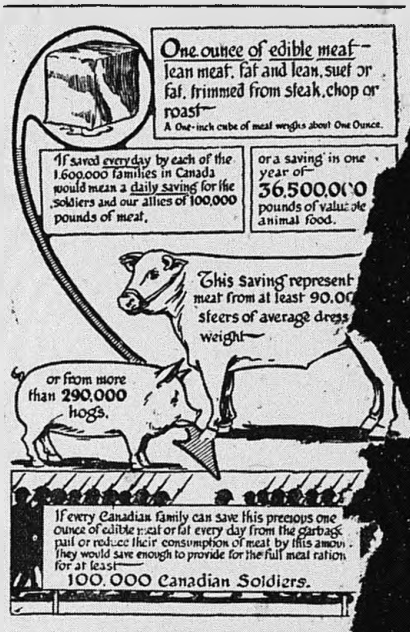


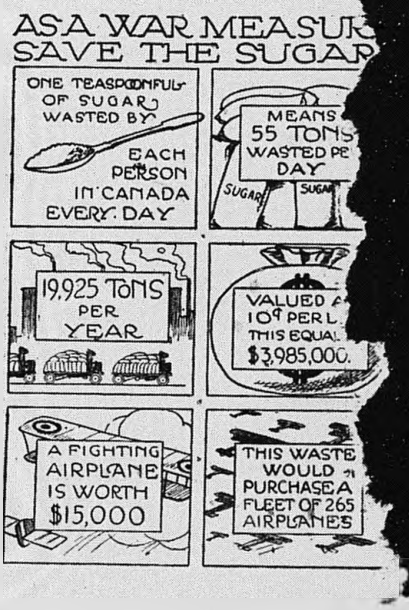
"SOLD OUT".
No more oleomargarine today. Food supplies in Great Britain are often so short that even the weekly allowance of four ounces of margarine is "postponed".

CANADA'S RANK AS A SHEEP PRODUCER



COMPARED WITH OTHER NATIONS ON THE BASIS OF THE NUMBER OF ANIMALS TO THE HUNDRED ACRES OF LAND IN FARMS





FOR APIARY BEGINNER

Description of the Equipment Required to Insure Success.

CLUBS FOR THE FARMERS

Outline a Summer Program Now and Have Everything Well Organized —The Club Picnic Is a Very Successful Feature of the Year's Work.

(Contributed by Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.)

EXTRACTED honey production is the most satisfactory for beginners. Start with three colonies and sufficient equipment and then make the bees pay their way. One colony does not give the beginner an opportunity to right mistakes or accidents profitably. Three colonies can be managed by devoting one evening weekly to the apiary.

Avoid many troublesome pitfalls by starting with the right hive. The 10 fr. Langstroth hive has given the best satisfaction in Ontario. All bee-keepers' supply houses carry this hive and its parts in their regular stock. Buy your first hives from a good manufacturer. It is very necessary to have all hive parts interchangeable so that they may be used in any colony in the apiary. Uniformity and accurate workmanship alone can ensure this need.

One complete 10 fr. Langstroth hive consists of:—

(1) A bottom board.

(2) A hive body with self spacing frames and wire.

(3) A telescoping metal roof cover.

In addition the beginner should provide for each colony one queen excluder; two extra hive-bodies complete with frames; and 7 lbs. of medium brood foundation, which runs 6 sheets to the lb., to fill the frames with a guide and foundation for the future combs.

It is advisable to commence with a 2-lb. package of bees and queen; a swarm or a nucleus. Less danger from disease attends the buying of pound packages than the buying of swarms and nuclei. Pound packages may be secured for delivery from May 1st to June 30th. Early packages will yield a surplus if carefully handled. Enquire of the Provincial Apiarist as to disease in your locality before buying swarms, nuclei or colonies.

The accessory equipment for the beginner should consist of:—

(1) A veil of black cotton tulle.

(2) A standard bee smoker.

(3) A hive tool.

(4) A spur wheel wire embedder.

(5) An uncapping knife.

(6) An uncapping box.

(7) A complete set of Department bulletins, Bulletins 213, 223 and 231, is a good reference bee book.

(8) A small honey extractor.

With the exception of Nos. 6, 7 and 8, it is advisable to acquire the material needed from a supply firm at once. The uncapping box can be made at home, and the beginner could probably co-operate with another beekeeper in securing the use of an extractor. With the increase of colonies to six, it would then be advisable to provide a storage can to assist in handling the crop.—W. A. Ontario Agricultural College.

WALKERTON

A Few Facts Worth Noting About the County Town of Bruce.

Walkerton has 15 miles of granolithic sidewalks.

Walkerton has 3,000 population.

Walkerton has 5 miles of sewers.

Walkerton has the lowest debt of any town of its size in the Province, about $54,000.

Walkerton has a townsite of 1,407 acres.

Walkerton is the County Town of good old Bruce.

Walkerton has 7 churches 3 schools, Public, Separate and High, Armoury, County Hospital, County Buildings, 2 chartered banks, 2 newspapers.

Walkerton has a good waterworks system.

Walkerton has excellent fire protection and comparatively low insurance rates.

Walkerton is noted for its well-shaded residential streets, lined with comfortable homes, well-kept lawns and boulevards.

Walkerton is one of the prettiest and healthiest inland towns in Ontario.

Walkerton has railway competition for shippers—G. T. R. and C. P. R.

Walkerton is in the heart of one of the finest agricultural sections in all Canada.

Walkerton business firms are given high ratings by the financial agencies of Canada.

Walkerton merchants give values, dollar for dollar, that challenge comparison with those of any town or city.

Walkerton Schools, Public, Separate and High Schools offer the best educational advantages receiving high praise from the inspectors.

Walkerton has public buildings that would be a credit to any town of its size.

Walkerton has over 200 of her best sons Overseas.

Walkerton has a handsome public library building, and a well organized library of 4500 volumes.

Walkerton has two furniture factories, a bobbin factory, a sash and door factory, and several smaller industries.

Walkerton offers ideal conditions for manufacturing industries: good living conditions, comparatively cheap rents, low assessment, healthy environment, good labor conditions, lots of power, large area for factory sites.

Walkerton Daughters of the Empire have raised between $7,000 and $8,000 for patriotic purposes.

Walkerton's big open squares containing the High and Public Schools, and the Armoury, gives the town a unique and beautiful centre.

Walkerton has good civic park possibilities at the "Bend" near the centre of the town.

Walkerton has good fishing and hunting within easy reach.

Walkerton is situated on the swift-flowing Saugeen which offers unlimited possibilies for cheap power development.

Walkerton has an organization of young ladies, the Soldiers Aid Society which raises money to send parcels to every Walkerton soldier in the trenches several times a year.

Walkerton has three hotels which provide accommodation distinctly better than one finds in most towns of this size.

These are a few out of a thousand and one facts that might be brought forward to show that Walkerton is a good town to swear by—a town worth living in.

Business Men.

Should have two have two signs—one on the building they occupy and one in local newspapers.

Send In The News.

When you have a local or personal item of interests, send it in to the Telescope or phone 48. We want the news.

News About Town

Mrs. Todd, Miss Jean Todd and Mrs. Fahey motored to Toronto on Saturday. They were accompanied by Mrs. Pierson, who will spend a few weeks' vacation at the city.

Gets Berth With W. O. R. at London

Lieut. Harry Harcourt, who has been in Canada on sick leave for several months, reported for duty recently at London, Ont. The medical board placed him in category "C 3" and detailed him for light duty as a consequence of which he was given a berth as sub-Lieutenant in "E" Company, 1st Battalion, W. O. R. Harry still has hopes of getting into the big scrap in France.

Visiting Old Town

Mr. William Paterson Sr. of Alymer who has been here visiting his son Wm. Paterson, hardware merchant, reports that crops are good in Elgin County. The season is about ten days further advanced down there and Mr. Paterson was all through cutting before he left home. Mr. Paterson has a nice farm on the outskirts of Alymer and appears to be enjoying life. He left on Saturday to spend a few days with friends at Chesley and Owen Sound.

At Wittley Camp

Pte. Edgar J. Fischer, son of Mr. Peter Fischer of Chepstow writes from Wittley Camp, Eng.:—Kindly forward my Telescope to this camp as I expect to be here for some time and would enjoy the Walkerton news. The boys over here are getting along fine with training especially some of us husky farmers. Expect to see some of the Bruce drafters over from London, Ont. where our neighbor boys signed up. I hope they land safe as the Pond is a big one. We were 19 days at Sea but the weather was grand. We were inspected by Premier Borden and Gen. Mowburn who expressed much pleasure in seeing the rapid progress we had made.

THE TOWN COUNCIL

Will Likely Buy A Team of Horses for Corporation Teaming and Fire Purposes—Special Meeting To-Night to Deal With Estimates.

The Town Council held its regular monthly session last Thursday evening, those present:—Mayor, A. P. Johnston, Reeve Douglas, Couns. Lettner, George Truax, Pletsch, Vogan, Lippert.

Fire Inspector Reports

Mr. John A. Robertson, Sec. Fire Underwriters Association, sent the report of the inspection on June 24th. The inspector reported that the Brigade got working in 54 minutes. The report expressed satisfaction that the Fire Company re-organized since the inspection. Several recommendations were made: That a by-law regulating the storage of oil etc. be passed by the Council. That the water distribution system needs remdieing and that this be undertaken gradually. That several hydrants not in good order be attended to at once. That the Town acquire a team of horses and keep one man at the Fire Hall day and night. The team might be be used for town work about the streets, being always kept within call. The report was turned over to the waterworks committee to look into and bring in a report.

Mr. John W. Crawford asked for 4 months rebate on water rates, something being wrong with the pipes on the street near his property.—Granted.

Engineer Dan Wilton asked for his week's holidays the first week in Sept.—Granted.

An invitation was read from Premier Hearst asking the Council to send delegates to a convention at Toronto on August 30 to discuss means of overcoming the tremendous fire record in this Province.—Filed.

Coun. Lippert Kicks

Coun. Lippert who was not present at the special meeting called last week criticized the action of the Council in granting $100 to the Turf Club before the races. It was a wrong course, he said, simply adding to a surplus. He also thought the Chief of Police had enough to do already without having to act as Fuel Controller.

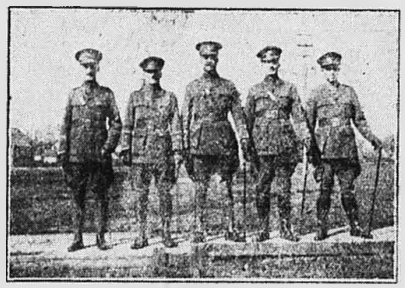
Objects to Paying

Reeve Douglas objected to a bill for war bulletins. He said the bulletins had not been ordered by the Council and they came at a time of day when they were no use to the working man. He was against the expenditure. Coun. Lippert said that when the recent Big Drive was on, he as Chairman of the Finance Committee had ordered the service until the Council would meet. These were anxious times, he said, and it was in the public interest to have the service. The bill amounting to $5.70 was passed.

Will Likely Buy Team

The Council discussed the advisability of buying a team of horses for use on corporation work and for fire purposes. Coun. Geo Lettner, Chairman of the Streets Committee, spoke strongly in favor of a team. He had figured out that it would mean a big saving every year. Other members of the Board also spoke favorably. Coun. Lettner was asked to get his figures ready for the special meeting Thursday evening (tonight) when the proposition will be dealt with.

Officers From Bruce County



LIEUT. PARKER, second from the right in the picture, has been reported "Killed in Action" in France the past week.

The professor regarded with an eye of suspicion the small, yellow cube the waiter had brought him. "I take thee," he murmured, "for butter—or for worse."

Takes A Partner

Mr. Wm. McDonald, M. P. P. publisher of The Chesley Enterprise, has sold a half interest in his paper to Mr. A. V. Nolan, a practical printer and linotype operator of Toronto. The new firm has already invested in a new linotype such as is used in the city offices. The Enterprise announces that in due course it will discard the patent inside sheets and become an all-home print like The Telescope. We trust that the new firm will reap the success that its enterprise deserves.

THE PSALM OF LIFE

(Revised Version)

A Saskatoon reader of The Telescope read "The Psalm of Life" by a Bachelor, in this paper a couple of weeks ago. It stirred her up so that she immediately got out her fountain pen and produced a "revised version" which we publish below. You have to be careful what you say about the women these times, Bachelor!

Tell me not, oh jealous Bachelor,
You're contented with your lot,
Sounds as though the grapes were sour
Looking from your garden plot.

Girls are shrewd, and dead in earnest,
Why not men be just the same,
When they ask a girl to marry,
Leave her home and take his name.

Smiles are sweet and glances killing
Well they may seem so to you
But a smile is a glimpse of Heaven
To a Soul that's pure and true.

In the world's broad field of battle
Flirts have but the fowler snare
With a shriveled heart like you have
A wife would surely be a care

Lives of bachelors all remind me
Of a lovely fire place,
But which could be brightened nicely
By a smiling baby's face.

To the Bachelor that's so grouchy
That he put his soul in print,
You can change your silly notions
For I know your heart's not flint.

Shocking Dissipation

"My dear, you mustn't let anybody read that letter from Cousin George at the front. I'm surprised that he'd write such things."

"What's the matter with his letter? It's mighty interesting."

"Some parts of it are, but his confessions of his disgraceful conduct are dreadful. I wouldn't for the world have any one know of his doings."

"I don't get you at all."

"Didn't your read that part of his letter where he says he was out with a British tank last night and they rolled all over the place?"—Detroit Free Press.

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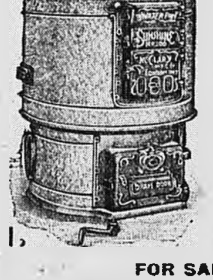
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All Wool Dress Serges

Good weight, 42 inches wide, colors, Navy, Brown, Copenhagen and Black, Per yard, $1.00 and $1.25.

All Wool Suiting Serges

Navy and Black, fast dyes, thoroughly shrunk, 60 to 56 inches wide. Per yard, $2.00, $2.75 and $3.50.

Colored All Wool Serges

Navy, Copenhagen, Nigger, Wine, Grey, Sand, Taupe and Green. No need to worry about these fading as they are the best product of the Bradford Dyers. 44 inches wide. Price $2.00.

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In three rich designs of Navy, Green and Brown tartans. A grand cloth for a separate skirt, 56 inches wide. Price per yard $2.00.

Wool Gabardine

A heavy dress fabric of fine even weave and fine twill finish. Looks well and wears the very best. Colors Navy, Brown, Myrtle, Wine, Rose and Black. Price per yard, $3.50.

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Small, medium and larger checks in three qualities, 40 to 56 inches wide. Per yard, **50c, 75c & $1.00.**

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And particularly good value at the price. Let us tell you something: its appalling, but true-the Fall price for white flannelette of this quality will be double. We have a limited quantity to offer at last season's price. The quality is soft and pure. Get all you are likely to need for the winter. It's a chance not to be missed.

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Men's Bathing Suits at $1.00, Boys' Bathing Suits at 75c, and 85c.

Men's Summer Combinations, short and long, open mesh and Balbriggan at $1.00, $1.25, $1.35 and $1.50 per suit.

All Summer Straws and Panamas at less than wholesale prices.

Canvas Work Gloves at 15c and 20c per pair.

Leather Work Gloves at 60c, 75c, 85c and $1.00.

Sale of Short Ends of all kinds. These will interest you.

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NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Pte. Alf. Stewart, of Cargill, spent Monday in town.

Miss Helen Bryce is visiting friends in Wiarton this week.

Mr. John Arscott spent last week with his son, Fred, at Toronto.

Pte. Percy Ruff, of Tara, spent a few days with his friend, Art. Farrer.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezbrook Norrish and child returned to Ottawa on Monday.

A newspaper to live must serve well, and to have influence must serve honestly.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Urstadt and Mr. and Mrs. Geiger of Elmwood visited at Mrs. P. Pletsch's on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bell and daughter Hazel, of Port Arthur, are visiting the former's mother, Mrs. Adam Bell.

Mr. John Wingefelder left on Saturday for Eyebrow, Sask., to look after the harvesting of the crop of his son, Roy.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Muter and family, who have been visiting at Mr. G. S Schwindt's, left this week for their home in Kitchener.

Rev. C. W. Cosens conducted sacrament service at Mildmay Methodist Church on Sunday. His work here was taken by Mr. H. W. Elliott.

Rev. and Mrs. R. M. Gale of Pinkerton, have returned from a short holiday at Inverburon and leave this week for the old farm at Alma where Mr. Gale will do his bit towards greater production for the remainder of his vacation.

Parents whose children reached the age of 16 years since Registration Day June 22nd, or will soon reach sixteen years of age, must take them to the post office and get out Registration Certificates as soon as possible. Parents failing to attend to this matter may get into trouble.

A man is to be hanged in St. John, N. B. for beating his wife to death. Some men never know when to quit. If he had beaten her within an inch of her life she would have got up as soon as she was able and gone to court and sworn that she got her injuries by tripping over the cat and falling down the cellar stairs.

A Rival Claimant

The Walkerton Telescope calls Bruce "the best county on the map." Is Simcoe beyond the range of the Telescope's vision?—Orillia Packet.

Recruits For Siberia

A Contingent, C. E. F., is to be mobilized for service in Siberia. Instructions have been received from Ottawa to proceed with recruiting for this Unit. One hundred men are required for the Infantry from Military District No 1. Returned soldiers physically fit and others not present liable under the Military Service Act, to be given first opportunity. Discharged soldiers re-enlisting will be given original Regimental Numbers. Applicants may apply to authorized Medical examiner in Military District No.1, for Medical examination.

Sergt. Ted. Wilhelm, of Guelph, spent the week-end under the parental roof.

Pte. Tom Smith, of the W. O. R., London, spent Sunday at his home in Carrick.

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Ellinghausen, Mrs. Schnurr and Miss Bertha motored to Owen Sound for the week-end.

Richard Wright, a young farmer living near Lucknow, was fined $10 for not carrying his military papers.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stephan motored to Toronto on Sunday accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Poucher, who have been visiting here.

Miss Muriel Pickard, of Wiarton, who has been visiting her uncle, Dr. W. B. Halladay, is visiting friends at Hanover for a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Paterson accompanied by the former's father, motored to Owen Sound on Sunday and spent the day with friends there.

Harold Paterson writes his people from France that he is well and fit with lots to do. For the first time in many months he was off on leave, spending the time at Paris. Harold, who is in the Forestry Corps, was recently promoted to Sergeant-Major.

Moves To Guelph

Mr. Ralph Terry, of the Bell Telephone Construction Dept., who was for several years connected with the Walkerton office, has been transferred from Fergus to Guelph.

Important Notice.

There is every probability that Harvester's Excursions to Western Canada after August 22nd. will be cancelled. Those intending to go west should leave on the first excursion. Dates of sale: From Toronto and east and north August 20th; From Toronto and west and south August 22nd Canadian Northern Ry. Special Trains leave Toronto Union Station 10.00 p.m. 20th. and 22nd.—R. L. Fairbairn, General Passenger Agent, Toronto, Ont.

Walkerton Bowling Tourney

The fifth annual bowling tournament of the Walkerton club will be held on Labor Day, September 2, and following days. All entries must be in by 10 a. m. on the opening day and games will start at 10.30 a. m. Secretary C. S. Stephan and President H. G. Hunter will be glad to receive entries before closing time. The Walkerton tourney is one of the best in Western Ontario, as was evidenced by the entry of 56 rinks last year. Visitors were delighted with the greens, the promptness in running off the games and the entertainment furnished by the local club. The umpires: W. H. Wright, Owen Sound; C. M. Bowman, Southampton; W. D. Cargill, Cargill; A. Merriam, Chatsworth; Dr. McGill, Mitchell; Dr. Pickering, Durham; R. W. Wilson, Fergus; I. Shoemaker, Paisley; S. Scott, Chesley; Dr. Ferguson, Teeswater; G. Robb, Clifford; I. J. Schilling, Hanover; J. Scales, Mount Forest; and G. W. Rounding, Grand Valley.

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Men's Balbriggan Underwear, all sizes. Men's and Boys' Straw Hats in Sailors and Snaps, Brims and Panamas. Men's fine Shirts and Work Shirts. Men's High Grade Neckwear. Men's and Boy's finishings.

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White Blouses
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Ladies' Hose
Ladies' Silk Hose in black, grey, champagne and brown, regular $1.25 for $1.00 per pair.

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Special in Summer Corsets, elastic top, low bust at $2.00 a pair.

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Extra heavy Duchess Silk, 40 in. wide, at $2.25 per yard.

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Yard wide Taffetta Silk in the newest shades of Navy, Black, Rose and Burgundy at $2.35 a yd.

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Ford Car For Sale

A Ford motor car for sale nearly new in first class running order. The property of the Children's Aid Society. Offers to be made in writing to the Rev. R. Perdue, Sec. to the Board.

Joe's Chum Wounded

Word has been received that Sam Wisler, who will be remembered as team partner with Joe Artmann in his funny stunts at the 160th concerts, was wounded about the same time that his comrade, Joe, made the supreme sacrifice.

Wounded In Knee

Mrs Hugh A Threndyle received a telegram on Friday from the record office at Ottawa, reporting that her husband, Pte. Threndyle, had been wounded by gunshot on the knee, and is now in hospital at Bristol, England. Pte Threndyle enlisted with the 160th Batt'n in 1916 and has been in France since March.

Broke His Arm

Wallace Johnston, the young son of Councillor Wm. Johnston of Brant, while attempting to jump from a wagon to the granary, missed his footing and fell to the ground breaking his arm below the elbow. Wallace had just passed the Entrance Examination and intended starting High School last week if the mishap had not occurred.

Walkerton's Allotment.

Mayor Johnston received word recently from the Fuel Controller that Walkerton's allotment of coal this year will be 3-20 tons; Less than one-half this amount has been received so far by the local dealers. The coal men have instructions to let no coal go out of town except under instructions from Chief Ferguson, the local fuel controller.

Herb Doing Well

Major Henderson had a cable on Monday from the Canadian Red Cross, London, Eng. in answer to his enquiry, stating that his son, Lieut. Herbert Henderson is in the Prince of Wales Hospital, Marylebone, London, Eng. and that the wound in his leg was progressing favorably.

Wounded In Back

Pte. Robert J Merchant of Walkerton, a former member of the 160th Batt'n, was reported wounded during the big drive. "Gunshot wound in back, penetrated" is the way the message read. Pte. Merchant's wife is a daughter of Mr and Mrs. Hunt, West Ward and live with her parents while her husband is Overseas.

Landed In France

Chief Ferguson had letters this week from his sons, Jack and Archie, stating that they had just landed in France and were on their way to the big doings. They spoke of the wonderful protection provided to the transports crossing the Channel by the British Navy. The Chief's eldest son, Robert, is still in the hospital recovering from the gas but is making progress.

Colt For Sale

One year and four months old. Apply to Chas. Schafter.

Maids Wanted

Kitchen maid and housemaid wanted at Bruce County Hospital. Apply to Miss Sutherland, Supt.

New Probationers

Three new probationers have been enrolled at the County Hospital, Misses Herbert of Georgetown, Sutherland of Galt, and Courtice of Bowmanville.

I. O. D. E. Bazaar

A Bazaar will be held by the I. O. D. E. in October and would the ladies of town and vicinity kindly be getting their contributions ready for the various booths.

No Gasoline Sunday

In order to conserve the supply of gasoline, at the request of the Imperial Oil Co., and Motor Leagues we will sell no gasoline on Sundays except where absolutely necessary—Kolpin & Ermel.

Wounded In Knee

Mr. Albert Batte received word from Ottawa last week that his son, Frank, had been wounded by gunshot in the knee on August 27th. Frank is now in the 3rd Canadian General Hospital at Boulogne the telegram stated.

Temperance Field Day

Next Sunday will be Field Day of the Dominion Alliance in Bruce County, and representatives of the Alliance will speak in 75 pulpits. Postmaster Jos. Gibson of Ingersoll, the well-known temperance orator will be at Walkerton and will speak in two of the town churches.

Wounded Second Time

A telegram received here Sunday stated that Stan. Johnston, son of Mr. David Johnston of Brant and a nephew of Mayor Andy Johnston, had been wounded in the arm. This is the second time Stan has been wounded since he went Overseas two years ago with a Toronto Battalion.

Taken Suddenly Ill

While driving to town recently with her husband, Mrs. John Richardson of Brant suddenly became unconscious. Mr. Richardson hurried to town and summoned a doctor, taking her to the home of her sisters, the Misses Thompson. Her condition is reported to be very serious, the doctor diagnosing her trouble as tumor on the brain.

Attractions At Hanover

Friday afternoon Sept. 27th Grand Balloon ascension and parachute drop. Hanover Ladies Gymnastic Club in Folk dances, Hornpipe dances, drills and club swinging. Hanover Musical Society Band. 2.50 class speeding in the ring contest $100 purse. Open Trot for Green Horses. Hitching race Grand concert in the Town Hall 8 p. m. Don't miss it. For prize list apply to S. B. Clarke Secy-Treas., Hanover, Ont.

NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Eight pages of local news.

Piukerton Fair, Friday Sept. 20th.

Mr. J. W. South was in Toronto on business last week.

Mr. Roy Wesley was a visitor in Toronto last week.

Mr. John Kappler was home from Hespler over the Holiday

Mr. Earl Obrecht of Palmerston visited his home here last week.

Mr. Matt Taggart is acting as relieving operator at Pamerston.

Mr. Jim Cameron, B. A. has been holidaying with his father in town.

Mr. Dave George spent Labour Day with friends at Toronto and Buffalo.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen J. Little of Brant were visitors in Toronto last week.

Miss Helen F. Brown of Chesley has been visiting her sister Mrs. Will Paterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Billing motored to Toronto and spent Labor Day at the Exhibition.

Barrister Neil Sinclair of Toronto is spending a couple of weeks at his old home here.

Mr. E. Weiss has secured the contract for painting North Brant and Chesley R. C. Churches.

Miss Nettie Goetz nurse in training of St. Joseph's Hospital, Hamilton is holidaying at her home here.

Miss Delia Kenny returned from London after an extended visit with relatives and friends there.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Sinclair of Cheltenham spent the week-end with the latter's father. Mr. J. W. South.

Mrs. Ralph Kreuger and Miss Barbara Wingefelder returned last week from a few days' visit to Toronto.

Mr. Harry S. Houston of Paisley came down with the bowlers Labor Day and spent a day or so in town.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Hoffman of Hanover spent a day recently with their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Justus Holm.

Miss Lawrence of Winnipeg spent the past week, the guest of her friend Miss Florence South at Otter Creek.

Mrs. Otto Klein entertained a number of ladies informally at her summer home on Friday.—Port Elgin Times.

Mr. J. E. McGregor and family motored to Stratford last week and spent Labor Day with relatives there.

Mrs. J. Rennie of Winnipeg is spending this week at the home of her brother in-law, Mr. Frank Rennie in Brant.

Mr. Frank VanHatten, who was here from Fort William visiting his mother Mrs. Beechie, returned home last Wednesday

Major Musgrove of Hanover, an officer well-known in Walkerton, has been killed in action. Word was received by his people on Saturday.

Eddie House who has been making his home with his uncle, Mr. Henry Ernest in Brant, left last week for Delhi, Ont. where he will live with his mother, Mrs. Wilson.

Pte. Arthur Farrar, who has been at the Guelph Convalescent Hospital since returning from Overseas recently, has been given his discharge from the army and has returned home.

Local news on all eight pages.

Thanksgiving Day Monday, October 14th.

Eldon Bell returned from Toronto this week.

Mr. Martin Drumm spent the week-end in Preston.

New Goods in and ready for business at "The Elite".

Read the special announcement in Stephan Bros. Ad.

Groceries at wholesale prices at Padbury's, Searle's old stand.

Miss Rita Weiler of Mildmay is attending High School here.

A writing paper bargain, read Bremner's Fair advertisement on page 4.

Eddie Ernewein and Levi Wilkin left on Tuesday for the West via C. P. R.

Master Norman McCarter left last week to take an office position at Toronto.

Messrs Edmund Ernewein and Roy McCarter left on Tuesday for Saskatoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Goetz and babe of Guelph spent last week at Mr. Goetz's old home here.

Mrs. P. Harrison, of Toronto, is spending two weeks with her daughter, Mrs. J. H. Appel.

Save up your odds and Ends for the Hospital Rummage sale to be held the first week in October.

Mrs. Anthony Schneider of Mildmay spent a few days of this week with her cousin, Mrs. Ed. McIntee.

Mr. J. H. Matson of Windsor, formerly of the Merchants Bank here, has been transferred to Brampton.

Come to the Baptist Church and enjoy a meat supper on Thursday 19th. from 5.30 to 7.00 o'clock, 35 cents.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Schneider of Mildmay spent Sunday with the latter's sister, Mrs. J. J. Schnurr and mother.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Brink and Rev Mr. Durrant of Teeswater were Labor Day visitors with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Appel.

Mr. Walter Hefferman returned to his home at Chapleau after spending a few weeks with his mother, Mrs. P. Hefferman.

Cadet Harold Lewis of the Royal Air Force, spent a few days last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Lewis.

Mr. Andrew O'Neill has returned from Port Elgin where he was the guest of Mr. Robt. Irwin for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bruder and son Jerome and Mr and Mrs. J. J. Schnurr and family spent Sunday with friends at Greenock.

Mr John H Stead and daughter, of Erie, Pa. are expected here by motor Wednesday night on a visit to the former's old home.

Mr. P. Bremner left for Toronto Monday morning on a buying trip along with other members of the Parsons Fair Syndicate.

Everything marked down to actual cost. Stock must be reduced within the next two weeks, at Padbury's, Searle's old stand.

Miss Ruth Kenney of the Western Hospital Toronto, is on a three weeks' vacation visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Kenny.

Mrs. Fox, the new Supt, of the Bruce County Hospital, is expected here from Toronto to-day. She will take charge on Monday when Miss Sutherland leaves for her home at Bradford.

Nelson Lay will leave on Saturday for Esquimalt, B. C., where he will enter as a student at the Canadian Naval Institute. Mr. Lay and Master John will accompany him up the Lakes as far as Fort William.

Mrs. Netzke, a soldier's wife living in the West Ward, laid a charge against her neighbor, Mrs. Banks, in Police Court charging her with using grossly insulting language. The Magistrate imposed a small fine.

Mr. and Mrs. James Crawford spent part of last week at Detroit visiting their son Harold, who expects to go Overseas shortly. They also visited friends at Pontiac, Mich. and while at Detroit took in the Michigan State Fair.

Miss Vera Norrish, B. A. has gone to Niagara to help pick fruit in connection with one of the women's patriotic orginistations. Miss Norrish who has been Mathematics teacher at Niagara Falls Collegiate Inst. for several years will take a rest from teaching the coming year.

KILLED IN ACTION



PTE. LEONARD HARRINGTON

Walkerton Soldier who fell in the Canadians' big drive on August 8th.

Another name was added last week to the list of gallant Bruce boys who fell in the Canadians' recent big drive. "Leonard Harrington killed in Action August 8th," was the message received by his mother, Mrs. C. Channing. Leonard was barely eighteen when he enlisted in the 160th. Batt'n. He had tried several times before to enlist but was not accepted on account of his age. Prior to that he was employed at the Canada Spool & Bobbin Co. He was a bright-faced cheery lad and everybody liked him. For three years he was a member of St. Thomas Church choir. All of Mrs. Channing's four boys joined the King's service and her husband is in Scotland with a Canadian Forestry Batt'n. The eldest boy, an electrician by trade, is now serving in the Royal Air Force in England. Philip served in the Royal Navy for three years and had to be invalided out on account of varicose veins. When war was declared he went to Tobermory with the Wireless Guard for six months and is now in a munition works. Reginald, the youngest, left home recently at sixteen years to join the Navy at Halifax where he is now a boy signaller. On Monday Mrs. Channing received a cablegram of sympathy from her husband in Scotland.

Pinkerton Fair Sept. 20th.

The Prize lists of Pinkerton Fair have been sent out by the Secretary, Mr. David Pinkerton. This Fair which is recognized as one of the best of the small shows will be held on Friday Sept. 20th.

Haircut Goes Up

Walkerton barbers have been threatening to raise their rates for years and at last they have come to it. A haircut now costs a quarter but a shave is still the old price. Practically every town on the map has had the quarter haircut for years.

Decorated Their Graves

The memory of those boys of the 160th Bruce Batt'n whose bodies rest in the old churchyard at Bramshott, Eng. was honored on the fourth anniversary of the war by the decorating of their graves with flowers. This thoughtful act was performed by a Walkerton young lady, Nursing Sister Jessie Wilson, daughter of Rev. Thos. Wilson, former pastor of Knox Church. Miss Wilson is at present on the staff of a Military Hospital at Bramshott.

Induction Service To-morrow

Rev. W. H. Burgess, B. A., B. D. of Chatham will be inducted as pastor at Knox Church to-morrow (Friday) afternoon at 4.30 o'clock. The Moderator, Rev. R. M. Gale, will constitute the Presbytery a few minutes before the hour. Rev Mr. Currie of Tara will preach the sermon. Rev. Dr. McDougall of St. Andrews, Saugeen, will address the congregation and Rev. Mr. Leslie, the veteran clerk of the Presbytery, has been appointed to address the minister. A reception will be tendered the new pastor in the evening.

Killed In Action

Mr. T. H. Hickling of Con. 12, Carrick, received a telegram on Wednesday of last week announcing that his gallant young son, Pte. Henry Steven Hickling had been killed in action. Steven was a fine young fellow 21 years of age. He enlisted on March 2nd, 1916 with the 160th Bruce Batt'n and went overseas with the Battalion in October of the same year. When the 160th was broken up he was transferred to the 47th Batt'n and went to France in March last. On August 18th he with others of Canada's noblest young sons, made the Supreme Sacrifice and now fills a hero's grave somewhere in France.

A Mannequin Parade

A representative of one of the biggest Dress Houses will show an extensive range of Coats and Dresses in New York and Paris styles. Coats, Dresses & Gowns, for street, afternoon and evening wear. These will be shown on Living Models—Professional and local. The show will be held in the I. O. D. E. Work room—Town Hall who will charge a small admission fee in aid of their work. Friday afternoon 3 to 5. Friday night 8 to 10 this week

Howard Granados Killed

A former Walkerton boy, Howard Granados, is reported to have died of wounds in France on August 20th. Howard was raised by his aunt, Mrs. John Foster of the Durham Road East, now of Tara, and enlisted early in the war as soon as he reached military age. Howard was a nice young chap and the news of his death was heard with deep regret by many old friends in Brant. His brother, Austin, who worked as a blacksmith in Walkerton a few years ago, is also Overseas.

Roy Oberle Gassed.

Mr. Andrew Oberle received a telegram on Tuesday from Ottawa informing him that his son, Corporal Roy Oberle, had been gassed and had been taken to the Hospital at Etaples, France, on Sept. 2nd. Roy has been on the firing line over two years with the 10th Trench Mortar Battery, 4th Division. Although engaged in very hazardous work this is the first time that his name has appeared on the casualty list. In fact he is the last of the seven Walkerton boys in the Battery to be wounded, four of the seven having been killed in action.

Expensive Rowdyism

A Cargill young woman, who came home from Guelph over the holiday, brought with her a friend, a returned soldier. On the arrival of the late train at the village a party of young hoodlums started a charivari and made things as disagreeable as possible for the pair. The result was that the young lady laid information before Magistrate Tolton, charging six young men with disorderly conduct and using grossly insulting language. The Magistrate fined them $1 and costs each, amounting in all to $24.90. One of the offenders was a returned soldier in uniform who is home on harvest leave.

Souvenirs Of The Drive

Mr. Con Reichenbach has received from his son, Joe, some interesting souvenirs of the big Canadian drive. The collection includes the ribbons from two Iron Crosses, a two mark banknote, some iron tenpenny bits which have replaced the nickel coin owing to the scarcity of metal in Germany. But the most highly prized souvenir is an official receipt in which the officer in charge of the Prisoners' Pen acknowledges receipt from Joseph Reichenbach of a batch of German prisoners composed of 1 officer and 18 men. This small document should make a great hit when Joe's grandchildren will ask him some day what he did in the great war. Joe is at present at Base Hospital, No. 45, recovering from a serious wound in the hand which he got on the second day of the drive. A piece of shell ripped his coat from elbow to wrist and would likely have taken his hand off, if the buckle on his wrist watch had not deflected its course slightly. His letter gives no particulars of the wound.

Heavy Fines For Aliens

Dominion Police Officer Stanley Russell, son of Ex-Reeve Rout. Russell and another officer have been up here the past week or so rounding up alien enemies who have not registered under the Alien Enemies Act. The first charges were laid against two Hanover men, Herman Mies and Otto Bleyer, employees of the Knechtel Furniture Co. of Hanover. They are both about 26 years of age. Magistrate Tolton fined them each $250. It is reported that the Knechtel firm is to be prosecuted for having men in their employ not registered. Rev. Ernest Denef, pastor of the Brant Lutheran Church was fined $250. and Wm. Huenemoeder, farmer of Brant, $200. Henry Oathoff of Hanover, was taken before the Magistrate at Hanover for not having his registration papers on his person and fined $50. He was then tried at Walkerton under the Alien Enemies Act and assessed $250. The arrests have caused quite a panic among aliens who had not registered. Yesterday three aliens came to Chief Ferguson to get their papers. Chief Heimrich of Hanover is said to have taken a special trip to Ottawa to get the necessary forms to enable them to keep out of the clutches of the law. In the case of prosecutions under the Alien Enemies Act the fines go to the municipality where the charge is laid. This means that the Town Treasury has been swollen to the extent of about $2500.00 the past week by alien fines.

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Night train, north bound—9.25 p.m

TOWNS SELL CHEAPER

Than The Big City Stores—Should Take Full Advantage Of Their Present Opportunity

The town merchant is being told every day by travellers, wholesalers, and observers of retail trade conditions that he can and does undersell the city departmental store at every turn. To most cautious and careful buyers this fact has been known ever since the departmental store reached out for rural business. But the method of the mammoth store was to iterate and reiterate its superiority and going into the homes of the people with its daily as well as semi-annual message it soon convinced buyers that its statements were authentic because these statements were seldom or never challenged by the provincial town merchant. The man who confined himself to one or two lines of merchandise, or even conducted a general store business, either could not or would not take up the issue so brazenly laid down in the catalogues of the departmental stores. Even now, when the mammoth store is encountering difficulty at every turn and is doing business under the greatest stress, the country merchants are not all taking advantage of the opportunity which is staring them in the face. In the years before war conditions arose the departmental store buyers went to Europe and there made bids in the open market for very large purchases of manufactured goods. The largest wholesalers did not place heavier orders than the departmental store buyers placed. The result was that when the enormous overhead expense of the big store had been included in the profits necessary on these foreign purchased goods the selling price was not any better than the country merchant placed on his goods after purchasing them from the wholesaler. But the big store offered variety, and it also issued colored plates which went into the homes of the people and under the evening light at leisure the new gowns and the new things in wearing apparel were viewed. Now, it is no longer possible for the departmental store buyer to go to Europe to make his purchases; he must buy on the continent of America and he is forced to take his proportion of available goods along with the smaller merchant who has long been a customer of those manufacturers and who gets the preference. This is more than probably the reason for an existing condition which is evoking comment all over the country, namely, that the town and country stores have nicer, better made and better quality wearing apparel for man, woman and child than the mammoth city stores are showing. Probably many of our readers have heard this comment: It has been made in our office more than once and the merchants are hearing it every day. Yet the big city stores are issuing their catalogues the same as usual and are doing the best they can in the way of substitutes to hold the trade. The merchants throughout the province all know this, and many of the buyers know it. But there are hundreds of thousands of buyers who do not know it and unless the merchants take some means to inform the buying public the purchasers of goods are not going to be made aware of this existing condition. The merchant is the vitally interested one and it is he who must institute and prosecute the publicity campaign. Unless he does so his greatest competitor is going to retain the custom and the greatest opportunity to expand that the town man has had in a century will be lost.

Col. Bain Stricken

Col. George W. Bain, the Veteran Kentucky orator whose lecture at the Chautauqua here was so greatly enjoyed, was stricken with paralysis while addressing a large crowd at Sarnia last week and removed to the General Hospital. For forty years the colonel has been one of the foremost lecturers on the American platform and his life-work counted strongly in the interest of good citizenship.

Speaks For Labor

Mr. Frank Morrison, son of Mr. Christy Morrison, East Ward, in speaking at Washington before a Committee of Congress on behalf of the American Federation of Labor, opposed the work-or-fight provision on, saying:—

"It would make the world and our Allies believe our men are slackers," he said. "It is not asked by the Government, which is not exercised over the Industrial conscription. Who is asking for this legislation? Is it the Colorado Fuel Company or the great Steel Trust?

"Labor has kept faith. Labor conscription is not asked by the Government, and is not necessary. This is the United States; not Germany. "If enacted the amendment would be used by every unfair profiteering employer. It is being used to-day by the Bethlehem Company. Understand, I want it made clear that we do not protest against the men going back to fight, but against placing an employer in a position to brand his employees as slackers."

SOLDIER HERO HONORED AT MEMORIAL SERVICE

"I feel more than ever before, out here in the turmoil of battle, the realization that the Lord God is my refuge and that beneath me are the everlasting arms."

The foregoing was an excerpt from the last letter written home by Capt. Dr. Malcolm McKechnie, of this town, who died of wounds in France on August 8 and which was quoted by Rev. G. C. Rock at a memorial service in the Walkerton Baptist and Christian Church. Capt. McKechnie was a member of the Baptist Church and was preparing to leave for the foreign field as a medical missionary when the war broke out.

The service was most impressive and the church was crowded, every seat being occupied. The church was beautifully decorated in purple and white and there were many floral decorations as well.

Rev. McLennan who had known Capt. McKechnie since childhood, sketched his career very feelingly, and Rev. J. W. Sanderson also assisted in the Service. Capt. McKechnie was only 29 years old, and was beloved by all classes of people.

PRESENTATION TO PRIN. RANKIN

(Port Elgin Times)

In the Oddfellow's Hall on Monday evening a very pleasant affair took place when the members of the lodge presented Bro. Thomas Rankin with a very handsome Past Grand regalia on the eve of his removal to Walkerton where he has been appointed principal of the public school.

The presentation was made by Noble Grand Bro. E. Fisher in a few well chosen words. Bro. Rankin made a very suitable reply. A number of the brothers present expressed their appreciation of Bro. Rankin's many years of untiring service to the lodge, as recording secretary and other offices and their regret that he would not be able to be with us for a time.

Then, on the invitation of Bro. Rankin all the brothers present adjourned to Bro. McMurray's ice cream parlor and partook of the good things there.

"ACRES OF DIAMONDS"

It was a curious, but not less happy, coincidence that on the very day between two and three tons of departmental store catalogues were spread around Owen Sound Dr. Russell H. Conwell was here to warn the people, in his lecture "Acres of Diamonds," against succumbing to the temptations of the far off field. The lessons of his talk, that there is danger, while seeking wealth or greatness far away, of overlooking and losing the equal or greater opportunities that lie at our doors, may well be applied to the case of the departmental store. It sends out its bait in the form of a tempting catalogue, and many a buyer, imbued with the mistaken idea that nothing local can be as good as what comes from outside swallows the hook—sends his order and his money to the outsider. The lesson for the buyer is plain—it is let not the glamor of the big town store, with its fancy catalogue, blind him to the fact there are, only a few blocks away, merchants just as able and just as ready to serve him.—Owen Sound Advertiser.

Will it be the swords or pistols of the old fashioned fisticuffs when the doughty Major Moffatt and that horny-handed son of toil, Frank Rennie, meet when the three soldiers return from New Ontario and give their report on Shackleton Township, the Soldiers' Paradise? If the Major accepts that offer from the American Army to get into the larger scrap, Frank will be satisfied and the local war will be over.—Chesley Enterprise.

Knocked on the Head

The Owen Sound Sun knocks the old legend that if it rains on St. Swithin's Day it will rain every day for forty days. It rained that day in Owen Sound this year, says The Sun, and has not rained one day in ten since. So with many other superstitions, that can have no basis in science or common sense.

Suggestion For Prep. League

One of the things which should concern the Bruce Preparedness League is the return to the county of many wounded soldiers, the number of which will increase weekly until the war ends. Up to now the only consideration given by the League has been to a visionary scheme advanced to settle returned soldiers on "community" farms in Northern Ontario. This scheme may concern a few of the soldiers who come back strong and able. There will be many return disabled in various degrees. These men need special consideration, and the League's good offices will be required to help these men get back into their former positions or into occupations for which they are fit. The government is prepared to give them vocational training but the League could be of good service in finding suitable positions for Bruce boys in Bruce County.—Port Elgin Times.

BECOMING A BIGGER MINDED MAN

What is the difference between some men you know and others known to you? Why are some men earning $3,000 a year and some $30,000? You can't put it down to heredity or better early opportunities, or even better education. What, then, is the explanation of the stagnation of some men and the elevation and progress of others?

We are reminded of a story. A railroad man, born in Canada, was revisiting his home town on the St. Lawrence River. He wandered up to a group of old-timers who sat in the sun basking in blissful idleness. "Charlie," said one of the old men, "they tell me you are getting $20,000 a year." Something like that," said Charlie. Well, all I've got to say, Charlie, is that you're not worth it."

A salary of $20,000 a year to these do nothing men was incredible. Not one of the group had ever made as much as $2,000 a year, and each man in the company thought that he was a mighty good man.

Charlie had left the old home town when he was a lad. He had got into the mill of bigger things. He developed to be a good man, a better man, the best man for certain work. His specialized education, joined to his own energy and labor sent him up, up, up. To put it in another way; Charlie had always more to sell, and the world wanted his merchandise—brain, skill and ability. Having more to sell all the time he got more pay all the time.

Charlie could have stayed in the old home town; could have stagnated like others; could have been content with common wages. In short, Charlie could have stayed with the common crowd at the foot of the ladder. But Charlie improved himself, and this type of man the Goddess of Fortune likes to take by the hand and lead onward and upward.

Almost any man can climb higher if he really wants to try. None but himself will hold him back. As a matter of fact, the world applauds and helps those who try to climb the ladder that reaches towards the stars.

The bank manager in an obscure branch in a village can get out of that bank surely and swiftly if he makes it clear to his superiors that he is ready for larger service and a larger sphere. The humble retailer can burst the walls of his small store, just as Timothy Eaton did, if he gets the right idea and follows it. It is not a matter of brain or education so much as of purpose joined to energy and labor. The salesman, or editor, or manager, or bookkeeper, or secretary, can lift himself to a higher plane of service and rewards if he prepares himself diligently for larger work and pay—all can become enlarged in the nature of their enterprise and in the amount of their income—by resolutely setting themselves about the task.

No Meat Restriction For Threshers

The farmers in the neighborhood of St. Thomas in response to a telegram sent the Chairman of the Food Board, for instructions have been advised that the regulations governing public eating houses are not intended to apply to threshing gangs. The farmers desired to be informed if they might serve meat to the threshing gangs on Wednesdays and Fridays under the same conditions as other days. The gangs comprise some fifteen men and their work being long hours and strenuous they felt the need of meat.

The Local Merchant's Best Weapon

A writer in The Furniture Journal dealing with the question of "Meeting the Mail Order Man," says:

"The only way to meet him is to meet him on his own ground. This the small town merchant sometimes feels is difficult when it comes to prices, but if you will take a mail order catalogue and go over it carefully you will find the prices, are not so tempting, on the whole, as the people have in mind. And it is well that you should acquaint yourself with the prices, so that if you can you may meet them. There will always be a leader or two or a feature article that the mail order house may use that may be hard to meet; still it will be possible to make some kind of a compromise, even though you may have to cut your price on that article pretty fine.

"But the greatest weapon with which to meet the mail order man is ADVERTISING. And you should look upon advertising as a service to the public. If you have value to offer and sell to the public you should consider it your duty to acquaint the public with that fact, and the only way to do that is by advertising. I have always contended that the professional ethics of the physician which prohibits him from advertising is wrong. If a doctor has a remedy for some ailment and there should be a man suffering around the corner near him, does he not owe it as a service of duty to make that fact known to that man for humanity's sake if not for business reasons? It is claimed by the profession that advertising promotes fakirs. Not so, any more than advertising of merchandise promotes fakirs. If all advertised, only the reliable would survive."

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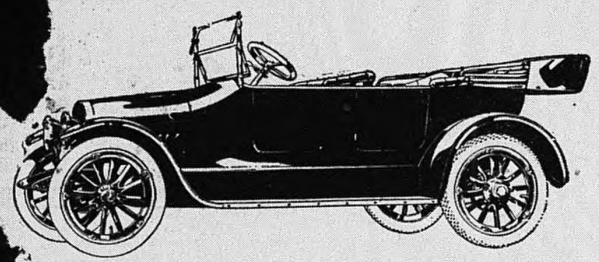
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So the less each individual takes for himself or herself for personal use the more effort will there be left for fighting and winning the war.

Every cent you spend represents that much effort because somebody must do something for you in order to earn that cent—somebody's effort must be given to you instead of to the war.

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Bowling Tourney Scores

Trophy, Preliminary

Paisley.		Wroxeter.
Allan	13	McTavish 12
Teeswastr.		Chesley.
Brink	12	Scott 11
Cargill.		Owen Sound.
Fowlie	11	Field 10
Owen Sound		Cargill.
Batchelior	15	Loughleen 10
Teeswater.		Walkerton.
Richardson	14	Lay 13
Wroxeter.		Hanover.
Vanvelsor	14	Scarboro 11
Hanover.		Clarksburg.
Zinn	12	Brown 11
Teeswater.		Walkerton.
Ferguson	20	Krueger 9
Hanover.		Wroxeter.
Huether	17	Durst 14
Goderich.		Durham.
Hunter	11	Goodchild 9
Cargill.		Chesley.
Loughlin	13	Nichol 10
Walkerton.		Hanover.
Pye	15	Wright 14
Durham.		Mount Forest.
Hunter	14	Scales 12
Guelph.		Paisley.
Huether	18	Shoemaker 12
Orangeville.		Owen Sound.
Greenis	14	Bonnell 8

Trophy, First Round

Owen Sound.		Harriston.
Moffat	14	Ireland 10
Hanover.		Port Elgin.
Schilling	18	Scott 17
Walkerton.		Chesley.
McNab	17	Reid 11
Walkerton.		Chatsworth.
Benninger	14	Merriam 10
Southampton.		Wiarton.
McCauley	14	Jermyn 12
Teeswater.		Walkerton.
Kennedy	18	McBurney 10
Walkerton.		Southampton.
Rourke	18	Shortt 15
Orangeville		Hensall
Greenis	10	McDonald 12
Mount Forest.		Hanover.
Corcoran	18	Henning 15
Teeswater.		Paisley.
Brink	14	Allen 12
Owen Sound.		Teeswater.
Batcheller	14	Fowlie 11
Teeswater.		Wroxeter.
Richardson	17	Vanvelsor 15
Hanover.		Teeswater.
Zinn	19	Ferguson 17
Goderich.		Hanover.
Hunter	17	Huether 15
Cargill.		Walkerton.
Loughlin	11	Pye
Guelph.		Durham.
Huether	11	Hunter 10

Second Round

Teeswater.		Owen Sound.
Brink, sk	15	Bachelor, sk 20
Teeswater		Hanover.
Richardson, sk	13	Zinn, sk 10
Goderich.		Cargill.
Hunter, sk	20	Loughleen, sk 14
Guelph.		Hensall.
Huether, sk	12	McDonald, sk 16
Owen Sound.		Hanover.
Moffat, sk	21	Schilling, sk 16
Walkerton		Walkerton
McNab	10	Benninger 18
Southampton		Teeswater
McAuley	13	Kennedy 10
Walkerton		Mt. Forest
Rourke	15	Corcoran 16

Third Round

Owen Sound.		Hanover
Bachelor, sk	18	Zinn, sk 10
Goderich.		Hensall.
Hunter, sk	14	McDonald, sk 15
Owen Sound.		Walkerton.
Moffat, sk	8	Benninger, sk 16
Southampton.		Mount Forest.
McAuley, sk	7	Corcoran, sk 15

Fourth Round

Owen Sound.		Hensall.
Bachelor, sk	15	McDonald, sk 16
Walkerton.		Mount Forest.
Benninger, sk	10	Corcoran, sk 12

Finals

Hensall.		Mount Forest.
McDonald, sk	19	Corcoran, sk 21

ASSOCIATION

First Round

Chesley.		Wroxeter.
Scott	17	McTavish 10
Owen Sound.		Cargill.
Field	23	Loughleen 8
Hanover.		Walkerton.
Scarboro	20	Lay 18
Clarksburg.		Walkerton.
Brown	17	Krueger 5
Wroxetor		Durham
Durst	15	Goodchild 19
Chesley		Hanover
Nichol	9	Wright 18
Mt. Forest		Paisley
Scales	13	Shoemaker 10
Owen Sound		Orangeville
Bonnell	13	Green 11
Harriston		Port Elgin
Ireland	8	Scott 17
Chesley		Chatsworth
Reid	18	Merrian 7
Wiarton		Walkerton
Jermyn	13	McBurney 11
Southampton		Hanover
Shortt	15	Henning 16
Paisley		Cargill
Allen	19	Fowlie 10
Wroxetor		Teeswater
Vanvelsor	18	Ferguson 17
Hanover		Walkerton
Huether	16	Pye 11

Hunter, Durham bye

Second Round

Chesley.		Owen Sound.
Scott	11	Field 13
Hanover.		Clarksburg
Scarboro	12	Brown 18
Durham.		Hanover.
Goodchild	12	Wright 16
Mount Forest.		Owen Sound.
Scales	10	Bonnell 8
Port Elgin		Chesley
Scott	18	Reed 15
Wiarton.		Hanover.
Jermyn	11	Henning 8
Paisley.		Wroxetor.
Allen	18	Vanselsor 10
Hanover.		Durham.
Heuther	12	Hunter 5
Brink of Teeswater, a bye.		
Cargill.		Guelph.
Loughleen	15	Heuther 11
Hanover		Walkerton
Schilling	14	McNab 12
Teeswater		Walkerton
Kennedy	13	Rourke 9

Third Round

Owen Sound		Clarksburg
Field	12	Brown 10
Hanover		Mount Forest
Wright	10	Scales 12
Port Elgin		Wiarton
Scott	14	Jermyn 13
Paisley		Durham
Allan	16	Hunter 5
Teeswater		Cargill
Brink	10	Loughleen 12
Hanover		Teeswater
Schilling	13	Kennedy 12
Hanover		Goderich
Zinn	12	Hunter 18

McAuley defaulted to Moffatt.

Fourth Round

Owen Sound		Mount Forest
Field	13	Scales 14
Port Elgin		Paisley
Scott	12	Allan 11
Cargill		Hanover
Loughleen	12	Schilling 14
Owen Sound		Goderich
Moffatt	10	Hunter 13
Walkerton		Owen Sound
Benninger	15	Batchelor 11

Fifth Round

Mount Forest		Port Elgin
Scales	8	Scott 12
Hanover		Walkerton
Schilling	17	Benninger 19

Hunter, Goderich a bye.

Sixth Round

Walkerton		Goderich
Benninger	12	Hunter 10

Scott of Port Elgin a bye

Finals

Port Elgin		Walkerton
Scott	11	Benninger 19

CONSOLATION

First Round

Wroxeter.		Cargill
McTavish	10	Laughleen 15
Walkerton.		Walkerton.
Lay	9	Krueger 17
Wroxeter.		Chesley.
Durap	10	Nicholl 16
Paisley.		Orangeville.
Shoemaker	12	Greenis 11
Harriston		Chatsworth
Ireland	14	Merrian 16
Walkerton.		Southampton.
McBurney	12	Scott 10
Cargill.		Teeswater.
Fowlie	8	Ferguson 10

Pye, Walkerton, bye.

Second Round.

Cargill.		Walkerton.
Laughleen	8	Krueger 14
Chesley.		Paisley
Nicholl	18	Shoemaker 20
Chatsworth		Walkerton
Merrian	8	McBurney 9
Cargill.		Walkerton.
Fowler		Pye 12
Chesley.		Hanover.
Scott	15	Scarboro 17
Durham.		Owen Sound
Goodchild	10	Bonnell 12

Reid of Chesley defaulted to Henning of Hanover.

Wroxeter.		Hanover.
Vanvelsor	7	Heuther 5

Heuther of Guelph, a bye.

Walkerton		Walkerton.
McNab	13	Rourke 14

Third Round

Walkerton.		Paisley
Krueger	21	Shoemaker 10
Walkerton.		Cargill.
McBurney	15	Fowler 12
Hanover.		Owen Sound.
Scarboro	15	Bonnell 13

Vanvelsor of Wroxetor defaulted to Henning of Hanover.

Heuther of Guelph defaulted to Rourke of Walkerton.

Clarksburg.		Wiarton
Brown	10	Jermyn 8
Teeswater.		Hanover
Kennedy	13	Zinn 14

Fourth Round

Walkerton.		Walkerton.
Krueger	8	McBurney 14
Hanover.		Hanover
Scarboro	12	Henning 13
Walkerton.		Clarksburg
Rourke	12	Brown 8

Hanover—Zinn, by default.

Batchelor defaulted to Moffatt

Paisley		Cargill.
Allen	10	Loughleen 15

Fifth Round

Walkerton.		Hanover.
McBurney	12	Scarboro 10
Walkerton		Hanover
Rourke	13	Zinn

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TOWN AND DISTRICT NEWS

Local news on all eight pages.

Miss Amelia Weber spent Sunday with friends at Chesley.

Miss Mary Clonogh of Mount Forest is visiting her aunt, Mrs. T Halliday.

Mrs. Thos. Rankin left on Tuesday on a week's visit to friends at Port Elgin.

Messrs Levi Wilkin and Harvey Miller spent a few days of last week at Kitchener.

The new pastor of Geneva Presbyterian Church, Chesley, will be Rev. J. A. Tuer of Aurora.

Mr. Ross Woodman of Montreal is spending two weeks' holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Woodman.

Mr and Mrs Charles Eckenswiller, Mr and Mrs George Eckenswiller, Mrs Wm Gillen and Mary went on a motor trip to Kitchener, Preston and [illegible]

Mr. and Mrs. Crasser of Kitchener and Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Duering of Waterloo were week-end visitors with Mr. and Mrs. George Bruder.

Major John Henderson and Mr. Frank Smith left Tuesday afternoon on a three weeks' trip down East. They intend visiting Major Henderson's old home town of Huntingdon, Que.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Walford and little daughter, of Hespeler, who were visitors at Mr. E. Walford's last week are spending the remaining week of their holidays on a trip to the Thousand Islands and Montreal.

A party composed of Messrs. Robt. Irwin, A. O'Neill, Major Henderson and Mayor Johnston motored over to Hanover one day last week to witness a friendly trial of speed between Robt. Irwin's trotter, Midnight Ore and Kelly Lines' horse, Oliver S. The Walkerton horse proved an easy winner, doing the mile in about 2.30.

Broke His Collar-Bone

Mr. Robert Bremner of Wiarton, brother of Mr. P. Bremner of this town had the misfortune to fall off a shed at the rear of his store at Wiarton last week and fracture his collar-bone.

Brother Died Suddenly

Mr. W. H. Elliot, Children's Aid Inspector returned on Tuesday from Ottawa where he had been called owing to the death of a brother, who passed away very suddenly from an attack of pneumonia following an operation. Mr. Elliott's mother was also very ill from the shock but is now much improved.

Seventy-Eight Years Young

Congratulations to our good friend, Ex-Mayor R. H. McKay on passing his seventy-eighth milestone. Mr. McKay has retained a youthful spirit which defies the ravages of time and causes the years to sit lightly upon his shoulders. We unite with his many friends in wishing him many more happy healthful returns of the anniversary.

BORN

PARTRIDGE—At Fairview Farm, Barrie, on August 30th, 1918, to Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Partridge (nee Ruth Howie, Walkerton), a son (Donald James Howie).

McCALLUM—In Brant, on Tuesday, Sept. 10th., 1918, to Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm A. McCallum, a daughter.

LETTNER—In the Bruce Co. Hospital on Tuesday, Aug. 27th, to Councillor and Mrs. George Lettner, a daughter.

SEEGMILLER—In Carrick, on Sept. 4th, to Mr. and Mrs. Adam Seegmiller jr. a son.

POLFUSS—In Carrick, on Sept. 2nd to Mr. and Mrs. John Polfuss, a daughter.

Sergt. McFadden, a former 160th man, has been reported killed in action.

Miss Adelina Firstbrook leaves this Thursday for Bishop Bethune College, Oshawa.

Miss Eva Royce of Hanover is holidaying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Royce.

Miss Morrison of the Hospital staff is spending two weeks' holidays at her home at Harriston.

Rev. J. R. Hall, B. A. pastor of Knox Church, Sarnia, is visiting his brother, Dr. W. A. Hall.

Mrs. M. G. Woodman has returned home from a three weeks' visit to her daughter, Mrs. Pardy at Smiths Falls.

Miss Daisy Hall and Miss Lillian Pettepiace of Toronto are spending the week with Miss Ethel Pettepiace.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Ellis and Miss Bertha Ernest of Owen Sound, spent Labor Day with relatives and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Speirs and family arrived home on Thursday from an enjoyable trip to Toronto, Niagara Falls and other points.

Miss Pearl Wright of Owen Sound, and Miss Irene Schwark of Hanover spent Labor Day with their friend, Miss Florence Bolden.

Mr. E. H. Leeson, Jack and Florence arrived home last week from a pleasant holiday at Mr. Leeson's old home at Culloden, near Aylmer.

Mr Harry A Stephan left last week for Castor, Alta., to join Mrs Stephan, little daughter Mary, and Miss McCormick who have been visiting their brother there since June. They expect to return home to Walkerton in about a month.

Bran Not A Substitute

Mr. Harry Pletsch informs the Telescope that according to the latest ruling of the Food Board the ordinary commercial feedstuffs such as bran and shorts must not be classed as substitutes. Corn flour, rye flour, and oatmeal are the recognized substitutes. Dealers are instructed to sell 25 lbs. of substitute with every 100 lbs. of flour.

Off For Siberia

A large gathering of young people took place at the home of Mr. Rats on Monday evening of last week in honor of Mr. Wilfred Damm, who was home from London on last leave before leaving with the Canadian Expedition for Siberia. Wilfred was presented with an address, a testament and a wristwatch on behalf of the Young People of the Evangelical Church and other friends by Rev. J. H. Grenzebach. The company numbering about sixty-five all united in wishing this popular young soldier success and a safe return.

Local news on all eight pages.

Miss Helen Royce spent Labor Day with relatives in Cargill.

Miss Ruths Schwindt spent a few days of this week in Hanover.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex McNab and family spent Labor Day in Elora.

Miss Clara Kerney spent Labor Day with friends in Southampton.

Miss Katherine Attwood spent the past week at Toronto Exhibition.

Pte. Ralph Atkinson of London, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Williams.

Mrs. Gammond, who has been visiting friends in town, returned home this week to the West.

More than 3,800 Canadians have left the Canadian service to take commissions in the British army.

Joe Nixon of Lucknow, a former 160th Batt'n member, was reported wounded in Monday's casualty lists.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McGregor and family motored to Harriston Sunday on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Pritchard.

Mr. J. H Spence was up from Toronto over the week-end, and the family all returned by motor to Toronto the first of this week.—Southampton Beacon.

Mr Jacob Tschirhardt, who has been living at Formosa since Spring where he has bought a property, left this week on a visit to his brother, Albert, at Walpole, Sask.

Mr. John Wallace of Paris, an old Walkerton boy, left last week on a visit to his brother, Robert, at Flint, Mich. expecting while there to meet his sister, Mrs. Wilcox of Yankton, S. Dakota, whom he has not seen for thirty years.

Inspector John McCool and son, Bryan, spent last week up in the Bruce Peninsula, where Mr. McCool inspected a number of schools. They brought back as a souvenir of the trip the rattles off a large rattle snake which they encountered near Tobermory

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Mair and three children of Windsor were visitors last week with Mrs. Mair's parents, Prin. and Mrs. Rankin. Mr. Mair is engaged in the manufacturing business in Detroit. This was his first visit to Walkerton and he was greatly taken with the natural beauty and substantial appearance of the town.

Mr. Dick Lee enjoyed a visit on Sunday from an old school chum, Mr. Clegborn of Elmira, who motored over with his son and spent the afternoon here. It was at a little old school at Crossbill in Waterloo County that these two school-mates used to dodge the birch rod. It was thirty-five years since they had met.

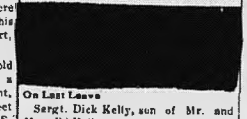
SUCCESSFUL TOURNEY

Forty-Seven Rinks from all parts of Western Ontario in the Big Annual Bowling Feature

Walkerton's big Tourney which has come to be recognized as an important annual fixture among the bowling fraternity throughout Western Ontario was as usual a splendid success. No less than forty seven rinks participated, and thanks to choice weather, a good green, and good management the bowlers found conditions pretty nearly ideal and all appeared to have an Al time. The chief prize of the tournament went to Corcoran of Mount Forest. A feature this year was the way the home club, which in the past have been consistent losers got in on the prizes, both Benninger's and McBurney's rink scoring.

The prize-winners were as follows:—Trophy, Corcoran of Mount Forest; 2nd, McDonald, Hensall; Association, Albert Benninger of Walkerton; 2nd, Scott, Port Elgin; Consolation, Moffat, Owen Sound; 2nd, W. H. McBurney, Walkerton.

President H. G. Hunter and Secretary C. S. Stephan were well pleased with the success of the tourney. The arranging of the drafts were in the capable hands of Messrs A. Collins, Geo. D. McKay, and L. H. McNamara. The scores are published on page 3 of this week's Telescope.



On Last Leave

Sergt. Dick Kelly, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kelly, was up from London last week on last leave. Dick has joined the Siberia Contingent and expects to go with draft very soon.

Good Work Appreciated

The Hospital Board instr[illegible] Secretary at the last meeti[illegible] night to send the followi[illegible] appreciation to the retirin[illegible] Sutherland:—The Board o[illegible] press their regret that th[illegible] to lose your valuable [illegible] carrying on the work of [illegible]al. Your regard for econo[illegible]iency of management to[illegible] devoted and skillful serv[illegible] patients are gratefully ack[illegible] both by the boardand the people of this community. Wishing you all happiness and prosperity. On behalf of the Board (signed) D. Traill, Chairman. H. M[illegible] Lay Sec. Treas.

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Resignation Accepted

At a meeting of the Board of the Children's Aid Society held on Tuesday afternoon, a resolution was passed that owing to the financial stringency, the resignation of Inspector W. H. Elliott, be accepted with great regret. Mr. Elliott will remain in Walkerton until Sept. 30th. It is understood he intends going into the ministry.

Visited Labrador

Mrs. E. Myles is expected home today from a trip down the St. Lawrence where she went six weeks ago on a visit to her brother who is electrical supt. of the industries on Anticosti Island. While there Mrs. Myles had the unexpected pleasure of an ocean trip in company with some friends to the Northern Coast of Labrador, via the Straits of Belle Isle.

Removed To St. Thomas

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Searle and family left last week for St Thomas where Mr. Searle has taken a good position with the Imperial Milling Co., a large concern with which he was connected a few years ago. At the Methodist Sunday School last Sunday the Supt, Mr John McCool, expressed regret on behalf of the school at the removal of Mr. Searle and his family. He referred to Mr. Searle's excellent and faithful work as Asst. Supt. for several years and also to his valued service on the different Boards of the Church.

Malcolm McKechnie's Fate

Mr D. McKechnie has received particulars of the death of his son, Capt. (Dr.) McKechnie, who died of wounds in France on August 8th. It appears that the Canadians were just moving into their places about midnight of the 7th to await the zero hour for the big drive when Capt. McKechnie's car was blown up by a mine on the roadway. Both feet and his hip are mentioned as being in the path of the exploding mine. At eight o'clock a. m. he was brought into a hospital in a serious condition and at half past ten o'clock he passed away. One of the letters states he was quite bright but sent no message. Just the day before he wrote his parents a few lines saying he was very busy and did not say when he could write. "Hope to have grand news soon," he concluded.

Death Of Willie Damm.

The death occurred on Sunday morning, Sept. 8th of Willie Damm, the eighteen year old son of John Damm, formerly of Walkerton. He had been suffering since last June from catarrh of the stomach. The trouble was caused by a blow in the stomach while playing football at the Deaf & Dumb Institute at Belleville. A bad attack of scarlet fever when he was two years old left Willie deaf and dumb, but the past four years he had been attending the Institute where he made excellent progress. He passed his High School Entrance Examination and was about to start learning a trade when illness overtook him. During his course he recovered his speech and was very quick to learn, and gave promise of a useful career in spite of his handicap. His death is deeply mourned. His brothers and sisters surviving are;— Harvey of Walkerton; George of Wingham; Wilfred of London Training Camp; Marvel of Ayton; Cora, Emerson and Howard of Chesley. Funeral service was conducted on Monday afternoon by J. H. Grenzebach, pastor of the Evangelical Church, interment being made in Walkerton Cemetery.

Harriston Loses Heavily

No less than twenty-four soldiers boys from the little town of Harriston have been killed in battle. One of the latest was Raymond Pritchard, the twenty year old son of Mayor J. J. Pritchard, a former business partner of Mr. J. E. McGregor.

Attendance Good

Prin. Morgan reports the attendance at the opening of the High School very promising. The Mathematics and Science Departments are in charge of two new teachers, Mr. Geo. W. Robb, B. A. and Miss Traver, B. A.

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Happenings of the Week Collected for the Readers of The Telescope by a Staff of Wideawake Co

BRANT AVENUE

as the holiday season is over schools have all resumed their gain we are here again on our job of corresponding for the ho like to read of the happen- ar home.

Threshing and fall ploughing is the rder of the day. There were quite a few stacks of grain out in this vicinity and most of them are threshed and the grain and straw stored inside in the ry for the coming winters provision the live stock.

large number of farmers through- ibia section who are members of Dunkeld Farmers Club had a supply eed such as bog meal, linseed etc. shipped to Dunkeld lately as is a big saving in buying carload ts.

he root crops have certainly im- ed wonderfully by the recent rains he corn crop is up pretty high dig it and we hope the frosts will t for at least 6 weeks for we like to see all the vegetables in dens come to maturity as the supply is needed badly by all pecially these hard times, we must ht against the H. C. of L.

Up till a few weeks ago a youth from neighboring hamlet not far distant ade regular trips this way to see hat he called "Lovie" and after goin disappointed a few times over here this young lady keeping company with a friend of his from the same town had the joke over him. He fin- ally got discouraged with such poor success in that line of business and has quit his trips by letting the other fel- low wear out livery rigs, bicycle tires, and expensive shoes. We don't blame him, no show, no expenses.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ernst spent Sun- at the home of the latter's father n Chepstow.

Frank Sutter made a flying tri in the direction of Chepstow on Sunday. He must have fared pretty good as he looked very pleasant next day.

Mr. Jack Forsythe who has taken Mr. Leonard Long's place on his farm this summer has traded jobs by taking Len's place on the cream route. A change is counted as good as a rest.

CHEPSTOW

Jim Coumans and Ed. McNab left on Monday to resume their studies at St. Michael's College, Toronto.

Miss Loretta Mahoney of Walkerton is spending a few weeks' holidays with her grandmother, Mrs. Golden.

Miss Lydia Massel spent Labor Day at her home here.

Sergt. Geo. O'Neill of London spent a few days last week with friends in this vicinity.

Miss Kate Wagner of Walkerton Sundayed at her home here.

Mr. John Coumans returned last week after a few week's visit with his daughter, Mrs. Albert Boegel of Regina.

The engagement was announced from the R. C. pulpit here on Sunday of Miss Irene, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mich- ael McNab and Anthony, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Wingefelder of Walker- ton.

Mr. and Mrs. Con. Mullin motored to Hanover on Saturday and are spending a few days with friends in that vicinity.

Mr. Frank Phelan left on Monday for his former position as teacher at Galt.

Mr. Edgar Massell took in the Tor- onto Exhibition last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Keip of Port Elgin and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Huck of Walk- erton motored here on Sunday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Tony Fritz.

Miss Annie Murray and Miss Lena Zisterer left on Saturday for St. Joseph's Academy, Hamilton.

BORN—On Thursday, Sept. 5th, to Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Brick, a daughter, (Anna Marie.)

EDEN GROVE

Who never you meet a man that ac- complishes things you meet a man who makes mistakes. No man is perfect. Next to myself the most perfect man I know is Dr. Bricker of our suburb Cargill. Tis a fact. Yet even he is troubled at times with errorsyplus. Need yes. I remember a case in point, sad as the tale is, some of you may be inclined to laugh so I will sketch it for you.

Scene I—A little boy—Dr. Bricker—A broken toe—Splints—Grief.

Scene II—Invalid chair—Same poor little boy—Same cosy splints—No better—More grief.

Scene III—(2 weeks later)—Anxious mother of same boy with same toe and same splints—No bet- ter—tears and lamentations.

Scene IV—Anxious mother—Dr. Brick- er—Re-examination—Splints re moved—Sliver withdrawn—Boy better—Dear, Oh Dear first time I ever knew splints used to remove a splinter—Laughter.

A bunch of naughty bad boy children created quite a disturbance in Cargill a week or so ago at an attempted Chivaree. An Eden Grove little boy who wears his pants quite long now decided to stop such bad children from misbehaving but an officer of the law misunderstood the good little boy's in- tentions and as a result he together with the bad little boys was fined $4.10 in Walkerton by a mean old judge who didn't understand children very well.

Geo. Childs who went to London last week for the military examination, is back in the city having been placed in Category D. Geo will be examined again in sixty days.

A carpenter is engaged this week on the century house McGalliger is build- ing on main street. Provided the man proves satisfactory and the finances hold out our friend the carpenter will have a job for life as he is already a middle aged man.

Redge Proud left for N. Battelford last Tuesday.

CULROSS CENTRE

Miss Remelda Parker is spending the week in Toronto attending the exhibi- tion.

Mr. Alex Grant and Miss Gertie Beck- ing spent a very enjoyable evening at the home of John Clark's of Teeswater.

Mrs. Donald Grant and little boys spent last week at John Donaldson's.

Mrs. Alfred Caslick is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. J. Hardie at Kincardine.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wellings of Tor- onto sundayed with Mr. and Mrs. Sam. Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. John Becking motored to Toronto last week for the exhibition.

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Grant spent Sunday at the home of Peter Grant of Salem.

Mrs. Robt. Green and Miss Myrtle Green of Cargill visited this week with Mrs. John Rome.

Mr. and Mrs. James McCarter and family of Walkerton and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Carson and family and Miss Taylor of Gorrie were Sunday visitors at Samuel Parker's.

Miss Gertie and Cora Becking spent Tuesday afternoon with their friend, Elsie Grant.

Mrs Chris Hetherington has return- ed from Toronto and Hamilton after a two weeks' visit.

CARGILL

Holy Trinity Church, Cargill, St. Paul's church, Pinkerton. Harvest Festival will be held Sunday 15th Sept. instead of the 22nd. inst as previous- ly announced. Rev. Arthur Shore will conduct all services.

Dr. Murray, Chiropractor, returned Monday night from holidaying at Woodstock, London, Ingersoll, and other points.

Mr. and Mrs. Saunders motored to London and Chatham last week.

Mr. John Montgomery returned from Chatham last week with a new Gray- Dort.

Mrs. W. Stark of Paisley spent a few days under the parental roof.

Mr. N. Parker, son of Mr. Horatio Parker, is away on a trip through Que- bec.

Revd. A. Shore a former Rector is to preach Harvest Home Services in Holy Trinity Church on Sunday Sept 15th.

Mrs. R. Irving of Paisley visited at Mr. F. L. Martin's last week.

NARVA

Harvesting in this burg is now a thing of the past and all the farmers are eagerly awaiting the arrival of a threshing machine.

School re-opened on Wednesday, Sept. 4th.

CREAM

We have opened a Cream Station on Durham Street, Walkerton, next to the photograph gallery, and will pay highest cash price on delivery for Cream every

THURSDAY

L.S. BENNINGER

Prop. Wingham Creamery

WE WANT THE NEWS

The Telescope wishes to se- cure a live correspondent in every nook and corner of this district. If your neighbor- hood is not represented, we shall be glad to receive the names of any capable persons whom you would suggest to act as Telescope correspondent.

Mr. N. Fitzsimmons was in Toronto for a few days last week attending the exhibition.

Mr. and Mrs. Eaglen also Mrs. Byers of Arkwright, spent a week ago Sun- day with their mother, Mrs. C. Bell.

Miss Kate Ritchie, of Durham, re- turned to her home last Thursday after spending a couple of weeks at Mr. W. H. Moffat's.

Miss Etta Taylor, of Cargill, is now with Mrs. Robt. Keyes, who has been in poor health lately. We trust that she will soon be enjoying good health again.

Two of our young boys, viz. Morley Fitzsimmons and Norman Alexander, have left our burg in order to attend High School at Paisley. We wish them both every success.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Watson and Miss Nellie, of Paisley, Sundayed at Mr. W. H. Moffat's.

Mr. and Mrs. Ryckman are spending a week at Mr. Foreman's brother's at Park Head.

Miss Mary Webb has returned to Chippewa Hill where she will continue her duties as school teacher.

OTTER CREEK

(Last week's correspondence)

Miss Jennie and Miss Susan Bell took a trip to Paisley on Sunday.

Mr. Edward Fenner and Misses Alta Gress and Tillie Hickling were visitors at Mr. Wesley Stembar's of the fourth con. of Carrick on Sunday.

Mr N. Ratz and Mr Peter Dippel of Walkerton visited in this vicinity on Sunday.

A number from here attended the Y. P. A. convention of the Evangelical Association held at Hanover last week. The convention was a great success.

Mr. Gurden Pfohl, who is with the Flying Corps at Hamilton visited his parents here on Sunday.

The Misses Adelia, Lyla and Edna Schnurr of Mildmay were visiting friends here the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Eickmier of Mildmay visited at Mr. and Mrs. John Pfohl's on the 14 con. on Sunday.

Mr. Alton Gress was a visitor at Mr. Solomon Zinn's of the fourth con. of Carrick on Sunday.

RIVERSDALE

(Last week's correspondence.)

Miss Florence Stephens of Toronto is visiting her cousin Miss Eva Hening- er.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Sanderson and children returned to their home in Oak- ville on Saturday after spending their vacation at Mr. Wm. McDonald's.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Halliday visited Len Long's near Walkerton on Sun- day.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Carter of Green- ock visited Gib Chatreau's last Sunday.

Mr. Stephen Schanbach left last Thursday for Young, Sask., to assist his brother with the harvest.

Mrs. L. S. Beninger of Wingham is spending a few days with friends here.

Mr. Albert Valad is taking in the ex- hibition at Toronto this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Guest of Kinloss and Mr. and Mrs. Jno Sillick of Cul- ross visited at Gilbert Chatreau's on Sunday.

PINKERTON

The local Red Cross held a very suc- cessful Lawn Social at Mr. Howard Hettrick's on Aug. 29th. A baseball match between Chepstow and Pinker- ton was played the latter winning after a good game by 6—5. A good program was given and the evening closed by the auction of a beautiful table. The total proceeds amounted to $240.00.

Misses Gladys Gale and Alberta Pink- erton are attending Walkerton High School.

Messrs. Harvey Cecil and Stanley Garland, Hubert Butler and McVille Reid motored to Toronto and spent a few days in the city.

Clare and Arthur Donnelly go to Tor- onto, this week, the former to resume, the latter to begin his studies at St. Michael's.

Rev. Jas Gale occupied the pulpit at Walkerton on Sunday. He returns this week so his charge of Hyde Park.

School re-opened on Tuesday with Miss McCrea of Port Elgin in charge. We wish her every success.

Mrs N Garland returned from a visit to Parkhead and Chesley.

We are sorry to report the sickness of Mr. George Chick and hope for a speedy recovery.

GLAMIS

School reopened here last week with Miss Nettie Gunn as teacher.

Mrs. Thomas McIntosh is visiting her daughter Mrs. Murray of Strat- ford.

Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Stewart and daughter of Delhi were holiday visitors with his parents on the 11th Con. Greenock.

Mrs. R. F. Ross has returned to her home in Sinclair B. C. after a short visit with her sister Mrs. W. H. McNally.

Miss Dowling of Toronto was a guest at Thos. H. Purdy's recently.

Mr. Needham of Ripley is the new teacher in S. S. No 1 Bruce.

Among the school teachers from here who left last week for their schools were:—Miss Retta McKinnon to Kitch- ener, Miss Mary Webb to Chippewa Hill, Miss Minnie McNally to Lapeer, Mich., Miss Flossie McLennan to Wellesley, Miss Mabel Kirktown to Allan Park, Mr. C. J. McKinnon to Smithville.

Mrs. James Thompson spent last week in Toronto.

Master Irving Gilchrist returned home from Stratford last week.

Mrs. S. Jackson visited friends on the 2nd Con Bruce recently.

Mr. and Mrs. James Coward and babe returned to Toronto last week after a visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Murd. McKay.

Rev. J. A. McClung of The Free Methodist Church was permitted by the Conference to remain on the Cir- cuit here.

Mrs. Flora McDonald has returned to her home in Detroit, Mich.

Mr and Mrs Dan A McLean, Messrs James Thompson, J D Robertson, and John A McKeeman attended London Fair the first of this week.

Sidney Johnson left for Toronto last week where he has gone to work.

Miss Mary Deehan is attending High School in Kincardine.

Miss Jessie McLean of Tiverton has been visiting in this vicinity.

W J McKeeman made a business trip to London last week.

Gnr Roy Stewart of C F A, Petawawa Camp, was home on a few days leave.

Rev J E McCauley, pastor of The Baptist Church here for past four and one half years, has tendered his resig- nation to take effect on Sunday Sept. 22nd 1918. All are sorry to hear of him leaving here

MARRIED—At Leeds, North Dokota on Wednesday Aug. 14th 1918, Miss Tessie Patterson, Glamis, to Alex. B. McDonald, Leeds, N D.

Mrs. James McLennan was called to Kincardine on Monday through the ill- ness of her mother, Mrs. McLeod.

Ptes Neil McDermid, and Edgar Mc- Afee, are among the wounded in the casualty list this week. We trust their wounds are not serious.

Miss Abby Boddy of Dunkeld is a guest of her cousin Miss Jennie Carr.

Mr. Roy Kennedy has been in Toron- to undergoing special medical treat- ment. We hope for his speedy re- covery.

Mr. Jim [illegible] John Purvis [illegible] Friday.

Misses Lizzie, Beasie [illegible] Murray have returned to Toronto [illegible] spending their holidays with friends here.

Mrs. C. Hetherington is spending a week with friends in Hamilton.

Mrs. Jas. Thompson returned home last week after spending the summer with friends in Alta.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Baldenby motor- ed to Port Elgin on Friday.

FARM FOR SALE

The farm belonging to the late Thomas Coates being Composed of Lot 15 Con. 5 and the East½ Lot 15 Con 6 Brant Township Containing 141½ acres, more or less. On the premises are a 9 roomed brick house with furnace, a Bank Barn 60 by 77 ft. water at build- ings. Fruits of all kinds. Immed- iate possession. For further particulars apply at premises to W. H. Coates or to A. Collins Vendors' Solicitor, Walk- erton. 4ts.

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JOHN O'MALLEY

TOWN AND DISTRICT NEWS

Edward Foster, a Brooklyn carpenter, was sentenced to 90 days in jail for refusing to remove his hat when the "Star Spangled Banner" was played at a meeting.

Mr. R. H. Richardson of Hanover, director for Grey and Bruce Counties, attended a meeting of the Fall Fairs Board of Ontario at Toronto last week.

Sponges have been found around Toronto Island. That's nothing—why, any Torontonite will tell you he finds a few of them around his house during Exhibition time.

The death occurred at Granton last week of William J. Wass, eldest brother of Mr. S. B. Wass of Moncton, N. B. who was engineer on the construction of the C. P. R. into Walkerton.

Many Carrick farmers have determined to put an end to the depredations on sheep committed by dogs this summer and carry their shot guns to the fields with them. Quite a number of wandering canines have fallen in the past few weeks.

Mrs. Curlew and little sons, Roy and Ross, of Toronto, have been visiting Mrs. Curlew's mother, Mrs. John Kappler. Mr. Curlew, who returned home recently from Overseas after having been three times wounded, is now engaged in military service at Toronto.

VOTER'S LISTS 1918

Municipality of The Township of Brant
County of Bruce

Notice is hereby given that I have transmitted or delivered to the persons in Sections 8 and 9 of the Ontario Voters' List Act the copies required by said sections to be so trantmitted or delivered of the list made pursuant to said Act of all persons appearing by the last revised Assessment Roll of the said Municipality at elections for the Legislative Assembly and Municipal Election and that the said list was first posted up at my office in Brant on the 10th. day of Sept. 1918 and remains there for inspection and thereby call on all voters to take immediate proceeding to have any errors or omissions corrected according to law.

M. A. McCALLUM
Clerk of the said Municipality
Dated the 10th. day of Sept., 1918.

Wiarton barbers have raised the price of haircuts to 35c.

If a woman is unable to think of anything else to say, she repeats what she said to other people.

It costs fifty cents to get a hair-cut in Toronto now. By-and-bye Yonge St. will begin to look like a Bolshevik parade.

County Clerk and Mrs. P. A. Malcolmson have returned home to Kincardine after spending a month on Manitoulin Island.

In renewing his subscription to the Telescope, Mr. J. D. McNeil of Welland writes:—"Will likely be up to Walkerton this Fall."

The Dominion Government is considering fixing the prices of oats, barley and rye and of wheat flour substitutes made from these grains.

The U. S. Fuel Administration announces the discovery of a new coal practically smokeless, and from which valuable by-products are taken. It is called "carb coal."

Farmers have been sent income tax questionaires. Seeing that the average farmer never keeps a "profit and loss" account the filling in of these questions will prove some task

The total registration in Canada showed 2,572,754 men and 2,471,290 women, or 5,044,034 in all, not counting some 115,000 cards since received or expected through the post offices.

The United States Government is providing that men who while under 21 joined the colors, shall at the cost of the country after the war be given two years' education at a first-class institution of their own approval.

In Scranton, Pa., the mayor has forbidden the village belles to kiss the soldiers who pass through the town en route to France. He acted on complaint of the Red Cross, which claimed that the kissing interfered with the task of feeding the soldiers. Who wants to eat, anyway?

Four of the soldiers from the Saugeen Reserve, who enlisted in the 160th Bruce Batt. have been in the casualty lists of the last two weeks. J. W. Shields died of wounds, Jack Martin was wounded in the hand, Jerry Ahonoyon was gassed and Leslie Ahkewenzie killed in action.

Mr. Arthur Truax of Dornock, visited friends in town last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elias Weiss and family of Walkerton, called on friends and relatives here while on a motor trip, taking in Stratford, Goderich and other points.—Milverton Sun

Mrs. Allen of Victoria Harbor, who has been visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. M. Uhrich received a telegram on Labor Day stating that her brother, Lieut. Will Houston, had been killed in action. Her husband, who is Overseas was reported wounded only a short time ago. Mr. Allen is a brother of Mrs. Uhrich.

Miss Dorothy Armstrong of, Winnipeg accompanied by her friend, Miss Simpson of Gladstone, Man. were guests last week with the former's aunt, Mrs. Nesbitt. These young ladies who are both highly accomplished pianists, were on their way home from Chautauqua, N. Y. where they took a summer course in piano from the best instructors in the U. S.

Removing To Toronto

Mrs. Charles Ernest and family are leaving for Toronto shortly where Mr. Ernest has been working the past year or more. The best wishes of their many friends here go with them.

Gives Bush To Red Cross

Mr. Charlie Bolton has handed the deed for four acres of bush land situated on Con. 4, Saugeen to Mrs. F. R. Barber, president of the Port Elgin Red Cross. It is likely tickets will be sold for this piece of wood land and the drawing to determine the winner at some public function.

Country School Pays $1,000

Miss Sarah Little, daughter of Mr. John D. Little of Brant, who has been teaching out West the past year, has been engaged to teach at Commerce, Alta. at a salary of $1,000. This is a top-notch salary which would not likely be paid to anybody but a highly efficient teacher.

Old Brant Boy

Mr. John R. Nesbitt, a brother of Ex-Reeve Spence Nesbitt of Brant who is managing a large creamery at Shoal Lake, Man. was an exhibitor at the National Exhibition, Toronto, and succeeded in winning prizes in all four classes for dairy butter. Mr. Nesbitt also won the Gold Medal at the Brandon Fair recently.

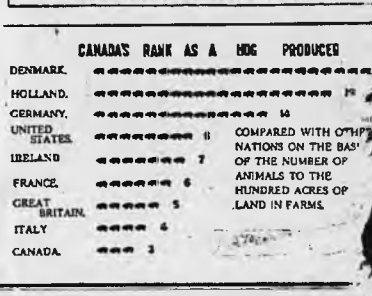
Town Of Good Streets

Mr. E. H. Leeson, who returned last week from a visit to his old home town of Aylmer, was much impressed by the fine appearance of the roadways there. The main street has been paved with brown vitrified brick which makes a great roadway. The heavy traffic now gravitates to the main thoroughfare, instead of wearing out the back streets.

Invest In Advertising

Advertising is an investment—not an expense—and should be treated as such. Because it has been the habit of some merchants to look upon it as an expense, a wrong view has been gained. Perhaps the misconception arose from the fact that in book-keeping it has been the habit to charge advertising to expense. Advertising produces new business—it swells the volume of business and profit—therefore it is an investment. Only the man who looks upon advertising as an expense, who is afraid of it, prejudiced against it, loses money in advertising. The man who treats advertising as an investment required—knows that every dollar rightly invested in this direction yields compound interest—and more.





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The Silent Heroes of the War

THE men of the *Merchant Marine*—do you ever give them a thought? The whole submarine campaign is aimed to frighten this non-combatant force off the seas. For then—

Britain, France, Italy would face staroation.
Our armies could not fight.
Canada would be wrecked commercially.
The fight for liberty would be lost.

Yet governments make no official recognition of this heroic body of 300,000 men who toil day and night in danger of death. No provision is made for pensions, or relief for their dependents.

We must admit our debt to the widows and orphans of the 15,000 men of the *Merchant Marine*, who have gone down, victims of the U-Boat. Our cry must be—

"They Shall Not Want"

In his famous speech of August 8th, 1918, Premier Lloyd George said:

"During the past two years Germany has made two distinct attempts to force a decision—one on the land and one on the sea. The land offensive might have been disastrous, but the sea offensive, if it had succeeded, would have been final. If the submarines had succeeded, our armies in France would have withered away. No Americans could have come over to assist us and the French troops Ammunition could not have been shipped and we could not have sent the necessary coal and material to enable France and Italy to manufacture munitions.

"If France, Italy and Great Britain were threatened with starvation the war would have been over before this stage had been reached."

THE soldier is rightly remembered with gifts, separation allowance and pension. He is honored, as is his due.

The men of the Navy are provided for and their dependents are not allowed to suffer want.

But the seamen of the *Merchant Marine*—facing death in a hideous form at their daily work, risk all at the call of duty.

It would be a lasting disgrace to allow the widows and orphans of the noble 15,000 to suffer hardship, other than the loss of their dear ones. Those who died on the sea are calling to you *now*.

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LI[illegible]E IS STILL REMOTE

Rumors From Vienna Are Explained.

[illegible] Asked Austrian Diplomat Well [illegible]heir Country Would Make a [illegible] and th[illegible]ate Peace and When Answer [illegible]studies [illegible]Evasive Boer Statesman [illegible]weekly [illegible]"Then, Good Night."

[illegible]folks [illegible] April 8. — Geb. Smuts, [illegible]ing [illegible]frican delegate in London for [illegible] British Cabinet, was, according [illegible]so [illegible]Martin, the "figure high in the council of the Entente allies" referred to by Premier Clemenceau in his statement of April 5th denying the assertion of Count Czernin that the French Prime Minister had sought open peace negotiations with Austria-Hungary. The representative of [illegible]hual Monarchy who met Gen. [illegible] in Switzerland was Count [illegible]ndorff-Pouilly-Dietrichstein, Austro-Hungarian Ambassador at London [illegible] when the war broke out. [illegible]ediately upon being introduced [illegible]ant Menadorff, says the newspaper, in relating the interview, Gen. [illegible]uts, taking the initiative in the conversation, bluntly said: [illegible]"Is it true that you wish to make a separate peace?" This direct query brought [illegible]too much for the trained diplomat's [illegible] and the count began a long, would-be reply.

[illegible] or no?" reiterated the British [illegible]tive.

[illegible]ming no direct reply, Gen. [illegible] said:

"Then, good night!"

The interview lasted barely three minutes, Vienna was shocked. La[illegible]ain says, at the boorish manner of the old Transvaal warrior.

Alexander Ribot, who was Premier [illegible] on March until September, 1917, [illegible]efused to make any statement [illegible]ning the incident, saying:

"The present Government is perfectly competent to give such explanations as are deemed necessary."

Premier Clemenceau in the course of his statement in answer to Count Czernin's charge, said:

"It would be too easy to recall to what extent Austria has importuned Rome, Washington and London with solicitations for an alleged separate peace which had no other aim than to slip upon us the yoke which she [illegible]esses to find to her taste. Who [illegible]not know the story of a recent [illegible]e, [illegible]g (in Switzerland, of course) [illegible]mer Austrian ambassador and [illegible]s high in the councils of the [illegible] allies? The conference lasted [illegible]a few minutes. Here, again, [illegible] not our ally who sought the [illegible]w. It was the Austrian Gov[illegible]t."

[illegible]o Overtures to America.

[illegible]SHINGTON, April 8.—Emphatic[illegible]al that any overture looking [illegible]o discussions have been made [illegible] American Government by representatives of the Central Powers [illegible]made at the State Department [illegible]. If any come forward, it is [illegible]they will be ignored.

[illegible]nerous occasions unauthorized peace workers have hinted to [illegible]s that negotiations might be [illegible]me to the enemy Governments [illegible]have suggested that they had [illegible]n to believe a basis for negoti[illegible]t might be found easily. These [illegible]ations have been given no con[illegible]ation, it is stated.

[illegible]mier Clemenceau's repulse of [illegible]a's advances will serve to force [illegible]option of other tactices by the [illegible] in the opinion of State De[illegible]t officials and entente diplo[illegible]ere, but will not entirely stop [illegible]vement.

French statesman's repudi[illegible] of Austria's claim that it was [illegible]who made overtures is regarded [illegible]blow that will make the diplo[illegible] drive of the Teutonic Foreign [illegible] comparatively harmless, but it [illegible]ered similar efforts will be con[illegible]in one way or another to cre[illegible] the minds of the peoples at [illegible]ith the Central Powers the im[illegible]n that the blame for the war's [illegible]uance rests wholly on the allied [illegible]ments.

[illegible]NADA'S SLAVS LOYAL.

[illegible]lized Citizens Have Asked To Be Conscripted.

[illegible]TAWA, April 8.—On Saturday, [illegible]gation representing the Slav or [illegible]n population who have emi[illegible] from portions of the Austro[illegible]arian Empire to Canada waited the Prime Minister and strongly affirmed their warm support of the [illegible]d cause and of their utter de[illegible]ation of the purpose and methods [illegible]the Central Powers. They affirm [illegible] since the war broke out many [illegible] their immediate relatives and [illegible]ds, resident within the Austrian [illegible]pire, have been persecuted, im[illegible]oned and even murdered by rea[illegible] of their well known sympathy [illegible]n the allied cause.

[illegible]The delegation also expressed the [illegible]rm desire and hope that the Mili[illegible]y Service Act might be applied to [illegible]ir men of military age and that [illegible]se men, although born within the [illegible]stro-Hungarian empire, might be [illegible]mitted to fight with other Cana[illegible]ns in the battle line. As one mem[illegible] of the delegation expressed it, [illegible]y claim the privilege of fighting [illegible] the country of their adoption and [illegible]y would feel humiliated if they [illegible] no part in the final victory, [illegible]ich must come to the allied cause.

[illegible]The delegation was introduced by [illegible] Harry Larner Chapin, of New [illegible], who has taken a warm interest [illegible]in these people. Mrs. Chapin's [illegible]rother enlisted in the American Air [illegible]vice and is now a prisoner in Ger[illegible]y. The members of the delega[illegible]n were: Rev. Archimandrite Adam [illegible]Chippovsky, Victor P. Hladyk, T. A. [illegible]Charchuk.

Foodstuffs For the Allies.

Washington, D.C., April 8.—Foodstuffs shipped from the United States [illegible]Canada to the allies during [illegible]arch exceeded February shipments [illegible]by 380,000 tons, the Food Administration announced last night. The month's total was 1,100,000 tons.

NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Miss Annie Lambertus of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, Walkerville, spent a couple of days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Lambertus.

Mr. Dave George and Misses Bertha Schnurr, Jeane Miller, Mary and Ethel Lindsay motored to Shelburne last week and attended the Shelburne—Hanover lacrosse match

Principal Rankin has taken the house formerly occupied by Mr. A. D. Lamont on Colborne St. and moved in last week. He has rented his house house at Port Elgin in which he lived for many years.

Mrs. Jos. Wallace returned home last week from a visit to friends at Listowel. Lorne and Gordon returned from Paris and Toronto where they had been spending their vacation, as Charlie from Pontiac, Mich.

Miss Rose LaFrance was home from Toronto last week to spend the holiday at her old home. Miss LaFrance, who went down to the city about three months ago, has an excellent position in the office of the General Supt. of G. T. R.

Arthur Rowlands, son of a former principal of Walkerton Public School, was among the Canadians wounded in the recent big drive. His only brother is also in France. The family have resided in Montreal ever since leaving Walkerton.

The barbers are on the rampage. In New York they are charging 40c to trim a man's locks, with no discount for bald heads; in Toronto it takes 50c to cut the alfalfa; while in Chicago they are in the magnate class and propose a $1 haircut.

The Ford Motor Company has offered its thirty-one assembling and service plants in various parts of the United States to the Government. One of the Eastern plants already has been accepted and is being used in the production of gas masks.

A Kincardine coal dealer advertises that all coal accounts overdue will be charged 6 per cent interest and all unpaid accounts will be handed in for collection. No order for coal will be delivered from now on unless a satisfactory arrangement is made for the payment of same.

Enterprising and audacious robbers entered a pasture field of Howery Henry, Warden of Carleton county, and shooting a 1200-pound steer dressed it and carried away the four quarters. The hide and the entrails they left behind, hidden in a ditch. The accidental finding of the hide led to the discovery of the crime and the manner of killing. This daring robbery occurred within seven miles of Ottawa and close to a busy highway. With the price of beef so high it becomes evident that beef on hoof, no less than the dressed article, must be properly safeguarded. —Renfrew Mercury.

Five Dollars Each

Notices have been sent to the guarantors for the recent Chautauqua in Listowel, advising that the financial statement is in the hands of the treasurer and the amount assessed against each, in order to liquidate the full indebtedness, is five dollars.

Death of Mrs. Trench

There passed away at Blucher, Sask. on Friday, August 30th, Wilhelmina Paisley, wife of Robert Trench, of Teeswater. Mrs. Trench was born in Gorrie, and was married from her father's farm in Culross in 1901. Her husband and four young children mourn the loss of a loving wife and mother. About a year ago she contracted a cold and altho everything possible was done to restore her health she succumbed at their farm in Blucher where they had recently gone, hoping a change of climate might prove beneficial.—Teeswater News.

The First Food Controller

Ezekiel was the first food controller, for he warned the disobedient children of Israel that during the siege of Jerusalem they would have to eat "war bread" thus: "Take thou also unto thee wheat, and barley, and beans, and lentiles, and millet, and fitches, and put them in one vessel, and make thee bread thereof."—Ezekiel IV: 9. He came close to being the originator of meatless days, too, for the Biblical record shows that he ordered the children of Israel to eat their meat by weight, and even thus only from "from time to time."

Western Cabinet Minister Here

Hon. Valentine Winkler, Minister of Agriculture for Manitoba, motored over from Neustadt on Sunday to call on his old friend, Dr. P. E. Clapp. He was accompanied by his niece, Mrs. (Dr.) Eager, daughter of Dr. Brown of Neustadt. Mr. Winkler is a native of the Neustadt neighborhood but went West as a young man and prospered in the grain business. He has sat in the Manitoba legislature for a number of years and is known as the wit of the Chamber. When the present Norris Govt. came into power he was assigned the important portfolio of Agriculture

Mr. Harry Leech and Mr. Edward Wright of Toronto, spent last week with the former's parents here.

Mr. Jos. Kroetch of Toronto visited his parents here last week. Joe is with the Goodyear Tire Co., at New Toronto.

Wm. MacDonald, son of Reeve D. A. and Mrs. MacDonald, Kinloss, is expected home one of these days. He has been in the British Navy for about two years, and we suppose is on a brief furlough.—Lucknow Sentinel.

"No man has any right to block the highway in any town unless he is doing some good for the town." said Dr. Conwell in his Chautauqua lecture. In other words if you cannot be a booster and must be a knocker get out of the way.

It is alleged apparently on sufficient authority, that eighty per cent of the cattle killed by lightning, were struck when standing near wire fences. Protection from this danger may be had by running wires into the ground every three or four rods.

When using the telephone, speak clearly. Do not shout. A conversation in a room can often be heard when the person speaking into the phone cannot. Keep your mouth about two inches away from the sound receiver (not ten, with your head turned so as to see what is going on in the room) and there will be no difficulty in even a person somewhat deaf hearing what you have to say. Speak naturally in your usual conversational tone of voice.

Removing To Town

Mr. Dan McNichol of Brant, who has bought Mr. Norman Hiscox's house near the C. P. R. station for $1400, will remove to town shortly along with his sister, Miss McNichol, after a lifelong residence in Brant. Walkerton people will be glad to welcome to town such good citizens.

Died Of Wounds

Lieut. Charles A. Grant, a former Walkerton boy and brilliant young Edmonton lawyer, has died of wounds in France according to a message received by his mother, Mrs. Grant of Toronto, widow of the late Rev. Dr. Grant, formerly pastor of Walkerton Baptist Church. Lieut. Grant was 38 years old at the time of his death and is said to have been the youngest K. C. in Canada to plead before the Supreme Court of Canada. He drew up the Temperance legislation which passed the Alberta Legislature.

A Hint To The Farmers

A few years ago there was an agitation to have the farmers place their names on the front gates or other convenient places so that travellers could learn while passing who lived on certain roads, increasing their knowledge of the localities and enhancing the pleasure of their ride through the country. Then rural mail delivery was inaugurated and boxes erected at nearly every farm, and on these were stencilled the names of each of the box holders, so that all one had to do in driving past was to take a glance at the mail box and it told the story. Time has effaced the names from nearly all boxes, very few being legible, and this means of learning "who's who" on the concession is removed. What pleasure it would give travellers if the box holders would only go over their mail boxes and paint the names on again with some weather defying paint.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the the matter of the Estate of Henry Opperman late of the Town of Walkerton in the County of Bruce. Retired farmer. Deceased.

Notice is hereby given pursuant to the Revised Statutes of Ontario 1914, Chap. 121, Section 56, and Amending Acts, that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of the said Henry Opperman who died on or about the 22nd day of July A. D. 1918, are required on or before the 15th day of October A. D. 1918, to send by post prepaid or to deliver to Anthony Opperman, Formosa P. O. Ont. one of the Executors of the last will and testament of the deceased, their christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims and a statement of their accounts, and the nature of securities (if any) held by them.

And Further Take Notice that after such last mentioned date the said Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the parties entitled there to having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice, and that the said Executors will not be liable for the said assets or to any person or persons of whose claim notice shall not have been received by them at the time of such distribution.

Dated the 5th day of September A. D. 1918.

Anthony Opperman
Ambrose Fedy
Executors

A. Collins, their Solicitor.

Everybody Is Sentimental.

The truth is that we are all sentimental at heart, whatever our culture, says Robert M. Gay in the Atlantic Monthly. Even though we appreciate Brahms, shall we not find some pleasure in the repertory of the hand organ, and, though we admire Botticelli, shall we utterly condemn "Darby and Joan?" There are moods in which Jean Ingelow and Mrs. Hemans are not mawkish. The thousands still weep over the death of Little Nell, though the critics sneer.

Submerging a Submarine.

A submarine submerges by admitting water to various tanks, making it so heavy that it will not float. When it desires to rise powerful electric pumps empty these cylinders. Breathable air while submerged is insured by many cylinders containing compressed pure air or oxygen. In the latest submarines there is machinery to purify breathed air, the carbonic acid gas being absorbed from it by potash and the purified air being cooled and reoxygenated.

Making Salt.

Great improvements have been made in the methods of making high grade salt both by the grainer and vacuum pan processes. The mechanical graniers in which the brine enters the plant and is not touched by human hands until it is almost ready for shipment are marvels of ingenuity. Fine table salt is now made almost exclusively by vacuum pan processes. These evaporators have so greatly reduced the cost of making fine salt that the old time methods long ago passed into history.

Just Wanted to Know.

"Say, pop, is it true that a shark has to turn over before it can bite?"

"Yes."

"And do you think it has to turn over to drink, too?"

"I don't think so. Why do you ask?"

"I was just thinking of Uncle Henry."

"What about Uncle Henry?"

"I have often heard you say he drinks like a fish, and I was just wondering if it is because he throws back his head until he nearly lies on his back."—Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.

Aroused His Curiosity.

"John," exclaimed the nervous woman, "there's a burglar in the house!"

"Do you mean to tell me that after I tried every door and window in my effort to get into my own home, just because I happened to mislay my latchkey, a burglar comes along and wakes you up at the first rattle of the doorknob? I'm going down to see him."

"What are you going to do?"

"I'm going to interview him and see if I can find out how he did it."—Washington Star.

Blueberry Bushes.

Under such favorable conditions as exist in the vine barrens blueberry culture is to be classed as to the age of its first bearing not with the slow fruiting apple orchard, but with the quick fruiting peach, with this important difference, however, that while the peach tree remains in vigorous fruiting condition for comparatively few years the blueberry bush with suitable pruning bids fair to last a man's lifetime and even longer.—National Geographic Magazine.

Are New Yorkers American?

The most New Yorkish of ladies, who, after an excessively brief, gay winter at home, habitually betook herself to the Riviera, to London, to Paris and to the usual spring, summer and autumn haunts of European elegance, was once asked by an intelligent and curious foreigner some question concerning the habits and customs of her compatriots. She paused, meditated prettily, says Harrison Rhodes in Harper's Magazine, and then made a profoundly significant reply.

"I'm not sure," she said, "that I'm the best person to ask. You see, I'm a New Yorker, and I know so few Americans."

American Homes.

Before I came to America I fancied that I should find one long row of apartment houses extending from New York to San Francisco, some of them palatial, but mostly, others lowly and some squalid. This idea was partially formed from reading in your own journals of your lack of home life as compared with our preponderance of it in England. On the contrary, I found in the localities I visited much that we can learn from you Americans of homemaking and of home living. The amazing ability to make what your women accomplish in the actual building of their homes, and that, too, with small means.—Lady Inez Stuart in Countryside Magazine.

A DAY'S RECORD.

Let every dawn of morning be to you as the beginning of life and every setting sun be to you as its close. Then let every one of these short lives leave some sure record of some kindly thing done for others as well as some goodly strength or knowledge gained for yourselves.—John Ruskin.

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Sending Money to Soldiers

Those who have friends or relatives at the front, may wish to send money, but possibly do not know the best way to do so.

If time permits, the safest and most convenient method of making remittances abroad is the Bank Money Order or Draft, as issued by The Merchants Bank.

If, however, it is necessary to send money without delay, the Bank will arrange this by Cable Transfer.

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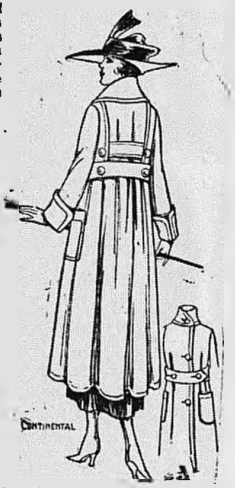
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These coats are the choice of three of the biggest Toronto manufacturers and every garment picked for its individual style and good value.

The shades are all new, Rodent, Burgundy, Nigger Brown, Dark Green, Beaver, Sand, Taupe, Navy and Black. Sizes 16, 18, and 20 in maid's and 36 to 45 in women's.

Prices of course are higher than last season but that is only natural when you take into consideration that we stock only tested and reliable all wool materials. If bought today the prices would be higher still and all signs still point to further increase in prices. Early purchasing means a saving in dollars and cents.

An Interesting Announcement!

A Special Treat is in Store for the Ladies of Walkerton and Vicinity.

on Friday, This Week, Sept. 13th

in the afternoon and evening a representative of one of the leading Dress Houses of Canada will put on a display of Fall and Winter Coats, Dresses and Gowns for street, afternoon and evening wear:

These will be Shown on Living Models, Professional and Local

A very extensive range of Dresses will be shown in latest New York and Paris styles, materials of Silks Satins, Velvets, Georgettes, Crepe de Chene, All Wool Serges, etc.

The show will be held in the Town Hall under the auspices of the local Chapter of the I. O. D. E. who will charge a small admission fee in aid of their work.

THIS WEEK
Friday Afternoon 3 to 5
Friday Evening 8 to 10
In I. O. D. E. Work-rooms, Town Hall.

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A Few Hints on the New Styles

The new models this season are most aptly suitable for a woman who desires to dress stylishly yet sensibly. The materials chiefly used are velours, plushes, assorted tweeds and soft wool fabrics, and the shades featured are Navy, Brown, Rodent, Burgundy, Green, Partridge and Black.

Our early buying is reflected by the fairly moderate prices.

We will be pleased to have you call!

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NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Rev. Jas. Gale of Park Hill occupied the pulpit of Knox Church on Sunday.

Miss Marie Martin of Georgetown has been holidaying at her home at Cargill.

Miss Norma Giesler returned from a week's vacation at Kitchener and Niagara Falls.

Pte. Frank Waechter of Mildmay, was reported wounded in Monday's casualty list. Frank was at one time employed by Wingefolder & Kreuger here.

Mrs. Wm. Ballantyne left on Saturday to join her husband at Hamilton where they will make their future home. She was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. P. Hefferman, who will visit in the city.

Mrs. Con. Schnurr and Misses Lillian and Tillie leave this Thursday to visit at Buffalo. Miss Tillie, who has been visiting her parents here the past few months will return from there to Pittsburg, Pa.

Bought Threshing Outfit

Mr. Albert Marshall bought Joseph Freiberger's threshing outfit and had the Separator overhauled and put in first class shape before starting on his rounds last week.

Break In Shaft

The local power company was badly handicapped the past week by a break in the main shaft at the power house. Local customers were kept supplied with juice from the auxiliary dynamo.

Has Important Post

Rev. Father Goodrow, who recently accepted a post as Army Chaplain, has been stationed at Toronto, where he is in charge of the Chaplain's work for all the Military Convalescent Hospitals in Toronto, which means a great responsibility and a large amount of work to do. In writing the Telescope this week, Father Goodrow sends kindest regards to all his friends.

Has Gone Overseas

Arthur Cryderman, younger son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Cryderman, left last week for Overseas with a contingent from the R. N. W. Mounted Police with which he enlisted last Spring. Before volunteering for service he was with the Can Bank Commerce out in Alberta. Three of Mr. Cryderman's family are wearing the King's uniform, the other two being Surg.-Prob. Wilbur Cryderman R. N. who returned home recently from the Mediteraneen and Nur[illegible] Sister Ethel Cryderman who is [illegible] in France.

Pte Ernest Wright Killed

Pte. Ernest Wright, a former Walkerton b[illegible] was reported killed in action in th[illegible] Canadian drive on August 8th. Ernie [illegible] years old and was the son of [illegible] Bandmaster Wright of the 16[illegible] was foreman of the Chesley Enterprise in 1915 when he signed up as a member of the 160th Batt'n Band. He left London with the Battalion in October, 1916, for Overseas and crossed over to France this Spring. As a member of the band he was engaged as stretcher bearer and while at this dangerous work he fell on the field of battle.

Mrs. W. Irwin of Kitchener is visiting Mrs. Albert Benainger.

Mrs. Walter Hefferman, who has been spending the past few weeks visiting relatives here with her husband, left last week to visit her sister at Hamilton prior to returning to her home at Chapleau.

Mrs E. VanHatten of Fort William, who was visiting Mrs. Beechie, left last week for Wiarton before returning to Fort William via Chicago. Her husband is expected here shortly on a visit to his mother, Mrs. Beechie.

Mr. and Mrs. Eliza Wiess and family returned home last week from a motor trip to Milverton, Stratford, Goderich and other points. They were accompanied on the return journey by Mr. Wiess' father, Mr. Anthony Wiess of Warburg, who will spend a week or so here.

Car Turned Turtle

A car driven by Mr. Hundt of Formosa, turned turtle near Rennie's Corner on the Durham Road one day recently. Only one of the occupants, a small child was injured but it is reported to be doing nicely. The windshield was smashed and the car otherwise damaged.

Flower Show Prize List.

Sweet Peas, 1st Mrs. T. Kenny, 2nd H. M. Lay; Asters, 1st Mrs. H. Pletsch, 2nd H. M. Lay; Nasturtiums, 1st Mrs Jas. L. Tolton, 2nd Mrs Jas. L. Tolton; Gladioli, 1st M. H. Norrish; Pansies, 1st Mrs. Wm. Weber 2nd H. M. Lay; Zinnia, 1st H. M. Lay, 2nd Mrs. Jas. L. Tolton; Single Petunia, 1st H. M. Lay, 2nd Mrs. Wm. Weber; Double Petunia, 1st H. M. Lay, 2nd Mrs. Wm. Weber; Cole Annuals, 1st Mrs. H. Pletsch, 2nd H. M. Lay; Begonia, 1st M. H. Norrish, 2nd Mrs. Jas. Tolton; Table Boquet, 1st Mrs. Wm Weber, 2nd Mrs. H. Pletsch; Basket Cut Flowers, Mrs. T. Kenny, 2nd Mrs. Jas. Tolton; Coll. Ferns, 1st M. H. Norrish; 2nd Mrs. S. Saunders; Window Box, 1st Mrs. W. G. Searle; Hanging Basket, 1st John Lambertus 2nd John Lambertus; Boquet Wild Flowers, 1st H. M. Lay 2nd Elizabeth Eedy. Collection Vegetables, 1st Mrs. Wm. Weber, 2nd H. M. Lay; Coll. Carrots, Onions, Beets, Potatoes, Cabbage, Tomatoes, 2 each, 1st Mrs. H. Pletch, 2nd Mrs. Wm. Weber; 5 D[illegible]ess Oldenburg Apples, 1st Mrs. J[illegible] L. Tolton, 2nd Mrs. Jas. Tolton; 5 [illegible]rachan Apples, 1st Mrs. Jas. L. [illegible]ton; Collection Geraniums, 2nd M[illegible] S. Saunders; Collection Balsams, [illegible] Mrs. S. Saunders.

COLLECTOR WANTED FOR BRANT TOWNSHIP

The undersigned will receive applications for the office of collector of rates for the township of Brant for the year 1918. applications to be in the hands of the Clerk before noon of the 19th day of Sept. 1918. Salary $100.00.

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Black Taffetteen Skirts, interlined with white flannel at $2.25

Specials in Dress Goods

Serge Dress Goods, 40 inches wide, in black, navy, Belgian blue and Burgundy, special at $1.90 for this week

Unica Poplins in newest shades at $1.00 per yard.

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Notice

The dental offices will continue to close Saturday afternoons during the month of October.

Car For Sale

Chevrolet Touring Car, in good condition and running order. Snap for quick sale. W. G. Cheshire, Rattan Factory Office.

Organize Athletics

The High School boys have organized an Athletic Society for football and baseball. The girl pupils have obtained the use of the armoury grounds for out-door games.

Potato Diggers

The Thompson potato digging attachment for plows will work on your plow, dig your potatoes. Get them from Alex. Thompson, Walkerton, or at Ellinghausen's Foundry.

Making Good Progress

Mrs. John Richardson of Brant, who has been seriously ill the past two weeks underwent an operation on Friday and is since reported to be making as good progress as may be expected.

New Blacksmith

Mr. Sidgett blacksmith, of St. Catherines, has moved to town and has taken Mr. Mac McConnell's blacksmith shop. He has rented Mr. W. G. Searle's house on Gibson St.

Able To Be Out

Nursing Sister Lizzie Rennie cabled on Friday that Sergt Walter Eidt, who was wounded in the left thigh on Sept. 7th, was able to be out, which was very encouraging news for the family and friends here.

A Bad Fall

Mr. John McNeill of the South Line, got a serious shaking up on Tuesday afternoon, where a board of a scaffolding on which he was standing broke and he fell lighting on top of a threshing separator. He was badly bruised and otherwise injured.

Notice

Chief Ferguson, the local Fuel Commissioner, would like to get the names of any and all parties living in Walkerton who have not received any coal. The chief will then see what can be done to help them out. Parties who have not got any coal yet are asked to leave their names at the Town Hall.

Fell From Hay Maw

Master Joe Kunkel, the 12 year old son of Mr. Henry Kunkel, had a bad fall while playing in the barn out at Uncle's, Mr. Ambrose Wilhelm at Chepstow one day last week. He climbed up a ladder into the hay-mow and fell down striking the bare floor. For a time he was stunned and it was thought seriously injured, but he is already better and running around again.

For Sale

Matched team, 7 and 8 years old, sound and in good condition, weight 1300 lbs., color light gray. Walkerton Egg & Dairy Co., Durham Street.

Janitor Wanted

Applications for the position of janitor of the Public Library Building will be received by the undersigned up to 8 p. m. Monday, Sept. 30, applicants to state salary. Lorne A. Eedy, Secretary P. L. Board.

Cider and Apple Butter

F. Schuler of Dunkeld, will make cider from now on, Mondays and Tuesdays, cider only; on Wed., Thurs. Fri. and Sat., apple butter only. He is doing this owing to shortage of help. Parties should bring their own feed.

Pte. Andrew Zuber Gassed

Mr. Tony Zuber received a wire on Saturday that his son, Pte. Andrew Zuber, had been admitted to No. 3 Can. Gen. Hospital at Boulogne, suffering from shell gas burn, on Sept. 12th. Andrew enlisted with the 160th but was afterwards transferred to the artillery.

Expected Home Soon

Lieut. Leslie Huether, who has been flying in Italy, is expected to arrive home any day now. In recent letters he describes some hard fights he had with Austrian flyers on the Italian Front. Leslie is being sent home by the authorities after two years service to complete his course in Medicine at Toronto University.

Many Movings

Mr. Archie Totton has bought the property at present occupied by Mr. Oliver McConnell and formerly owned by Mr. N. Critcheson of Kitchener and intends removing shortly from his present residence, which has been rented by C. P. R. Fireman Johnston. Mr. McConnell will move into Mr. Jos. Ruetz's house at the top of the West end hill.

Methodist Dist. Meeting

Financial Dist. Meeting was held at the Methodist church on Thursday morning. Rev. Mr. Jackson of Hanover presiding. A large amount of routine business was disposed of. In the afternoon a Missionary Convention was held at which delegates were present from all parts of the district. An inspiring and educative talk on the work in Japan was given by Rev. Herman E. Walker, now pastor of Paisley Church, who recently returned from the Orient.

Will Go To Siberia

Mr. M. G. Dippell has had word from his son, Bombardier Louis Dippell, who has been recovering from an attack of typhoid in England after three years service as signaller at the Front, that he has signed up for Siberia and expects to sail for the Eastern Front soon. Louis was offered a commission as Lieutenant to go to India but preferred to stay on the fighting front. It is now nearly four years since he gave up his course at Victoria University to enlist.

NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Thanksgiving Day, Oct. 14.

High School Field Day will be held on Friday.

Try the Telescope for neat and tasty job printing.

Mr E. McIlwain was a visitor in town last week.

Nails, hinges and shelf hardware of all kinds at Sandy McCarter's.

Saving is a mere matter of will, and where there's a will there's a way.

Don't mistake inconvenience for sacrifice; it is all of that and more. Save!

C. J. Remus of Mildmay was reported wounded in Monday's casualty lists.

There is war-shortening work, waiting for every dollar that can be saved.

Don't forget the Hospital Rumage Sale, Oct. 5th. and 5th. next to Queen's Hotel.

Farmers can have their needs in the shelf hardware line well supplied at Sandy McCarter's.

Miss Morrison of the Hospital Staff, returned this week from holidaying at her home at Durham.

Mrs. Donald McKinnon was taken quite ill on Sunday night but is reported to be very much better.

Miss Nellie Beattie who has spent the past month at her home here returns to Hailybury this week.

Mr. Lou Rankin, who underwent a serious operation at the Hospital last week is reported to be doing well.

Mr. Norman C. Hiscox, Travelling Auditor of the C. P. R. was here on his regular round Monday and Tuesday.

Dr. C. R. Murray, Chiropractor, has removed her office to the rooms formerly occupied by the Walkerton Business College.

If you have anything you don't want, send it to the Rumage Sale Thursday Oct. 3 rd. or telephone 31 and it will be called for.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lambertus arrived home last week from a visit to relatives at Kincardine, Huron Tp., and Ripley.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Tanner and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Tanner of Paisley, motored to London last week to attend the Western Fair.

Miss Rachel Rogers of Olds, Alta, arrived here on Saturday and will spend the winter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Rogers.

Mrs. Thos. Dixon, Treas. Walkerton Women's Hospital Aid, acknowledges with thanks, a donation of $10.00 from Miss Mary Clendening.

The Annual convention of the East Bruce Teachers Association will be held at Walkerton on Thursday and Friday, Oct. 10th and 11th.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Walford and children motored up from Kitchener on Saturday and spent the week-end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Walford.

Mr. Robert Bremner, proprietor of Parsons Fair, Wiarton, and little son, Graham, spent a couple of days last week with the former's brother, Mr. P. Bremner.

The District Convention of the Methodist W. M. S. will be here next Thursday.

A break in the water-wheel at R. Truax & Son's on Friday necessitating shutting down the factory a couple of days.

Mr. W. G. Cheshire and family are removing first of the month into the house which he purchased last Spring from the Granger estate.

Daylight Saving, which has already outlived its welcome, is to be terminated on Oct. 27th, according to an item in the daily paper.

Mr. Stan Sanderson of Chesley spent a few days the past week with his parents Rev., and Mrs. J. W. Sanderson while on holidays.

Messrs. Joseph A. Rogers of Chicago, and F. C. Rogers of Fort Francis, who were visiting their brother Mr. C. H. Rogers, returned home on Thursday.

Miss Verna Skelton who has been home from New York for the summer, leaves in a few days to resume her studies with the Art Students' League at New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Benninger and son, Sergt. Will. Benninger of Neustadt motored over on Monday on a visit to their sons, Messrs Fred. and George Benninger.

Mr. A. Lehn, baker and confectioner, has a very handsome new delivery outfit. The rig is painted white with gold trimmings and is easily the smartest looking delivery rig in the town.

Mr. Leeson and his pupils will give a "Recital" in aid of the I.O.D.E., Friday evening Sept 27th, at 8 o'clock in the school room of the Presbyterian Church. Silver collection at the door.

Walkerton High School will hold its annual field day on Friday afternoon Sept. 27th on the High School grounds. Come and show your interest in the High School and in the school athletics.

Mr. David McIlveagh of Hamilton, underwent a serious operation at the County Hospital on Friday morning for appendicitis and internal adhesions. He is reported to be doing as well as can be expected.

Mrs. Button-Hahn, who was seriously burned by falling on a stove one day last week, is reported to be doing well. Although 86 years of age, Mrs. Button-Hahn showed remarkable vitality in overcoming the effects of the accident.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Craig and Ex-Warden Alex. McConnell motored down from Burgoyne on Tuesday and were guests at Mr. James Crawford's. Mrs. Crawford returned with them to spend a week with friends and relatives in Saugeen Tp.

An aged couple, Mr. and Mrs. William Minor, of Kincardine were brought over to the House of Refuge yesterday. As the husband was suffering from skin cancer of the face, he was turned over to the County Hospital.

Mr. Thompson J. Stewart M. P. of Hamilton, visited Walkerton on Tuesday in company with Mr. John Purvis of Holyrood. Mr. Stewart at one time ran the sawmill at Kinloss at present owned by Mr. Charles Baechler and was formerly Deputy-Reeve of Kinloss.

Mrs. P. J. Scanlan enjoyed a visit the past week from her mother and sister, Mrs. T. Smith and Miss. Kate Smith of Chicago. Her two aunts, who are sisters, at St. Michaels Hospital and at St. Joseph's Convent, Toronto, are at present the guests of Mrs. Scanlan.

Mr. Gilbert Kent of the R. Simpson Company, Toronto, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Kent, formerly Annie Lymbery, who has been visiting his Aunt, Mrs. R. Lymbery, this past week returned to his home yesterday accompanied by Leo Yack who intends taking a dental course.

Lieut.-Col. (Rev. Dr.) Johnston of Montreal, who lately went overseas at the request of the British Foreign Office, and who has visited the various battle-fronts will deliver an address at the Evening Session of the East Bruce Teachers' Convention—Town Hall, Walkerton, Oct. 11th. Open to the public.

Mr. H. M. Lay arrived home Friday night from Port Arthur to which place he had accompanied his son, Nelson, who was bound for Esquimalt, B. C. to enter the Canadian Naval Institute as a Cadet. On the train leaving Port Arthur Nelson met a number of other lads who would be fellow-cadets at the Institute. A telegram announced his safe arrival at the coast on Monday.

She-ff's Son Killed

Deep sympathy is felt for Sheriff and Mrs. D. M. Jermyn of Wiarton in the loss of their only son, Pte. G. W. Jermyn who was numbered with the gallant Canadian lads who fell during the big drive forward in France. He was a former member of the 160th. The sad news came by wire on Thursday last.

Meet This Man

An expert who thoroughly understands how to measure you for suit or overcoat is coming from Canada's oldest and largest Men's Tailoring Institution—the House of Hobberlin. Mr. Frank Cowie, the expert, will be here on Oct. 2nd. Be sure to meet him and have him show you Hobberlin's Smart Styles and splendid range of British Woolens at moderate prices.—Stephan Bros.

East Bruce S. S. Convention

The East Bruce Sunday School Convention will be held at the Evangelical Church, Mildmay, on Thursday, Oct 10th. The program promises to be more than usual merit this year. The speakers will be:—Rev. A. T. Halpenny, Gen. Supt. of the Ontario S. S. Association; Rev. W. H. Burgess B. A., B. D., of Walkerton, Convenor of S. S. Work for Synod in London and Hamilton; and Rev. Mr. McCaulley Baptist Minister of Glamis.

Courtney Knapfler Reported Missing

Bugler Courtney Knapfler, who reported who was one of the youngest members of the Bruce Batt'n., was reported "missing since Sept. 2nd," in a dispatch received by his parents Mr. and Mrs. William Knapfler, yesterday morning. Courtney was a mere boy when he joined the bugle band two years ago and the news came as a very sad shock to his parents. Just four days ago his mother gave birth to baby boy and the news from the front has had a bad effect on her condition which is causing considerable anxiety. Courtney who was the eldest of the four children, all boys, is only 19 years of age.

Medical Board Here

A Medical Board of Review has been sitting at the Armoury since Monday morning and all the men of this district in a lower category than A have been called up for examination, the idea being, it was stated, to raise as many as possible to category A. On Monday 24 men were examined and 6 raised to A. On Tuesday 8 were raised to A out of 25 examined and on Wednesday 8 more. The Board which is composed of were raised to A out of 26, making a total of 22 A men for the three days. Capts. McFarlane, Fletcher and McIntosh of the A. M. C. Dept. London will complete its labors to-day. The Walkerton men raised to A include Asst.-Postmaster Arthur McLeod, who was formerly in Class E.

A Sudden Call

The death occurred here under very sad circumstances on Saturday afternoon of Mr. Henry Stroeder, a prosperous and highly respected farmer of Neustadt. Mr. Stroeder had come over to see his wife who had been a patient at the County Hospital and to arrange about taking her home. Early Friday morning he took a stroke of paralysis at the home of his aunt, Mrs. Stroeder, Yonge St., and on Saturday morning he took a second stroke which completely paralyzed his body. At 2.30 in the afternoon he passed away. Mr. Stroeder was in his 52nd year and leaves besides his sorrowing wife a family of five daughters. John, Joseph, Noah and Alex. Stroeder of this vicinity are cousins. The funeral took place on Tuesday afternoon, the remains being taken to Deemerton for interment, service being held at Deemerton R. C. Church.

Boys Charged with Burglary

Four boys from Belmore ranging in age from 8 to 16 years, appeared before Magistrate Tolton and Richardson on Monday afternoon charged with stealing goods from the general store-keeper at Belmore. A lad of 8, who appeared to be the ring-leader, confessed to going in seven times and helping himself to such things as candy dates, tobacco salmon, and lead pencils. It appears that the merchant has a warehouse across the road from his store where he keeps his pudding waggon and quite a supply of goods and it was there that the boys are alleged to have done the pilfering. Several of the boys are reported to have caught once before and warned and it was when the offence was reported a second time that the storekeeper decided to lay on information. The magistrates decided to send the boys up for trial at the next general sessions. In the meantime they are out on a one hundred dollar bail each.

Seriously Hurt By Fall

Mrs. Alex Ernest, East Ward, was badly hurt on Monday by falling from a tree while picking apples. Mrs. Ernest stepped out on a dead end and she fell to the ground fracturing limb which broke under her weight her collar-bone and three ribs. Mrs. Ernest was badly shaken up and is reported to be in a serious condition as a result of the fall.

Neighbors Quarrelled

Mr. Tony Miseri, complained to the authorities one day lately that his neighbor, Mrs. Louis Severson had run amuck and stick a pitch fork through his window. He laid an information before Magistrate Tolton and the trial was fixed for next Friday. In the meantime Mrs. Severson saw the magistrate and pleaded guilty, and agreed to pay damages. In addition she was assessed $1. and costs, amounting in all to $7.

Lutheran Pastor Wads.

Rev. H. J. Lamack, who was recently inducted to the pastorate of Walkerton Luthern Church, was united in marriage yesterday at the residence of the bride's parents, Philipsburg, Ont. to Miss Minnie Sibell. After the arrival of the G. T. R. train last evening an informal reception was tendered the pastor and his bride by the Luthern Congregation in the basement of the Church. A bountiful luncheon was served by the ladies of the Church and Rev. and Mrs. Lamack were the recipients of many warm expressions of good-will and best wishes.

Given Abother Chance

Mr. I. C. Gibson J. P. of Paisley committed Cecil Hepburn to jail on the 24th. inst. for entering the R. R. Station there and taking a sum of money thereroom. He appeared before Judge A. B. Klein on Wednesday and pleaded guilty. The Judge gave him good advice and suspended sentence until July 2nd next year upon the ground that he was young and that his father and two brothers are at the front as soldiers in France and have trouble enough. His mother is alone. That the money be returned. The conditions of his bond to appear: are that in the meantime he is to work and earn money, and attend Baptist Church service each Sunday until the time stated, and upon the said 2nd. of July next produce a certificate from the Pastor of the Church that he had so attended.

Sergt. Craig Killed in Action

Mr. John Craig who lives near the Grand Trunk station, received the sad news last Thursday morning that his youngest boy Sergt. William Craig, had been killed in action on Sept. 2nd., "Bill" had been in nearly all the big encounters of the past two years, and had been in the casualty list twice previously. Once a bullet pierced the palm of his hand and on a second occasion a shell passed so close to him that it tore his clothes off as well as some of the skin. Before enlisting with Col. Haggarty's temperance battalion at Toronto, he worked as a printer in the city. He was a smart young chap and soon won his way from the ranks to the position of Sergeant-Major. On the breaking up of his battalion in England he joined the 75th. Batt'n, fourth Canadian Division. After coming through some of the heaviest fighting on the Western Front he fell in the last push and now sleeps with Canada's heroic dead. An older brother, Pte. J. W. Craig, is now training at Witley Camp, England.

Wingefelder—McNab

An interesting event took place at the R. C. Church Chepstow, on Tuesday morning, Sept. 24th. at 9 o'clock, when Miss Irene McNab youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael C. McNab, became the bride of Anthony Joseph Wingefelder, second son of Mr. and Mrs. John Wingefelder of Walkerton the officiating priest being Rev. Father A. J. Fischer C. J. parish priest of Kitchener, Ont. uncle of the bride. The bride who looked pretty in her travelling suit of carmel serge embroidered in navy blue and hat to match, carring a shower bouquet of bridal roses, was assisted by her sister, Miss Mary McNab, who wore old rose georgette crepe and velvet hat, carrying a bouquet of pink sweet peas. The groom was supported by his brother, Pte Roy Wingefelder. After the ceremony a large company of invited guests partook of a sumptuous dejeuner at the home of the bride's parents, where the guests admired a beautiful array of handsome and useful presents. Mr and Mrs. Wingefelder left on the afternoon train for a wedding trip to Toronto, Hamilton and other points. On their return they will reside in Walkerton.

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Eight million yards of clothe will be required for the uniforms of the Americans, a record-breaking order.

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Noon train, arrives Walkerton—1.25 p. m.

LOCAL G. T. R. TIME TABLE

Morning train, south bound—7.05 a. m.
Morning train, north bound—11.57 "
Afternoon train, south bound—4.06 p. m.
Night train, north bound—8.25 p. m.

BRUCEMAN'S IMPRESSIONS

Rev. Dr. Johnston Talks To His Montreal Congregation About What He Saw Overseas.

"Never through all the long and glorious period of Britain's splendid history, has the Mother-Land been so worthy as she is to-day, of the confidence and devotion of her sons and daughters in the Colonies of her far-flung Empire," said Dr. Johnston. "Always great in her unselfishness and in her service for the world, she is greatest to-day when she stands unassailable in the integrity of her high purpose, as the heart and bulwark of the Alliance that has made the cause of world-liberty its own."

Speaking upon "The Brightening Horizon" from the text "Behold I create new heavens and a new earth," Dr. Johnston traced in brief outline the growth of the idea of a world-brotherhood, as glimpsed by prophets, more fully realized by the Apostles "whose narrowness both in religion and in national conception was transformed by the light that streamed from the Cross," and which found its realization in the life and teachings of Jesus Christ who was "Son of God that He might save all, and Son of Man that in Him humanity might find a common Brother."

For A Larger Brotherhood

In the movements of history such as the fall of the Roman Empire before the invasion of our ancestors the Goths, the overturning of an established order of society in the French Revolution, the hand of God could be traced preparing the world for a larger brotherhood.

To-day, with the hammer of the sword, and upon the anvil of the artillery-strewn battle-field, and in the fires of a world-conflagration, the nations of the world are being prepared for the welding process of the Gospel which shall make the nations truly one in spirit.

Cairo, he said, had always been called the cosmopolitan city of the world, but to-day, every road in France was a Cairo, where men from all the corners of the earth meet under the fusion of a mighty common purpose and aim. At the heart of it all stood Britain the only nation of the world under whose trusted and inspiring leadership the East and the West could be thus drawn together in a mighty sacrificial effort.

Dr. Johnston will preach next Sunday morning a second sermon on "The Brightening Horizon" dealing with "the Larger Consciousness of God" in evidence in the religious life in Britain and at the Front.

THE SCOTCH OF IT

Two old Scotsmen sat by the roadside talking and puffing away merrily at their pipes. "There's no muckle pleasure in smokin'," said Donald. "Hoolae ye make that out?" questioned Sandy. "Well," said Donald, "ye see, if ye're smokin yer ain bacca ye're thinkin' o' the awfu' expense, an' if ye're smokin' some ither body's, yer pipe's ramm't ase tight it winna draw."

A WISE MAN

There was a man in our town,
And he was wondrous wise;
He bought his wife a new silk gown
In way of a surprise.
He paid just nineteen ninety-eight,
He told his wife in glee,
She looked at him in deep disgust,
And then she said, said she:
"I could have bought that dress down town
For seven eighty-two
Why don't you read the ads, my dear,
As really wise men do?"

NEW NEWSPAPER REGULATIONS

The following radical regulations have come into force in the United States and will be adopted shortly, it is expected, in Canada:—

Here is a summary of the official order:

"No publisher may continue subscriptions after three months after date of expiration, unless subscriptions are renewed and paid for.

"No publisher may give free copies of his paper, except for actual service rendered; except to camp libraries and huts or canteens of organizations recognized by the government.

"No publisher shall give free copies to advertisers, except not more than one copy each for checking purposes.

"No publisher shall accept the return of unsold copies from newsdealers.

"No publisher shall print extra copies for stimulating advertising or subscriptions, or for any use other than those specified in these regulations, except 1 per cent. of his circulation, with a minimum of ten copies.

"No publisher shall send free copies in exchange except to such other publications as are printed within the county, or within a radius of forty miles from his point of publication.

"No publisher shall sell his publication at an exceedingly low or nominal subscription price.

"No publisher shall offer premiums with his publication unless a price is put upon the premium for sale separately and the combined price is at least 75 per cent of the individual prices.

"No publisher shall conduct voting or other contests for the purpose of obtaining subscriptions; subscriptions obtained in this way will not be considered bona fide subscriptions.

"No publisher may issue holiday, industrial or other special editions.

"Publishers of papers of more than eight pages in size will reduce the pages in excess of eight pages 25 per cent. This reduction shall be an average reduction over one month's period.

"No newspaper may be established during the period of the war, except those for which arrangements had been made and plants purchased previous to the issuing of this order, or unless it can be shown that a newspaper is a necessity.

"A sworn statement will be required from each publisher on Nov. 1st as to how many of these rules have been put into effect by him, and what results in the matter of reducting paper consumption have been obtained.

Motor cars were first licensed in Ontario in 1903, when 220 vehicles were registered. Up to and including 1918 the registration advanced to 87,000 vehicles and Canadians prominent in automobile affairs say that despite the war and its burdens the close of the present year will see the 100,000 far exceeded.

Editor Gets Into Trouble

They tell lots of tales on the editors, but this is a new one: The editor of a Kansas paper went to attend a party given by one of his neighbors where just a few weeks before the home had been blessed with a new baby. The hostess met him at the door and, after the usual salutation, he asked after the baby's health. The lady was hard of hearing, had a bad cold, and thinking he was asking about herself, answered that although she usually had one every winter, this was the worst one ever had. It kept her awake at night a great deal, and at first confined her to her bed. Then noticing that the editor was acting very strangely, she said she could tell by his looks and actions that he was going to have one just like hers, and she asked him to come in out of the draft and sit down.—The Ladies' Home Journal.

Town and District

Mrs. T. R. Todd of Vancouver, B. C. is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Archie Todd and has been a frequent visitor at the County Hospital the past week where her brother, Mr. David McGeagh of Hanover, has been recovering from a serious operation. Mrs. Todd left on Tuesday for London to attend a Convention of W. M. S.

Removed To Stratford

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Schiestel and family removed this week to Stratford where Mr. Schiestel has secured a good position in the McLagan furniture factory. The best wishes of their many friends here go with them.

The Proper Way

When using a telephone, speak clearly. Do not shout. A conversation in a room can often be heard when a person speaking into the phone cannot. Keep your mouth about two inches away from the sound receiver (not ten,) with your head turned so as to see what is going on in the room and there will be no difficulty in even a person somewhat deaf hearing what you have to say. Speak naturally in your usual conversational tone of voice.

Waring - Gowanlock

A pretty wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Gowanlock, East Ward, on Wednesday afternoon, Sept. 18th, at 4.30 o'clock when their daughter, Miss Jennie, was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Mr. Wm. Waring of Bruce Township. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. H. Burgess, B. A., B. D., pastor of Knox Church, Walkerton. The bride who looked pretty in a gown of white crepe de chene, with bead trimmings, and bouquet of white roses, was given away by her father, Mr. James Gowanlock. At the conclusion of the ceremony, after a dainty repast had been served, the happy young couple left for their home in Bruce Township, where the groom is an owner of a fine farm. The Telescope unites with their many friends in extending to Mr. and Mrs. Waring best wishes for a happy and prosperous journey through life.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the matter of the Estate of Henry Opperman late of the Town of Walkerton in the County of Bruce, Retired farmer, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given pursuant to the Revised Statutes of Ontario 1914, Chap., 121, Section 56, and Amending Acts, that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of the said Henry Opperman who died on or about the 22nd day of July A. D. 1918 are required on or before the 15th day of October A. D. 1918, to send by post prepaid or, to deliver to Anthony Opperman, Formosa P. O. Ont. one of the Executors of the last will and testament of the deceased, their christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims and a statement of their accounts, and the nature of securities (if any) held by them.

And Further Take Notice that after such last mentioned date the said Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the parties entitled there to having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice, and that the said Executors will not be liable for the said assets or to any person or persons of whose claim notice shall not have been received by them at the time of such distribution.

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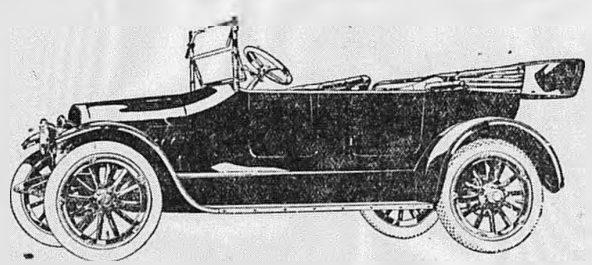
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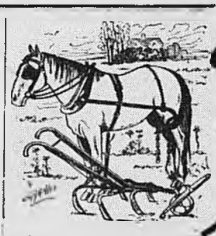
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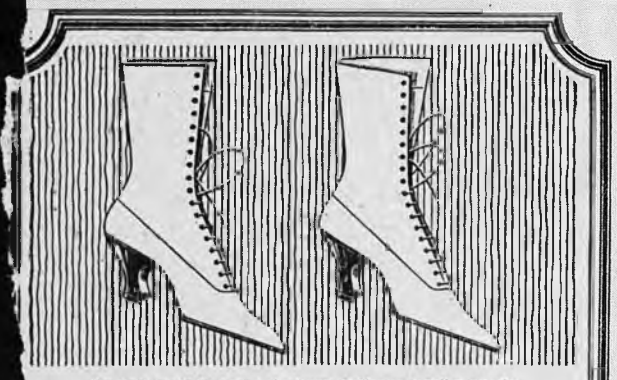
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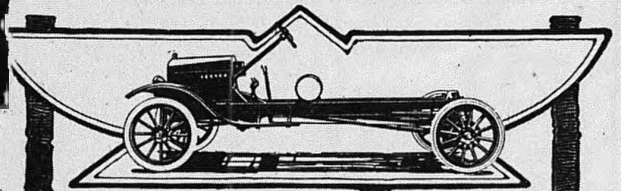
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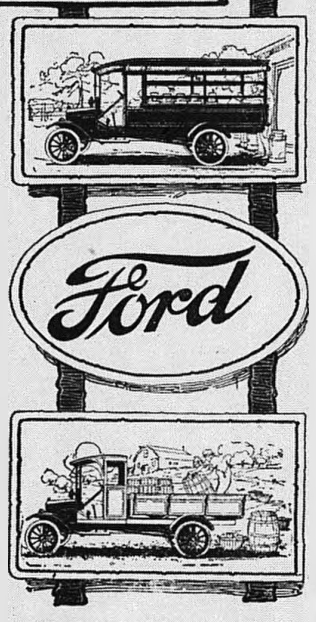


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CARRICK TP. COUNCIL

Town Hall, Mildmay, Sept. 16, 1918. Carrick Council met this date, pursuant to adjournment. All the members present. The Reeve in the chair The minutes of last meeting were read and adopted.

FINANCE REPORT

The following accounts were referred to the Finance Committee and disposed of as follows:—

John Schmidt, rng grader	3 75
Jno Drummond, gravel	2 00
Dan Reuber, gravel	12 04
Mildmay Gazette, voters lists	66 90
J. A. Johnstone, postage	2 40
F Heisz and B Beingessner auditing Treas. accounts	11 25
John Pulfus, gravel	12 90
Hy Homfeld, gravel	4 62
A Lorentz, gravel	9 15
Geo Harper, gravel	9 73
Jacob Palm, bdg. bridge	623 80
D Culliton, loss of sheep by dogs	32 66
Hy Wolfe, gravel	5 32
J A Hogg, hauling material and repairing bridge	6 00
Wm J Woods, bal grav'l acc't	1 80
John A Hundt, gravel	17 28
Arthur W Lewis, loss of 1 sheep	20 00
Peter Hoffarth, loss of 1 lamb	9 33
M Filsinger, 1 mtg, 1 day R&B.	5 25
Jos Montag, 1 mtg, 1 day R&B.	4 00
A W Lewis 1 mtg, 1 day R&B.	4 00
Chas Wagner 1 " 1 day R&B.	4 00
John Juergens 1 " 1 day R&B.	4 00

Messrs. Lucas Zettel and Ambrose Zettel of Formosa asked Council for assistance in closing the open ditch in Formosa, as same is dangerous.

Montag—Lewis—That this Council grant the sum of twenty dollars to said work, on condition the Culross Council grants a like amount—Carried.

Wagner—Juergens—That the Reeve be authorized to look after grading and gravelling the 6th concession, opposite lots 21 and 23.—Carried.

Lewis—Montag—That this council do now adjourn to meet again on Monday, the 11th day of November next, to transact general business.—Carried.

News About Town

Consider saving as a service rather than a sacrifice. You will gain rather than lose by it.

Mr Robert Fullerton of Paisley has disposed of his famous black show horse, which became widely known throughout Bruce and neighboring counties as a prize-winner.

Recent advices from Ottawa seem to indicate more surely that the Canadian Government will follow the lead of the United States authorities in requiring newspaper and magazine subscriptions to be paid in advance. The purpose of this measure is the conservation of print paper.

Pte. Fred. J. Waechter, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Waechter of Culross, was among the local soldiers recently wounded in France. He was engaged as butcher until a short time ago when he was transferred to France as a member of the mounted rifles. He was shot in the shoulder while riding his horse, but no further particulars concerning his condition have been received.

The closing down of a local laundry because of insufficient patronage causes the Haileyburian to rise up and speak some truths, some of which are equally applicable to other places. Walkerton not excepted. It says: "But every town has its so-called public spirited citizens, who would rather patronize a Chinaman than any Canadian concern, who would rather patronize Eaton's than their local stores, who send out of town for almost everything they wear or eat. They don't subscribe to their home paper, don't go to their own theatre, and kick at every improvement or enterprise that is apt to come When every citizen of a town makes up his mind that he will trade at home, support every home industry and boost for his town,—then, and not until then, will his town prosper as it should.

Early Monday forenoon Inspector McCool, with his son Bryan as chauffeur, drove into Chesley in his big car with Miss Gibson, of Wroxeter, who has signed up as preceptress of Tobermory School, and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alex. McKay, of the 4th con. Eldernie, who was on her way to Barrow Bay to start the juveniles of that part of Eastnor on the way towards acquiring a greater thirst for knowledge. The car drove to the home of W. T. Ross, and Helen with her valise was placed in the back seat along with the other two disciples of Herbert Spencer. They had lunch with them for a picnic along the way on this national holiday. We expect the quintette had a happy, free-from-care trip and that the Inspector was just as jolly as any of the others. If they happened into a bear or ran over a few rattlesnakes on the trip we will give their thrilling experiences later. It certainly shows the deep interest Inspector McCool takes in providing teachers for the children in his inspectorate when he will undertake to deliver the lady teachers right at the school doors.—Chesley Enterprise.

FALL FAIRS PAY WELL

Prepare Now to Harvest and Store Root Crops.

Best Mixtures and Methods of Making Bread With Flour of Various Cereal Grains

(Contributed by Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.)

TO the general farmer who grows good grain for seed, to the specialist in garden and truck crops, and particularly to the live stock man the Fall Fair offers an opportunity. It pays to advertise and the Fair is the place where the people see the goods produced, and seeing is believing. Moreover, the papers report the winnings and through these the exhibitor gets a large amount of advertising free which would otherwise cost him a considerable amount of money. Winning in close competitions under a competent judge adds dollars to the value of stock shown and increases the market price of any commodity as well as giving the exhibitor a standing not only in his own community but over a section of country corresponding to the size and influence of the show at which prizes are won. The Fair is a good place to make sales. Prospective buyers see the good exhibits made and enquire about the breeding stock at home. Stockmen show at Fairs largely to make sales rather than to win prizes although the latter is a factor in the sales and they are not disappointed as evidenced by the growing interest in the Fall Fair. Showing at the Fair, coupled with a judicious newspaper advertising policy, which should never be neglected, is good business. The two go together and work hand in hand. It pays to let others know of your good stock. Use printers' ink and show at the Fall Fair.—Prof. Wade Toole, O. A. College, Guelph.

Hints on Harvesting Root Crops.

Root crops should be taken up before the weather becomes too wet and disagreeable in the fall if in any quantity. It is slow work at any time and becomes much more so under cold damp conditions. Lift the roots with a digging fork and twist off the tops, putting them in piles and covering with the tops. If a large area is to be lifted, and one is expert with a sharp hoe, he can very quickly remove the tops, but they will not keep quite as well. The roots should be ploughed out, throwing them as much as possible on the top. Bins with slatted sides and bottom should be used for storage where possible, as this gives the roots a chance to sweat. If the storage room temperature is above 40F. cover them with sand. Carrots should not be deeper than two feet in a bin, others may be four feet. Where cellar storage is not available use pits. These should be three feet wide, two or three feet high and of any length. Run the pits north and south where possible, and have them on well-drained ground. Put a layer of straw on the ground and cover first with straw 8 inches deep then 6 inches earth, and as the frost gets harder cover with fresh strawy manure. Have ventilators every 15 or 20 feet, as all roots sweat in storage. These may be filled with straw during cold periods.

All roots should be as free from dirt as possible when put in storage. It is often advisable to leave a few days in small piles so that at the second lifting any adhering will be removed.—A. H. MacLennan, B.S.A., Ontario Vegetable Specialist.

Cereal Grains for Bread-making.

On this continent and in Europe we use wheat in much larger quantities than any other grain. This is because the flour made from wheat contains the constituents necessary to form gluten. Rye contains a similar substance to a lesser extent, while the other grains do not have any of this material. Gluten is a tough, elastic, tenacious substance, capable of considerable expansion. Consequently, when the gas liberated through the action of yeast seeks to make its way out of wheat flour dough the gluten expands, retaining the gas and causes the dough to rise. When the bread is baked the gluten is "set" or coagulated, and this accounts for the light porous structure of wheat bread. When surrounded by a proper crust the moisture is retained and the bread may be kept for several days and still be an attractive article of food. Rice, oats, corn and barley cannot be used alone to prepare bread of this type. They cannot be expanded by means of yeast for their is no cohesion in the mass. They may be used in making biscuits and cakes or quick breads, which breaks easily, dries out readily, cannot be safely transported, and must be consumed within a few hours after being prepared.

On the other hand, there is comparatively little difference in the composition of the various cereal grains and, consequently, one will furnish about as much digestible nutrients as another. If, then, in a time of wheat shortage like the present, we substitute some of the flour of corn, oats, barley, buckwheat, etc., for wheat flour in making bread, we do not decrease its nutritive value. We do dilute the gluten and thus limit the power of expansion of the dough and we make the bread darker, but we have retained the desirable features of bread. Silkiness of texture and whiteness of crumb were counted points of excellence in the bread of the old high patent flour, but under the present conditions of longer extraction of the wheat grain and the introduction of substitutes, it is wrong for the consumer to place a high valuation on these points.—Prof. R. Harcourt, O. A. College, Guelph.

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Attend Your Local Fair to Improve Education and to Have a Good Time.

(Contributed by Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.)

THE marketing of thin chickens is not conserving our meat supply nor is it the most profitable method to the producers. Present prices of market poultry admits of the liberal use of feeds and the marketing of well-fleshed birds.

The best birds to flesh or fatten are those of the heavier breeds, such as Wyandottes, Rhode, and Rocks. The light breeds, such as Leghorns, seldom pay to fatten unless they are very thin in flesh.

The birds intended for fattening should be confined to a small pen or slatted coop. The process is not difficult if you will but pay attention to a few points that are essential.

Do not feed the birds for the first day they are shut up. You should give them something to drink, but it is best to give no feed. After the first day feed very lightly for two or three days and then gradually increase the ration, being very careful not to overfeed. We usually start chickens on very finely ground grains at the rate of three-quarters of an ounce of grain per feed to each bird, feeding twice daily. This can be increased gradually to two or three times this amount. Generally the most profitable gains are made during the first fourteen to sixteen days feeding. Such birds will not be excessively fat, but should be fat enough to cook and eat well. Some markets demand a fatter bird.

The most profitable gains are made on birds weighing from three and one-half to four and one-half pounds when put up to fatten.

The grains fed should be finely ground and, if at all possible, should be mixed with sour milk. Mix the feed to a consistency of a pancake batter. The more milk the chicken will take the better bird you will have in the end. Milk appears to have no good substitute for fattening chickens. If you cannot get milk then add ten to fifteen per cent. of meat meal to the ration and mix with water. The addition of a little green food daily will help matters. Many people get better results by feeding a little salt. About one-half pound to one hundred pounds of dry grain is sufficient. This mixes best by being dissolved in water and adding a little at each feed. Be careful not to use too much.

The best grains available now are a mixture of ground barley, cornmeal, finely ground buckwheat, and shorts. Oats are good if part of the hull is sifted out, as are also ground brewers' grains. We have used with good results a mixture of two parts of ground barley, two parts cornmeal, and two parts shorts, mixed with twice the amount of sour milk. In general feed about one-third shorts and then whatever finally ground grains you may have about the farm.

If at all possible mix the ground grains with sour milk.—Prof. W. H. Graham, O. A. College, Guelph.

Importance of Attending Exhibition.

Fall exhibitions are a permanent feature in the life of Ontario, and are of particular interest and import to the farmer and his family. True, many of the smaller shows might be greatly improved by the introduction of more new educative features, and some of the larger exhibitions have been criticized in the past for tardiness in placing agriculture in its due place, but at the present time, with things agricultural to the fore-front as they are, exhibition managements realize the value of a strong agricultural and live-stock department and are making this a leading feature of their work. In fact, no fall fair, large or small, could exist let alone prosper, without the products of the farm well represented.

Bearing this in mind, it is important that all attend their local fall fair and their nearest large exhibition. A well-managed fair is an education. The best live stock of the various types and breeds, the highest quality grain, roots and vegetables, the newest devices to aid the farmer and his wife in their work, and the most up-to-date special attractions are all there and each has its value to those who attend with the purpose of improving their knowledge. It is worth while to watch the judging being done to get an idea of approved type and to have one's interest stimulated that he may go home and do better work in breeding live stock or in the production of farm crops. Study the work of the judges. It helps to fix in the mind the proper type of live stock of the various breeds and the requirements of all farm crops. The boys and girls should be taken to the exhibition and encouraged to study and learn as well as to enjoy themselves.

Exhibitions also have their place in the social welfare of the people. It is profitable to get away from work for a few days and mingle with others, there to discuss matters of interest to all, and to see what progress is being made in industry other than that from which the fair-goer gets his or her living. It makes for bigger men and women with a wider viewpoint. A little clean, wholesome amusement is necessary in order to get the most out of life.

Go to the exhibition with the idea of improving your education and at the same time to have a real good time. It is profitable to get away from work occasionally and the exhibition offers not only an opportunity for pleasure but also for profit. —Prof. Wade Toole, O. A. College, Guelph.

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HENRY VAN HATTEN

Son of Mrs. Beechie, Walkerton, Ont.

RURAL SCHOOL FAIR

Was Not The Success It Might Have Been Owing To Bad Weather Last Thursday—Fair Is Doing a Grand Educational Work.

Bad weather interfered considerably with the success of the Brant and Carrick School Fair which was held here last Thursday. It was a cold raw day. The attendance was comparatively small and the exhibits about two-thirds of what might have been expected.

The School Fair is really the climax of the real work that had been going on through the summer months. There are competitions in oats, barley, potatoes, chickens and cows, cooking and fancy work. Not only that, but there is also a competition for essay writing, telling how they grow their crops, how they raised their chickens and in addition to all this an oratorical contest has been established and the efforts on the part of twelve or thirteen year-old boys, who have given learned dissertations on the causes of the war and the financial and economic status of the various European nations, would compare favorably with speeches of those many years older. The pupils are all of an enquiring and experimental turn of mind. The whole trend of this work must necessarily be to give agriculture a fair start with those who are chosing a vocation. The Rural School Fair is calculated to combine the use of one's brains with manual labor, and it will make boy or girl more efficient no matter what line of occupation he or she may take up. From a modest start of twenty-five School Fairs in 1912, gradually year by year they increased to about three hundred throughout the Province, embracing 2,281 rural schools, taking in 43,386 pupils who grew their grain and vegetables on over 51,000 plots. 6,858 settings of eggs, aggregating over 75,000 eggs altogether mostly of the Barred Rock strain were given out from the Department. There was an attendance of 72,000 children and 84,000 adults, and the entries totaled 11,500. The educational value of the Fairs is wonderful.

The full list of prize winners will be published in next week's Telescope.

Mr. Wm. Mullin and wife have gone on a visit to Buffalo.

Mrs. John Clancy of Cargill spent Wednesday with friends in Town.

Mrs. James Meagher of Greenock spent Wednesday with friends in town.

Mr. William Trotter left on a visit to Edmonton and other points in the West.

Edwin, the two year old son of Mr. John Seidel of Carrick, is reported to be very ill.

Dr. C. L. Grant removed this week into half of Mrs. McPhail's double residence on Scott St.

Mrs. Dirs has removed into the house which she recently purchased from Mr. Adolph Mosick on Victoria St.

Miss Frank, trained nurse, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. J. T. Clancy returned to Guelph on Monday.

Miss Mary McCarter of Toronto is spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. McCarter and her sister Mrs. Burgman.

Mrs. Robert Walton and children, who have been visiting her parents, Rev. and Mrs J. W. Sanderson, returned home to Toronto on Friday.

BORN

KNEFLAR—In Walkerton on Saturday, Sept. 21st, to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Knefler, a son.

MARRIED

FLEMING—WRIGHT—At Hanover, on Sept. 20th, Miss Cassie Wright, youngest daughter of Mrs. R. C. Wright to John Stewart Fleming, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. C. A Fleming, of Owen Sound.

Family Pays Heavy Price



Four sons of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bell of Pine River, enlisted in the Bruce Batt'n. A telegram received by the parents last Wednesday, stated that Norval and Clifford the two boys on the left of the picture had been killed in action. Two weeks previously Bert (lower right corner) was reported wounded. The Bell brothers are nephews of Messrs. Fred, John, Dan and Wilton.

Removing To Toronto

Mrs. R. Addley and family leave next week for Toronto where two of her daughters have had positions the past year.

Serious Operation

Mrs. N. P. Schmidt, who recently underwent a serious operation at Guelph Hospital is expected home this week. Mr. Schmidt went down to Guelph today to bring her home.

Mink Killed Chickens

A midnight intruder at Mr. Fred Ward proved to be an enormous Godwin's chicken house in the West ninks, which was dispatched by a bullet after it had killed three chickens and wounded a fourth.

Mrs. Schumacher's Sister

Mrs. J. J. Schumacher received word Saturday by wire of the death of her sister, Mrs. Paul Mummert, which took place at her home in Milwaukee on Friday evening at 6.15. A husband and grown-up family survive, one son being in the U.S. army.

Joins Flying Forces

Mrs. E. J. Skelton had word this week that her son, Crawford, who has been engaged in the Military Records Office at Calgary for some months, has been transfered to the Royal Air Force at Toronto. Crawford is already in Toronto and is expected home on leave in a few days.

Four Pianos In Four Days

Mr. G. B Smith, the live piano man from Ayton, was here two days this week and two days last and sold four pianos in and around Walkerton. Messrs. John Pelfus and Fred Vough of Brant bought New Scale Williams pianos, and Messrs. John Lerk of Carrick and Martin Weiler of Walkerton the Sweet-toned Ennis.

Shipped Furniture To City

Mr. Eli Myles, the local furniture man, made several shipments out of town the past two weeks including a consignment of household furniture to a citizen of Toronto. The city man found he could do better buying his furniture here than he could from the large Toronto houses. This is turning the tables on the catalogue houses with a vengeance.

Girl Guides Organized

A Corps of girl guides has been organized under the direction of Misses Queenie James and Marion Tuckey. Both young ladies have had experience in the work, the former at Winnipeg and the latter at Toronto. There was a good turnout at the organization meeting in the basement of St. Thomas church on Tuesday evening and the outlook for a good Corps of guides is promising.

THE PINKERTON FAIR

Was Well Up To the Standard Of Previous Years—Exhibit of Cattle was the Best In Years

Pinkerton Fair, always one of the best of the smaller shows, drew good weather on Friday although a downpour of rain early in the day somewhat interfered with the attendance In the afternoon the sun came out and smiled blandly as if to make up for its earlier deficiencies. The school children werent course all there and their sporting events were as usual an interesting feature, with Inspector McCool as judge, and Mr. Amsey Greig as starter. The exhibits on the whole were very good. Fruit, vegetables and grains were an excellent sample and the other classes in the Hall were pretty well filled The cattle classes were much better than usual, some animals of real class being exhibited. Considering everything the success of the day must have been pleasing to the enterprising President and Secretary, Messrs. John Clancy and David Pinkerton.

The officers and directors of the show this year were:—John Clancy President, D. Pinkerton, Vice President, W. T. Stewart, 2nd. Vice President, D Pinkerton, Sec.-Treasurer. Cruickshank, John Mutrie, Wm. H. Moffat, Alex Carr, Jas. Garland, Stanley Garland, Rev. M. Gale, Adam Reid, R Wells, Mrs. John Mutrie, Mrs. W. T Stewart, Mrs. Robt. Perdue.

The list of prize-winners will be published in next week's Telescope, "Missing Since Sept. 2nd."

Arrested A Cow

A South Ward citizen had his neighbours cow impounded this week for breaking into his war garden and who claimed $2 damages for the vegetables consumed. The owner of the animal had to pay $1.25 pounddage fee and 35c for seven head of cabbages in order to secure the release of his bovine from the toils.

Home From Peace River

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Schurter of Chepstow received a pleasant surprise on Tuesday when their son, Charlie, who has been absent in the Peace River country the last thirteen years, dropped in on them unexpectedly. Mr. Schurter is located at Sawridge, Alta., on Lesser Slave Lake, 300 miles north of Edmonton. He started off this summer on a trip to the Arctic Ocean via the McKenzie River but when the party got as far as Fort Resolution, 1200 miles north of Edmonton, the engine of the boat gave out and they were forced to return. At that northerly point he saw a good crop of wheat in the fields. The wheat is not sold up there on account of the expense of shipping it out but everything is fed to stock. Sawridge is a centre for fish and timber trading. Last year no less than one and a half million pounds of whitefish was taken out of Lesser Slave Lake. Mr. Schurter's business is selling boats, engines etc. to the fishermen, and during the past year he has equipped about 200 boats. He has great faith in the future of the Peace River Country and likes it immensely. He intends returning after a short visit to the old home.

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LIVE NEWS OF NEIGHBORING VILLAGES AND COUNTRYSIDE

:-: Happenings of the Week Collected for the Readers of The Telescope by a Staff of Wideawake Correspondents :-:

DUNKELD

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Merchant attended the Mildmay Fair last week.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. John Keyes, (nee Margaret Barry) at Clifford, Ont., a son.

The Misses Olive and Mary Knoll visited friends in Guelph and Kitchener last week.

Mr. Andy Long, has purchased the Mrs. Telton farm on the East Line, the price involved being reported as $4,000. John Finch, who has had the above farm leased for the past ten years or more, will as a consequence, be obliged to remove from our midst. During his long residence here, John has by his jovial disposition and courteous neighborly dealings, proven a highly esteemed citizen and although regretting his departure we wish him success in his next venture.

A party of five Harriston farmers were here on Saturday with a big threshing outfit, which a Threshing Syndicate had purchased from Mr. McKenzie of Bruce Twp. They started out on the trip of moving it from Bruce to Harriston on Monday morning and only reached here by Saturday noon, several breaks having occurred prior to landing here. An auxiliary gang was rushed here by motor that day for the purpose of lending a paw to the weary travellers who had already been "roughing it" a whole week on that slow and tiresome voyage.

A young Brant soldier whom we reported as slain last week, was only wounded, apparently. Mistakes are bound to occur in war times. For instance a Cargill soldier was listed in The Star as wounded and in The Globe as killed in action. A little mistake often resulting in doubt and confusion.

There is a certain bad piece of road in this locality. Two automobiles have already been broken while passing over it. Several cars have run off the road at the dangerous spot. It should be brought to the attention of the municipal authorities. Negligence in the matter of road repair is liable to result in a fatality. A Guelph motorist informed the writer on Saturday that he witnessed nothing like it 'twixt here and the Royal City. It does not come under the Good Roads' System but is about the most travelled road in this part of the county.

PINKERTON

Miss Alma Reid of Toronto is visiting at her home here.

Mr. R. L. Garland of the G. T. R. staff Palmerston, spent Sunday at his home here.

Pte. Russell Birrell of the Army Medical Corps of Toronto spent a few day's leave at his home here.

Mrs. Wm. McFayden of Michigan renewed acquaintances in the vicinity last week.

Only a small crowd attended the Annual Exhibition on Friday last owing to the disagreeable weather.

The exhibits were larger than usual especially in the live stock classes and keen competition resulted. The concert in the evening was under the auspices of the Red Cross. Harry Bennett was an excellent entertainment in himself. Miss Cunningham of Walkerton gave two excellent recitations and the Misses Pinkerton rendered several piano duets.

HANOVER

Rev. Dr. Ross, a former pastor of the Hanover Methodist Church, has been invited to attend the anniversary services of the church here in November, and has accepted the invitation.

Another Hanover boy, Pte. Edward Lobsinger, son of Mrs. Catharine Lobsinger of 16 Lawrence Avenue, Guelph and recently of Hanover, has laid down his life on the battlefields of France. Word was received that the young man was officially reported killed in action on August 30th.

A sad death occurred in Hanover on Sunday Sept. 15th. when Mrs. Herbert Merklinger passed away at the early age of 28 years, 8 months and 2 days. Death was due to brain fever after a few days' illness.

Pte. Alfred Wright of Hanover is recovering in a French hospital from an accident to his foot which afterwards became poisoned. This information was received in a letter sent by Pte. Wright himself to his home here and the injury is not believed to be of a serious nature.

Mr. J. C. Devlin of Hanover was doubly bereaved last week. On Friday he received the fateful message from Ottawa advising him of the death of his son Earl in action and the following day the death of his only living brother, Benjamin, of Collingwood was announced.

Roscoe H. Helwig, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Helwig of Hanover, has enlisted in the R. A. F. He held a good position in Toronto previous to enlistment. His older brother, Lieut. Norman Helwig now a Flight Lieut. in the R. A. F. who went overseas as a lieutenant with the 147th. Greys, has been recognized for bravery for his work in France.

Willie Herd, the 11-year old son of Mr. Robert Herd of Allan Park met with a serious accident Tuesday morning of last week as a result of which his left hand is badly injured. The evening before he picked up a box of blasting cartridges on the road and early on Tuesday morning he proceeded to examine same. On opening one of the six cartridges in the box one suddenly exploded and literally blew off the first two fingers and thumb of his left hand and injured the third finger and palm as well. The little fellow is doing as well as could be expected.

MILDMAY

Rev. A. W. Guild of Ponsonby conducted the memorial Service in honour of the late Pte. Henry Stephen Hickling in the Mildmay Methodist church, Sunday evening.

Honor Roll services were held in St. Pauls Evangelical Church last Sunday. The services were very impressive. The decorations were very pretty. A piano was used for the occasion and during the unveiling National anthems were played, while the Congregation joined in singing God Save and Guide our men. Mr. Robb, bass soloist from Clifford, was present and gave several pleasing selections.

The many friends of Dr. J. A. Willson will be pleased to learn that he in recovering nicely from his recent illness.

A quiet wedding took place at the Evan. parsonage here last Friday 13th, where Miss Ruby Finn of Carrick, and Pte. Otto Jahann of Howick were united in marriage, by the Rev. E. D. Becker. They have taken up residence on Mr. Johann's fine farm on the Howick townline. Best wishes.

KLEIN—In Carrick, on Sept. 15th, to Mr. and Mrs. George E. Klein, a son.

EDEN GROVE

Alas and Alack! Pinkerton Exhibition is over. Every year for forty five years Pinkerton has made an exhibition of itself and something tells me next year will be the forty sixth. In spite of inclement weather the fair this year was well attended. Mr. Fred Gibb and the Rev. Mr. Gale both being present. Substantial and numerous prizes were presented to many exhibitors. I understand one of the gentlemen mentioned above felt slightly peeved because though he entered for a prize the ignorant clod hopper of a judge never having seen the large eared type of horse before examined the one between the shafts only. Also I do not consider that favoritism should have been shown the other gentleman who was quite illegally given a second prize the day before the fair opened. Seiler & Co. captured several prizes including one first and one second for butter and first for the best hen. I'd have taken a chicken and tried to gather a prize but I was afraid my wife would hear of it and be jealous. When all is said and done however I too am a little peeved. They gave a prize for the one that came the longest distance and so why didn't they give me one for being the most absent one.

The concert in the evening was enjoyed by everyone. Even the moaning and groaning of the foggy storm? at the start was most enjoyable.

Baisdon ex-Chief of Police has my sincerest sympathy. Strangely enuf I have always felt a little sorry for Fred. Mostly perhaps on account of his small puny appetite. However his underfed condition is not the primary cause of my swollen sympathy at the present time.

Poor Bill is no more and in his loss of poor Bill brother Baisdon ex chief of police has, I am sure, the tears of a host of friends at his service. Poor Bill, Poor Baisdon.

One year ago Friend Baisdon happy and full of hope, was elected to his high office as chief of the County police department. To-day, sad and full as ever, he is jobless and without hope. He has had to get rid of Bill—"Telephone Bill" as we loved to call him. It cost fifteen cents to bury Bill and the county in whose interest Bill was born never even sent a wreath. Poor County, Poor Baisdon, poor Bill.

A PLEA

The owner of the Hall at Eden Grove is fighting for his country. So is his son. As near as we can learn he is not well fixed financially. The building is the only one that is used or can be used for entertainments of any kind and in its present condition is a disgrace to every man woman and child in the Grove. It is used freely and free of charge for Red Cross purposes.

Seven Dollars worth of glass, one sash, putty and a little volunteer work will put the Hall in shape. I consider it is up to all of us to raise the money and make the place fit for entertainments of all kinds this winter.

The Secretary of the Red Cross advises me that they are almost at the end of their present finances. My suggestion is this. Let us pull together for fun once. Hold a meeting at which we can plan a dance and an organization which will fix up the the Hall and aid the Red Cross. Then this Winter give dances—hold card parties and entertainments so that by Spring the local Red Cross will be in decent financial circumstances. I am sure you are patriotic to Canada—Can you not also be patriotic to the Grove.

Then show it by attending an enthusiastic meting to be held in Ward's Hall on Friday evening Sept 27. Everybody—Men and Women come and help organize.

Hiram

CARGILL

Mr. and Mrs. Zeigler and children left for Wiarton on Monday where they will reside in future and where Mr. Zeigler has secured employment in a Grist Mill.

Mr. Fred Grice was in Toronto the first of the week.

A foot bridge is a much needed addition to our bridge. During the recent rains our villagers were compelled to walk through mud and water, which was standing on this structure, and which was as bad almost as walking up the middle of the road. A foot bridge would remedy this state of affairs.

Quite a few from here attended the Pinkerton Exhibition on Friday afternoon also the concert in the evening.

One of our motor enthusiasts was trying to run his "Peace Ship" on Sunday, with the gasoline turned off. That is one way to conserve gasoline, but the best way is to leave it in the Garage on Sunday.

The Methodist Church held very successful anniversary services here last Sunday when Rev. C. W. Cousins of Walkerton preached very able sermons morning and evening to good congregations. A Rally day service of the Presbyterian and Methodist Sunday Schools was held in the afternoon at which Mr. Cousins spoke also.

A very successful Bowling Tournament in aid of the Red Cross was held last Thursday when over $115.00 was raised. Our Bowlers are to be congratulated on the success of this their second Tourney for the Red Cross this year.

Miss Edna Pearson who has been visiting her sister here returned to Toronto on Tuesday.

Mr. Jas. Alexander who has been working in a hardware at Bruce Mines Ont. is home.

Mr. F. Mawhinney received word last week that his brother Pte. Mawhinney of the 160th. had been killed in action. The 160th. are being hard hit but they will give a good account of themselves.

In a letter received from Sergt. Loughleen who was wounded on August 26th. and written since entering the hospital, he says his wound is only a slight one inflicted about 5.30 in the morning. He is doing nicely and tells folks not to worry as he is "Jake".

GLAMIS

Mrs. Arnott of Paisley spent a few days in the burg, guest of Mrs. J. C. McIntyre.

Pte. Allan Fraser returned to London on Saturday.

Mrs. McCauley of Tara, Mr. and Mrs. Bell, and Miss Thelma, and Mr. and Mrs. Marshall, of Williscroft were Sunday evening visitors with Rev. J. E. McCauley.

Miss Helen Oliver of New York and Mrs. (Rev.) D. McIntyre, son, and daughter of Toronto returned to the latter's home on Monday after an extended visit here.

Mr. Jack Cameron of Tiverton was a Sunday visitor at "Spruce Lawn."

Mr. Will Web has opened a tinsmith business in the basement of the I. O. O. F. Hall. We wish Will every success in his new enterprise.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Woods and daughters, of Lorne, and Mr. and Mrs. A. McKinnon of North Bruce were visitors at Mrs. J. Cuninghame on Sunday.

Mrs. Buhler and son Clifford of Maidstone are visiting at the home of her brother, John Deehan.

A number from here attended Kincardine and Pinkerton Fairs on Friday.

Mrs. Abbott and son of Riversdale spent over Sunday at James Beggs.

Owing to Memorial Service in Baptist Church on Sunday morning and Rev. J. E. McCauley's farewell Sunday evening both Services were cancelled in Presbyterian and three Methodist Churches. The both pervices were largely attended, the Church being full.

The Ladies Missionary Meeting of St. Paul's Church was held at the home of Mrs. James Thompson.

Mrs. J. B. McCormick received official notice last week that her youngest son, Pte. Thomas McCormick had been gassed. No further particulars have been received. His many friends here sincerely hope he is not serious. Tom has been serving in France for some time. In a letter received by his sister Mrs. A. Kitchen a few days ago he stated he was soon to be returning to England to take a course, but in the meantime he had been gassed.

SOLWAY

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Carson of Bentick spent Sunday at the home of Mr. P. Quirk

Mr. and Mrs. R. Cassick and children spent Sunday at the home of the latter's parents, Mr and Mrs. Moore of Greenock.

Mrs. J. J. Burke of Kerrobert, Sask. is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Jno. Stroeder.

Mr. Pat Quirk accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Monk and family motored to Eugenia Falls on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Stroeder and Mrs J. Burke attended the funeral of the former's cousin Mr. Henry Stroeder in Deemerton on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy McGarrity of Bentinck called at the home of Mr. P. Quirk on Saturday.

Miss Mary Whitehead spent Sunday at the home of her sister, Mrs. Ben Michell.

Walkerton Markets

(Revised, Wednesday, Sept. 25th)

Old Oats, per bsh.	75 to... ... 75
New Oats, per bsh.	75 to 75
Wheat " "	2.12 to..... 2.12
Butter, per lb.	40to 42
Eggs, per doz	42to... .. 44
Barley per bus	$1.15..... 1.15
Hogs, per cwt.	17.75 to 18.75
Potatoes, per lb.	1½c

COLLECTOR WANTED FOR BRANT TOWNSHIP

The undersigned will receive applications for the office of collector of rates for the township of Brant for the year 1918, applications to be in the hands of the Clerk before two o'clock on Monday, Sept. 30th., 1918, applicants to state salary. A special meeting of the Council will be held at the above date and time at the Township Hall, Brant.

By order of Council
M.A. McCallum, Clerk.

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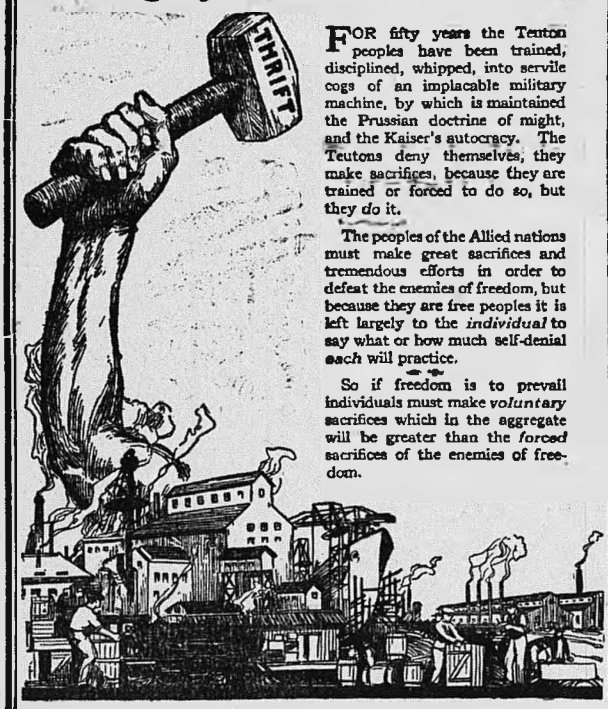
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The peoples of the Allied nations must make great sacrifices and tremendous efforts in order to defeat the enemies of freedom, but because they are free peoples it is left largely to the *individual* to say what or how much self-denial *each* will practice.

So if freedom is to prevail individuals must make *voluntary* sacrifices which in the aggregate will be greater than the *forced* sacrifices of the enemies of freedom.

THE measure of your love of freedom is your willingness to deny yourself so that the strength of the nation for war effort will be increased.

This self-denial must take the form of *money-saving—thrift*. Each person knows in what way he or she may save.

The national need says you must save, but free Canada leaves it to *you* to say by what means and to what extent you *will* save.

NOW, it is for you, *each* of us, *everyone* of us to say how much patriotic endeavor, how much loyal sacrifice we will make by *saving our money*, by "doing without" so that each day will see a surplus to add to our own and the *nation's strength*. No matter how small the surplus it is important because each saving is an *effort made*, and many small individual efforts make the *mighty national force*.

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EVANGELINE'S LAND TO HAVE A SHRINE



A giant of the orchard in full bloom, Memorial Park, Grand Pre, N.S. The fisherman doing his bit.

A new Mecca is beckoning to devotees of art and religion. Its name is Nova Scotia. Already the artists have made their pilgrimage and returned with charming pictures of Evangeline's Land. A collection of sixty paintings, the work of six New York men, known as the Nova Scotia Group, were exhibited recently in New York and elicited much praise.

The pioneers of Nova Scotia have blazed a trail for which a brush and [illegible] army will follow in search to come. They will come to paint the gentle beauty of apple-blossoms when the great Annapolis Valley is covered with a fragrant pink and white veil. They will come in cherry time to paint the rich red fruit and the happy people enjoying the Cherry Festival, a time honored custom. They will come in autumn to transfer to canvas the mad riot of brilliant coloring with which Nature gabbits the woods and hillsides and when the orchards groan beneath their heavy burdened boughs of ripened apples. They will come at all seasons to picture the quaint fisherfolk and their quainter surroundings.

The Dominion Atlantic Railway that swings you around a half-circle from Halifax to Yarmouth, takes you through a Land of Romance, the Land of Evangeline. At the little station of Grand Pre you will find a wide meadow which is soon to be transformed into a shrine. Here previous to 1776, stood the Roman Catholic Church of St. Charles, the church of the Acadians. To-day a massive stone cross marks the site of the old burying ground that surrounded the church and nearby is Evangeline's Well, with its long sweep.

The French Acadians have always cherished a reverence for this spot and now through the generosity of the Dominion Atlantic Railway Company they may call it their own. The railway company has purchased this meadow and will make it into an old-fashioned garden surrounded with a rustic fence and has deeded a portion of the ground to the Societe L'Assomption, composed of French Acadians, of whom the Rev. C. V. Landry of Eutoche, N.B., is President. The only consideration for this transfer is the promise of the Societe to erect a chapel. This they are eager to do and plans are now under consideration.

With the dedication of the new shrine, large numbers of French Acadians from Quebec, Montreal and Upper Canadian points, will make pilgrimages to Grand Pre similar to those made yearly to Ste Anne de Beaupre. Their numbers will be swelled by many others who cherish a fondness for the gentle Evangeline and who will be eager to visit the scene of her story and to walk under the ancient willows that still guard this storied spot.

BRANT TP. COUNCIL

The municipal council of the Township of Brant met on Monday Sept. 16th. Members all present. Minutes of last meeting of Council read and declared correct.

Findlay—Gregg—That this council having been interviewed by a deputation of prominent ratepayers urging the need of some aid being given to the the dependents of the mercantile marine hereby express their approval of the movement; and would urge that the Bruce County Council at the December session pass a resolution giving a grant to this fund.

Rowand—Findlay—That the Clerk be authorized to have a solicitor prepare a by-law to empower the corporation of Brant Township to issue debentures to cover the cost (in excess of the Commissioners estimate) of installing Hydro Electric System in the village of Elmwood.—Carried.

Johnston—Gregg—That as no applications for the office of collecter of rates has been received the clerk is hereby instructed to advertise in the Walkerton Telescope for a collector of rates for the current year applicants to state salary, applications to be in the clerk's hands by 2 o'clock p. m. on Monday the 30th. day of September on which date a special meeting of council will be held.—Carried.

Rowand—Johnston—That the Reeve and Clerk issue orders on the Treasurer for all accounts passed at this meeting of council will be held.—Carried.

Accounts passed as follows.—

John Scanlon, lamb killed by dogs	20 00
Geo. Sirrs, valuating sheep killed by dogs	1 70
Dan Ernest, sheep killed by dogs	25 00
T. H. Wilson, valuating sheep killed by dogs	1 60
Melvin Goodby, 115 yds. of gravel	11 50
Alex Rae, 67 yds. of gravel	6 70
Fred Fortune 70 yds. of gravel 7 00, shoveller 2 00 1 day	9 00
Frank Rennie, 12 yds. of gravel	1 20
Wm. Atwell, 40 yds. of gravel	4 00
John Sifel, 118 yds. of gravel	11 80
S. Parker, 28 yds. of gravel	2 80
John Mills, repairing road grader	28 80
Fred A. Edgar, services as Engineer re Herman Widow ditch	31 00
Canada Ingot Iron Co. Iron and culvert	63 90
John Lundy, drawing tile and dragging ditch	27 00
Hugh Ferguson, going for cement to Dunkeld	2 50
Joe Dierslam, cement tile	43 40
John Monk, wall paper for Township Hall	3 50
Jas. Rae, drawing frames for arch	5 00
H. Brownscombe, 4 m. tile	6 80
Frank Heinz, dragging ditch on road allowance re H. Widow ditch	16 00
Jas. Watson, hauling tile placing same	4 00
Tado Weichman drawing material for road allowance re H. Widow ditch	18 50
Jas. Dewar, cement tile	7 50
Jos. Schutkofski, cement	375 90
Walkerton Telescope 1 year's contract printing	85 00
M. A. McCallum, B.O. H meeting 2 40 postage 3 00	2 40
D. Willoughby B.O. H. meeting	2 80
Wm Rowand B.O.H. meeting	2 30
Dr. Bricker, B.O.H. meeting	3 00
E. Bowman, caretaker, Henry Helberg re sickness	7 75
Martin Monk, sanitary inspector	10 80

Gregg—Rowand—That this council do now adjourn to meet on Monday the 30th. day of Sept. at 2 o'clock p. m. as a special meeting for the purpose of appointing a collector and other business.—Carried.

M. A. McCallum,
Clerk.

A MERE ACQUAINTANCE

The young man was calling on the daughter of the household. He stepped into the next room, where her father was seated.

"Mr. Jones—er—ah. That is, can I—er—will you"—

"Why, yes, my boy; you may have her."

"How's that? Have whom?"

"My daughter, of course. You want to marry her, don't you?"

"No sir. I just wanted to find out if you would indorse my note for $100."

"Certainly not. Why, I hardly know you."—Exchange.

THE HOME LETTERS

Write a sunny, funny letter
To the boy somewhere in France,
Happier it is the better,
Make it cheer him at first glance,
Tell him of the latest winning
Of the team from Homeville High,
All the [illegible] jokes they're spinning;
Let not even doleful sigh.

We must keep the home fires burning
Bright within each khaki breast,
If we drown our fears and yearnings,
His courage will do the rest.
Let not the nation's battle
Our work, and watch, and pray
The guns have ceased to rattle
And shall have come to stay.

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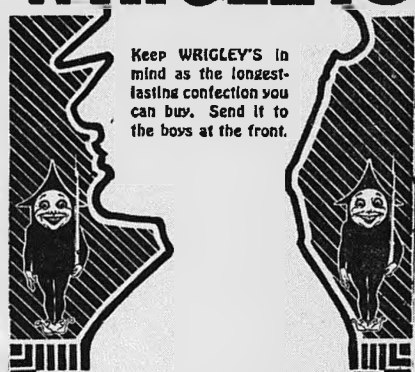
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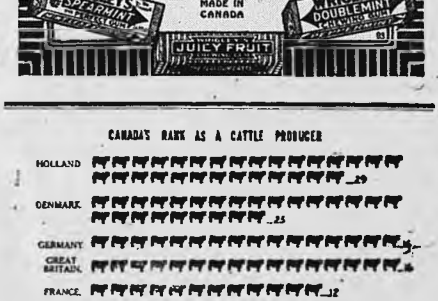
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y Ontario Department of ulture, Toronto.)

st point to observe in packing of butter, in r to have it keep well winter use is to have . The best butter for usually made in the une and September. It is made from comparatively m which has been pasteurwever, on the farm pasteur- not commonly followed, butter should be made ather is comparatively cream should be churn- becomes very sour—in tor the cream the more to produce good keeping he butter, so long as there acid in the cream to give ing results.

am should be churned in ay, except that the butter ashed once, with brine, made by dissolving salt in tead of using water at both Salt at the usual rate— yer one ounce of salt per butter, because salt does erve butter as is commonly d, except in a miner degree ast- "-eam butter. It ed ' so

mistake, however, to act- alt that the fine flavor of the th is covered up.

Ha ng worked the butter as ua- ack it firmly into crocks, tubs r dishes. If unparaffined wooden packages are used, these should be soaked several days in salt water to prevent "woody" flavor in the butter. A better plan is to coat the inside of the tub or box with hot wax, then line with heavy parchment paper, before packing the butter. Glazed crocks which are clean, need no lining.

When the package is full, preferably all from one churning, smooth the top of the butter, cover with parchment paper or a clean cotton cloth, then tie heavy brown paper over the top and place in a cool cellar or in cold storage. Sometimes a salt paste is put on top of the cloth or paper and this is kept moist by sprinkling on water from time to time. This excludes the air and helps to keep the butter.

We recommend packing the butter in solid form which is to be kept for some time, rather than molding the butter in prints, even though these may be submerged in brine.—Prof. H. H. Dean, O. A. College, Guelph.

Select Seed Corn Now.

Unless every precaution is taken this autumn the supply of good seed corn of the desirable varities will be inadequate for the requirements of 1919. The autumn of 1917 saw the corn crop harvested with an excess of moisture. Wet cold weather followed, during which time the corn did not cure, consequently, when the very cold weather of December set in the corn was frozen and germination was reduced to a very low percentage. This situation which caused the agricultural authorities of North America so much anxiety during the winter and spring of 1918, and which was described by them as "a national calamity," is not yet averted. The problem, which that committee had to face was one of supplying North America with seed which would give a fair germination. To secure this seed was no easy task and recourse was made to districts in the United States hundreds of miles to the south of Ontario which produce large, late maturing varieties. In bringing this seed into the country there was little expectation that it would produce much grain, but it was hoped it would produce fodder. The situation in Ontario was so acute that an embargo was placed on the seed grown in Kent and Essex counties prohibiting the exportation from those counties to other districts in Ontario. Some of this germination was available but not sufficient for all their local needs, and as those counties located in southern and western Ontario furnish the chief source of seed for the remainder of the province it was felt that such action was justified in order to conserve those varieties for seed purposes which had proven themselves adapted to Ontario conditions.

There was never a time in Ontario's history when it was more necessary to take every precaution in the selection of seed corn than at the present time. The most satisfactory method of seed selection is that of selecting in the field. The grower can go up and down his rows and select those ears which are early, well developed and possess all the varietal characteristics. When selecting in the field the grower has before him the standing plant. He can select from those plants which possess the height, strength, leafiness and earliness desired. When once the desired type is established in the grower's mind good progress can be made in selecting the ears. This method offers many advantages over that of selecting from the shock or from the crib. The crib is the least desirable, in that it offers only husked ears to select from. With the shock, when husking, the grower has the wilted or matured stalks, while the field selection has everything in its favor, the whole plant and its environment which may mean normal or abnormal conditions for development.—Dr. C. A. Zavitz, O. A. College, Guelph.

NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Sacrifice should begin at home; don't leave it all to the soldiers.

Prudent men and women have always maintained a margin of saving.

The busy little bee improves each shining hour by gathering honey for some freckle-faced boy to smear on his bread.

For the sake of your country and the boys "over there" spend cautiously. Ask yourself first: "Is this something I really need or can I do without it?

Mr. P. J. Lilliico, a prominent real estate man of Toronto, formerly of Chesley, called on Mr. Wm. Paterson and other friends in town on Thursday.

Whoever competes with the nation by freely satisfying his own desires, selfishly appropriates to his own use that which is so urgently required for our men in France.

To-day it is a matter of the gravest importance that each Canadian seek ways and means to economize by cutting down expenditures for unnecessary things, he could do without, so that when the nation needs to borrow money he will be in a position to do his full duty.

Extending Their Leave

The young men from the farms in this district, now in military training at London, are getting their leave extended until Oct. 31st.

Slaming County Town

It now costs 25 cents to get a hair cut in Walkerton. While this is pretty stiff for the residents of the County Town yet they have too much of an advantage over the rest of the County where the rate is 35 cents.—Wiarton Echo.

Dr. H. H. Sinclair says that the address he heard Bishop Fallon give to the Hamilton Canadian Club on his impressions of the War was the finest thing he ever heard.

Rev. Mr. Tyler of Eden Grove, preached at the Methodist Church on Sunday in the absence of Rev. C. W. Cosens, who conducted a sacramental service at Mildmay.

R. E. Truax M. P., of Walkerton was a visitor at the fair on Tuesday. Mr. Truax is 72 years of age, but he is as active as many men of middle age.—Mildmay Gazette.

To save fuel, agreeable families should double up this winter, says the Durham Chronicle. Better still surely to double up the disagreeable ones. They could keep warm without fuel.

Among the officers of the Siberian Expeditionary force will be Lieut. A. V. Hearst, who spoke at the Chautauqua here. Lieut. Hearst is the son of Premier Hearst, an old Bruce boy, and a relative of Mr. Henry Williams, East Ward.

In English Hospital

Mr. Thomas Donoahue, photographer, had word last week that his son, Arthur E. Donoahue, who has been training in England, is at present in a hospital with pass on the knee-joint from over-exertion.

Chaplain In U. S. Forces

Rev. W. J. Todd, of Iowa, son of Mrs. Archie Todd, East Ward, was recently appointed a Chaplain in the American Army and expects to go Overseas about Christmas. Capt. Todd has had a highly successful pastorate and was one of three ministers named as Chaplain from his district.

THIRD TIME WOUNDED



MAJOR A. W. McNALLY

Son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McNally of Brant, who is now in a hospital convalescing after having been wounded on August 30th for the third time.

In Near Switzerland

Nursing Sister Ethel Crydermun, who has been on duty at one of the Canadian General Hospitals in France the past year or more, writes home that she has been transferred for a short time to a less strenuous post in the Jura Mountains, near Switzerland.

Seriously Wounded

Major Charles Bailey of Vancouver, B. C., step-son of Mr. Harry Todd, formerly of Walkerton, was reported seriously wounded in the hip last week. Mrs. Archie Todd had further word on Monday that he was doing nicely. Major Bailey enlisted at the first of the war and this is his first casualty although he has been in practically all the big battles. His good work has won him promotion, time and time again.

What Causes A Town To Die

More towns die for want of confidence on the part of business men and lack of public spirit than for the rivalry of neighboring towns or adverse surroundings, says a writer in a Western paper. This is true. When a man in search of a home or a business location goes to a town and finds it brim full of hope and enthusiasm over the prospects of the place and earnestly at work to build up the town, he soon becomes imbued with the same spirit, and as a result he dives his takes and goes to work with the same interest. When, however, he goes to a town, and everyone expresses a doubt and apprehension of the prosperity of the place, moving about and indulging in mournful complaints about imaginary evils which are likely to befall the town, he feels that it is no place for him, and shakes the dust from his feet, while he departs with town. Try to make a live, enterprising, progressive town out of the one in which you live. When you are working for or saying a good thing for your town you are accomplishing a good thing yourself.

Dandy Dusters

Use dusters which have been wrung out of a solution of two tablespoonfuls of coal oil to a quart of warm water. Hang them up dripping and allow to dry. The use of these prepared dusters and an oiled mop and carpet sweeper will do a lot to keep the house in order with little effort.

Died At Vancouver

The death occurred at Vancouver recently of a former highly respected Brant lady, Mrs. John Rothwell, who before her marriage was Miss Eliza Bell of Brant. For many years the Rothwells lived on the farm just east of the town, at present owned by Mr. John Ernest. Her death took place at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Brown of Vancouver. A grown up family survives.

Should Use Dimmers

Complaints are continually being heard of the negligence of a great many motorists, especially on the country roads, to use their dimmers, if they have them, or if they haven't, to slow down their engines when meeting other cars or vehicles. One man was just telling us of meeting as many as nine automobiles recently and only one motorist dimmed his lights. This is a condition existing either out of ignorance or arrogance on the parts of the drivers and no law would be more welcome here than the compulsory adoption of non-glare headlights. Such a law is in force throughout the United States and good results are reported. Another all too frequent occurrence is the failure of many local motorists to give warning at the street crossings. If only offenders' lives were endangered by this, no one could object but many seem to delight in taking pot-luck in turning a corner without warning and rushing into a collision with some perfectly law abiding and harmless pedestrian or horse and buggy.—Woodstock Sentinel-Review.

MANUFACTURE OF CIDER

Winter Rhubarb Can be Produced Cheaply and Conveniently.

Turnips Grown on Dairy Farm Best Fed to Dry Cows, Young Stock and Pigs.

(Contributed by Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.)

SWEET cider is unfermented apple juice, and hard cider is fermented apple juice. To get the juice the apples are either crushed or ground in a cider mill and the juice expressed from the pulp.

The fermentation of apple juice, or any other fruit juice, is brought about by the development in it of yeast. Yeast cells are microscopic plants invisible to the naked eye and are always present on the surface of fruit. When the fruit is crushed to get the juice many of these yeast cells get into the juice and if these are not destroyed they will induce fermentation.

Consequently, in the manufacture of sweet cider we must destroy the yeast cells that are present and prevent others from getting in. The surest way of doing this is to pasteurize the juice immediately after it is obtained from the fruit and store away in well-sealed containers. In the case of cider the pasteurization process means heating the juice to 170F. for ten minutes and then filling into containers that have been scalded and can be tightly corked. Care should be taken not to let the temperature get above 170F. during pasteurization or the character of the juice will be injured. The juice is then stored away at a low temperature to allow it to clear.

Hard cider is produced by allowing the fresh apple juice to ferment in the cask. The fermentation is naturally induced by the activity of the yeast cells that get into the juice from the surface of the apples. As, however, there are various kinds of yeast cells, and also many mould spores liable to be on the fruit which may injure the quality of the cider, spoiling the flavor, it is a good plan to control the fermentation either by first pasteurizing the juice and then adding a good yeast or simply by adding a good yeast to the raw juice as soon as obtained from the apples.—Prof. D. H. Jones, O. A. College, Guelph.

How Winter Rhubarb Is Produced.

The production of rhubarb in winter has become of considerable value among gardeners. It is easy to do if certain methods are followed. If one is making a permanent business of rhubarb forcing, it is necessary, each year, to set out a new bed as plants once forced are of no further value. In the spring large roots should be dug, split in one bud sections and replaced in rich moist ground. During the growing season they are kept cultivated and free from weeds. In the fall they are covered with manure. Next spring a second bed is planted as before. That fall a large part of the first bed is taken up leaving sufficient to replant another bed the next spring. The roots are taken up the last thing in the fall before the hard, freezing weather comes and are placed in pits in a shed where they can easily be got at during the winter, but will remain frozen. About Dec. 1st take in a sufficient number of roots, place these bud side up on the floor of a warm cellar—about 65 to 70 degrees—and cover with an inch of sand. Be sure to fill in all interspaces. Keep this sand moist. About a week later the buds will begin to swell, and in from four to six weeks, depending upon the heat of the room, the cooler the slower growth starts—you should have rhubarb ready for market. After these roots are exhausted throw them away and put in more. If a constant supply is required make a new bed every two or three weeks during the winter. Be sure to keep all lights dimmed. Put burlap or brown paper over the windows to get the bright pink color so much desired.—A. H. MacLennan, B.S.A., Ontario Vegetable Specialist.

Should Cows Be Fed Turnips?

This is an old question about which considerable difference of opinion exists. If my reader is Scotch, he or she will likely answer the question by saying, "Yes," as Scotchmen, turnips, and good farming are three things usually found together on farms in Ontario.

There was a time when butter buyers were not so particular about the flavor of butter as they are at present. It is common to hear women purchasers on city markets, say to farm butter-makers, "Your butter is turnipy," which is sufficient to cause a loss of the sale. Creamerymen object very strongly to "turnipy cream." While it is doubtless true that some careful feeders are able to feed quite large quantities of turnips to cows giving milk, without causing any serious trouble, there is always danger, which can best be avoided by not feeding these to milking cows. If they are grown on the dairy farm they are best fed to dry cows, fattening cattle, young stock, pigs, etc. However, if they are fed in the stable where cows are milking, and more especially where the root house opens into the stable and where the turnips are pulped in the stable or in a feed-room adjoining, the odor of the turnips fills the air, which is carried into the milk pail at the time of milking and thus the milk, cream, and butter become tainted from the stable air, even though the milk cows may not be fed any of the turnips.

The safest plan is not to grow turnips on a dairy farm. Grow mangels, or sugar beets, and corn for silage. These crops will give as good returns as turnips, are no more expensive to grow, and are much safer.

"Safety first" is a good motto on a dairy farm.—Prof. H. H. Dean, Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph.

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NEWS ABOUT TOWN

One hundred more transport drivers are needed for the Siberian Unit.

Two brothers of Editor C. V. Blachford of the Listowel Banner have been killed in action.

It is true that women squeeze their feet into small shoes—but their heads never get too large for their hats.

Something like fifty million pounds of sugar largely intended for Canadian consumption has been sunk recently in the Atlantic. This to some extent explains the shortage housekeepers have to put up with these days.

Last week a Toronto traveller when in town on business purchased seventeen pairs of cashmere hosiery from a local merchant, stating that the price asked by the Barrie man was fifty per cent less than he had to pay in the big departmental store in Toronto for precisely the same stocking. Scores of travellers are now making purchases in the small towns while on their trips finding that they can buy to much better advantage—quality considered—then they can in the big cities.—Barrie Examiner.

Souvenir From France

A Walkerton young lady is in receipt of a war souvenir which she greatly prizes, from Capt. Arthur McNally. It consists of two German books "taken from a library and bookshop in the village of ———— on Aug. 12th, 1918, two days after its capture by the Canadians."

Making Good Recovery

Mr. William Campbell of Holland, Man., who has been laid up at the Bruce County Hospital the past six weeks with a very serious attack of appendicitis which proved almost fatal, is reported to be making progress towards recovery although it will be several weeks before he will be able to leave his bed. Mrs. Campbell, who has been his constant companion during his illness is staying with her old friends, Mr. and Mrs. P. Ritchie.

Scouts "Alert!"

The 1st troop of Walkerton Scouts are well organized and we look forward to having a fine troop here. Last Friday 18 boys turned up and had an instructive evening. They are all busy learning their Tenderfoot work. John McConnell and Art. McCartney have been appointed Patrol leaders pro tem to see if they make good. There will be vacancies for two more patrol-leaders and it depends on the boys to make themselves efficient in their work. We have room for 18 more boys from 11 yrs. up to complete the troup. The Cubs are doing very nicely and taking to their work like a duck takes to water and they will soon shake themselves into their stars. Cub leaders will be appointed next week and it will be those who prove that they can handle the work. There are vacancies in the Cubs. Come along next Wednesday at 7.30 p. m. to the meeting in the School room of St. Thomas Church. The Scouts give a hearty welcome to the Girl Guides just forming and wish them every success.

Wm. Pratt, Scout Master.

Mr. Harvey Grice of Cargill was a visitor in town on Monday.

Mr. A. H. Stevens went to Clifford yesterday to judge poultry at the Clifford Fair.

Miss Cunningham of Walkerton, was a visitor at the home of her cousin Mrs. J. Smart for a few days.—Paisley Advocate.

Patriotism and plain living go together during war time. The patriot asks nothing more, he knows its good at all times.

Siberian Expeditionary Force

Word has been received from Ottawa that the following are required for the Siberian Unit—one hundred horse transport drivers, category "A"2, four farriers, four saddlers, four wheelers, fifteen bakers and eight butchers, category "A" or "B."

Culross School Fair

Culross Township school fair was held on the Teeswater Park grounds. These budding agriculturists had some splendid displays of garden stuffs. The girls also made a fine showing in needlework and cooking. One of the features of the day was a young four months old colt harnessed and broken in by a school boy (F. Harper.) The lad drove his pet around the track, and made it answer the reins by turning and backing. Rain fell at intervals all day, but every school was represented, and a Red Cross booth did a record business.

ALL TOGETHER

"Over in France, in th' dirt an' mud,
There's a boy uv ours;
He said he'd fight till the war wuz through
And leave th' rest t' me an' you.
We promised t' help in every way;
If we couldn't fight we said we'd pay.
It's up t' us, we can if we will;
Let's stop our fussin' an pull for Bill.
"What does it matter, when all is done
T' you an' me,
T' keep our money, but lose the fight,
An' bend our necks t' th' German's might?
Let's learn t' save an' go without;
Our money is talkin'—lets make it shout.
It's up t' us, we can if we will;
Let's pull together an' pull for Bill.
It's easy t' stand a wheatless day,
If it's helpin' Bill.
We'd rather be cold than have it said
We need th' coal when he needed bread
It isn't much, an' it's rather small
T' give so little when he gives all.
It's up t' us, we can if we will;
Let's stand together an' stand by Bill.
"I[illegible] would you, like t' take his place
[illegible] th' front?
Ho[illegible] like t' be young and strong.
A-doin' your part t' right th' wrong?
Your part's at home—it's hard, I know,
T' stand aside, when th' others go.
It's up t' us, we can if we will;
We'll pull together—we're all for Bill."

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To Medicine Hat

Thomas Wilson who resigned a months ago from the pastorate of Church, Walkerton, has been d to the Presbyterian Church at dicine Hat, Alta. at a salary of ,000, free manse, and a month's lidays.

Gone To Toronto

Mrs. Carl McKay and daughter, Miss Greta, left this week for Toronto, where Mr. McKay has been working for some time. The departure of the family from town after many years' residence here is greatly regretted by their wide circle of friends.

Public Notice

A meeting of all parties interested in the coming Victory War Loan campaign will be held in the Town Hall, on Thursday October, 3rd, at 5 p. m., for County Organization purposes.

David Robertson, Geo. D. McKay, County Chairman.-County Secretary.

Dom. Police Here

A member of the Dominion Police has been in town the past day or so on the lookout for absentees and defaulters under the Military Service Act. He states that he has had no difficulty here whatever, all the men whom he has met carrying the proper papers required by the Act.

Accident At Threshing

William Craig, West Ward, who has been threshing with Harry Denny this season, was badly hurt at Lang Bros., con. 6, Brant, on Friday morning. The machine was about to stop when a heavy square timber, which extended across the middle of the floor broke in the middle. The end of a piece about 16 feet long hit him as he was standing beside the separator and hurled him back against the scaffolding. When Harry dug him out of the straw a minute later it was first thought he was dead and he was unconscious for about half an hour. Medical examination indicated that no bones were broken but his arm and shoulder were so badly bruised that he will likely be laid up for the balance of the season.

Mr. Peter Sipclair of Cheltenham paid a visit to his father-in-law, Mr. J. W. South this week.

MISSING SINCE SEPT. 2



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Wanted

Fifteen cord of good maple hardwood for furnace at the Children's Shelter. Apply to Rev. R. Perdue, Secretary, Walkerton.

Serious Operation

Mrs. R. M. Player underwent a serious operation at the Bruce County Hospital on Tuesday. She is reported to be doing as well as can be expected.

A Bad Fall

Mr Anthony Lang of Greenock got a bad knockout at his threshing one day last week when the ladder on which he was climbing to the mow slipped. He fell to the barn floor headfirst. At first it was thought he was dead and he was unconscious for some time but fortunately the injury did not prove serious and he is up and around again.

Left For Toronto

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Elliot left on Tuesday morning the former for Toronto where he will be engaged in the head office of the Children's Aid Society for a short time, and the latter for Detroit to spend a month with friends. Mr. Elliot expects to take a permanent position in Toronto soon. During their six months stay in Walkerton both Mr. and Mrs. Elliott made very many good friends who wish them every success wherever their lot may be cast.

NEWS ABOUT TOWN

October.

For the best farm shoe. Go to Ramsey's Shoe Store.

Methodist District W. M. S. is meeting here to-day.

Mr. Robert Smith of Hanover was a visitor in town Monday.

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Truax's factory is working 12 hour days to catch up with orders.

East Bruce Sunday School Association meets at Mildmay next Thursday.

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Miss Jean Duncan of Nanton, Alta., has been visiting at Mrs. J. S. Duncan's.

Miss Margaret Schwindt of Malcolm is visiting her cousin, Miss Ruths Schwindt.

Miss Jessie Wells left on Monday to attend Faculty of Education, University of Toronto.

Life-Buoy rubbers are made with leather inner heel and counters. Sold at Ramsey's Shoe Store.

Master Ansell Shay, of Chicago, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Royce this week.

Mrs. Greig arrived home from Almonte last week. Miss Greig is not expected for a few weeks.

Mrs. Robt. McIntosh of London is spending this week at the home of Mr. Frank Rennie in Brant.

Nothing better than a pair of Dr. Special Shoes for Fall and winter wear Sold at Ramsey's Shoe Store.

Dr. and Mrs. Fred Hughes of Waterloo, have been visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Fox.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris. Ernest attended the funeral of their cousin, Miss Elizabeth Logie of North Brant yesterday.

Mr. T. E. Attwood removed yesterday to his residential property on Durham St. formerly occupied by Mr. Lesson.

Major Henderson and Mr. Frank Smith arrived home this week from a visit to Huntingdon, Que. and other points.

Wilbur Cryderman went to Toronto this week to resume his studies at the University after an absence of three years at the War.

Clayton Fortune went to Toronto on Monday to attend the University. He has enrolled as a first year student in the Faculty of Medicine.

Rev. A. W. Guild, formerly Methodist Minister at Mildmay, now of Ponsonby, was united in marriage recently to Miss Gertrude Day of Guelph.

Miss Gladys Thompson, the talented blind soloist of Toronto, will sing at the P. & C. Church at both services next Sunday in connection with the Children's Rally Day.

Engineer F. B. James is making an inspection East of the River re the proposed Walker drain with a view to making the awards under the Ditches & Water courses Act.

Miss Ireland of Carberry, Man. has been a guest at Mr. D. McKechnie's.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Zettel left last week to reside in Preston after over twenty years' residence in Walkerton.

Mr. and Mrs Ed Connors and daughter Elizabeth motored to Toronto where the latter will attend a Toronto Abbey.

Mr. H. Y. Eaton and a party of friends motored through here on Tuesday and called on friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Batte and Miss Cecilia left on Friday for a week's visit to Kitchener, Hamilton and other points.

Miss Lillian L. Morrison, of the Hospital staff, spent a few days at St. Catharines with friends while on her holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Ament and Miss Ament, motored over from Brussels and spent Sunday with their cousin, Mr. C. A. Fox.

Miss Tillie McGregor was home from Paris over Sunday to see her brother, Bob., who was here on last leave before leaving for Siberia.

John Addis was again fined at Police Court Saturday on a charge laid by his wife. The charge was "grossly insulting language" and the fine was $4 and costs.

Paisley, Port Elgin and Southampton celebrated the peace with the Bulgars in royal style on Monday night. Hundreds of citizens, scores of autos and children with flags paraded the streets for hours in honor of the Allies' splendid victory.

Remember the Rummage Sale in aid of the Hospital on Friday and Saturday, Oct. 4th and 5th, beginning at 10 o'clock each morning. Next door to the Queen's Hotel. Please send articles for the sale on Thursday afternoon or phone No. 31 and they will be called for.

Mrs. E. Briggs had a surprise visit last week from her son, Leonard Wildof Barwick, Rainy River District, whom she had not heard from for some time and had only seen once in twenty nine years. Mrs. Briggs and her son left Monday morning on a three weeks' visit to relatives at Detroit, Pontiac and Bad Axe, Mich.

Going right to the finish, that's what we all like to hear. That man Foch is a wonder. Let us all help in this grand finale, by keeping the boys well fed up. You can help by bringing your cream, butter and eggs to us. We will see to it that your supplies and ours reach the proper destination to do most good. We need all you have and pay top price, spot cash at our Creamery Station, Walkerton, every Thursday. Butter fat this week 46 cts.—The Wingham Creamery. L. S. Benninger.

Mr. Simon Knox a Bruce boy from Jackson, Mich., visited his brother, Mr. Adam Knox at Pinkerton the past week and called on friends in town on Tuesday. Mr. Knox has lived 28 yrs. in Jackson, being employed as a blacksmith in the Michigan Central R. R. Shops. Under the new McAdoo Award wages are good, and Mr. Knox swears by Jackson as the best city on the map. He owns a good home and other property and is comfortably situated. Mr. Knox left Tuesday to spend a few days with friends at Goderich, Guelph and Hamilton. On Saturday he will join his wife at Detroit where she has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Delaney, formerly of Walkerton.

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SIEGFRID—In Walkerton, on Thursday, Sept. 26th, to Mr. and Mrs. George Siegfrid, a daughter.

VANDERBURG—At Bruce County Hospital, Walkerton, on Friday, Sept. 27th., to Mrs. R. Vanderburg, a son.

YAECK—In Walkerton, on Monday, Sept. 30th., to Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Yaeck, a son.

TAYLOR—In Carrick, on Wednesday, Sept, 25th, to Mr and Mrs Albert Tayler, a daughter.

TOLTON—In Brant, on Friday. Sept. 27th, to Mr and Mrs Arch. Tolton, a daughter.

CASSIDY—In Greenock, on Friday, Sept, 27th, to Mr and Mrs John Cassidy, a son.

SCHNURR—In Carrick, on Thursday, Sept. 26th, to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Schnurr, a son.

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Son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald McKechnie of Walkerton. Who Died Of Wounds In France on August 8th. has been awarded the Military Cross for Distinguished Services at the Front.

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Cider apples and cull winter apples, good enough for cellar purposes—Adam Becker, fruit farm near G T R station, Walkerton.

To Collect Newspapers

The Walkerton High School pupils are continuing their collection of newspapers, magazines, rubbers, etc. on Oct. 19, 1918, and desire the cooperation of citizens of town and surrounding country. They are very grateful for the past help of the citizens and hope they may look forward to their continued assistance, as prices are good just now, and they want to get a carload as soon as possible. For further information telephone 119 or 47.

Taking Trip To Mexico

Mr. Adam Wilson, Accountant of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, left last Thursday, in company with one of the chief Inspectors of the Bank on an important business trip to Mexico. Mr. Wilson was located in Mexico from 1910 to 1912 and has a knowledge of the language and conditions down there which few bank men possess. Mr. Wilson reached the Mexico border at San Antonio, Texas, Sunday night and expected to arrive at Mexico City yesterday. He expects to be absent a month.

Gets Important Job

Lieut.-Col. (Dr.) J. J. Fraser is spending a few days in town prior to leaving for Winnipeg where he is to head the largest military hospital in the Dominion. The new hospital will be in the buildings of the Provincial Agricultural College near the city which are being given over entirely for hospital purposes. At the first there will be 2,000 beds, with probably further extension of the capacity later on. Dr. Fraser has been in charge of the medical department at Petawawa Camp since his return from the Front and looks stouter and fitter from his rest after three strenuous years in France. Before leaving for the West he intends spending a couple of weeks inspecting the various Military Hospitals in Ontario. Needless to say, the Doctor's many friends in town are greatly pleased at his excellent appointment. It's a man's job alright but just the Doctor's size.

Celebrated the Victory

Wallace—Sutherland

A quiet church wedding took place at Knox Church, Bradford, at four o'clock on Monday, September 30th, when Miss Lulu Edna, youngest daughter of Mr Donald Sutherland of Bradford, was united in marriage to Mr. Herbert Holmes Wallace, son of the Thomas and Mrs Wallace of Pembroke. The Church was prettily decorated for the occasion. The bride, who was unattended was given away by her uncle, her cousin, Mrs F. C. Ryan of Park Hill, formerly of Paisley playing the Wedding March. The bride wore a becoming travelling suit of navy blue, with a small hat to match. After the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace motored from the church to Toronto intending to visit Montreal and Petawawa on their wedding trip, the bride's brother being in training at the latter place. On their return they will reside at Pembroke where Mr. Wallace has a business college. During her year's term here as Supt. of the Bruce County Hospital Mrs. Wallace made many warm friends who wish her and Mr Wallace much joy and a very happy journey through life.

Chief Wants Names

Chief Ferguson, the local Fuel Commissioner, is anxious to learn how much coal is really needed in the town in order that he may make the necessary representation to the Fuel Dept. at Toronto. The Chief asks that all parties who need coal communicate with him at once by phoning or calling at the Town Hall and leaving their name.

Cattle Case At Court

The case of McFall v s. Fullerton, an action brought Lauchlin McFall, farmer, of Bruce Tp. to recover from Geo. Fullerton of Paisley, half the profits on the feeding of a bunch of cattle, came up for trial at County Court yesterday before Judge Klein. It seems that Fullerton fed a bunch of cattle on McFall's farm and turned over to him only half the profits. McFall claiming all the profits. D. Robertson K. C. appeared for the plaintiff. Barrister O. E. Klein for the defendant.

Wins Distinguished Honor

Among the Canadian Officers who were recently decorated by King George V. at Buckingham Palace the despatches contain the name of Lieut.-Col. Roy Robertson, second son of Mr. and Mrs. David Robertson of Walkerton, who was awarded the Distinguished Service Order. Col. Robertson, who is in command of a Battalion of over a thousand Canadian Engineers, has been several times mentioned in despatches by General Sir John Haig for brilliant work at the Front. All three of Mr. Robertson's sons are officers in the Canadian service.

Distinguished Speaker Coming

A treat is in store for the people of Walkerton in connection with the Teachers Convention. On Thursday night Lieut.-Col. (Rev. Dr.) Johnston who has returned from visiting the various battle-fronts at the request of the British Foreign Office, will give an address at the Town Hall. Dr. Johnston was given an exceptional opportunity to get an inside view of things. He was a guest of the British Admiralty on a visit to the North Sea Fleet and the battle-lines on the Western and Italian Fronts, and had fresh hand experience with the tanks, aeroplanes and submarines. Don't miss hearing this gifted speaker tell what he saw at the Front, at the Town Hall, next Thursday night. Admission 25 cents.

Death Of Mrs. McKinnon

The death occurred quite suddenly on Friday noon, Sept. 27th, of Mrs. Sarah McKinnon, wife, of Donald McKinnon, Yonge St., in her 77th year. She had been taken quite ill the previous Sunday but had apparently recovered and her demise was unexpected. Mrs. McKinnon was born in Scotland, coming to this country at the age of three with her parents. They settled at Mount Carmel, near Park Hill but practically all her married life was spent at Lucan. Two years ago the family removed to Walkerton. She was a cheerful, motherly soul, with a kind word for everybody, and her death is deeply mourned. Besides her husband, she leaves a family of six sons and two daughters:—John and J. A. of Walkerton, Angus of Detroit, Dan of California, Mary (Mrs. John Ward) of London, James, Signaller Overseas, Jessie (Mrs Martin Bester) of Cargill, and Duncan of Walkerton. The funeral took place from her late residence on Tuesday morning, service being held at the R. C. Church and interment in Walkerton Cemetery.

Removing To Niagara Falls

After having resided about thirty years in Walkerton, Mr. C. W. Cryderman, Collector of Inland Revenue, received a telegram from Ottawa on Friday instructing him to report in three days at Niagara Falls, Ont. Mr. Cryderman left for his new post on Monday and Mrs. Cryderman and Eileen will follow later. His elder son, Surg. Probationer Wilbur Cryderman R. N. who has been at home since Spring left this week for Toronto to complete his course in Medicine at the University. Mr. Cryderman came to Walkerton in the eighties and for many years before receiving a Gov't appointment, was actively connected with the public and municipal life of the town. He sat at the Council Board for a number of terms and as Mayor of Walkerton showed administrative ability. In debating municipal issues on the public platform he had few equals. With three of their children serving King and Country, the last few years have been anxious ones for Mr. and Mrs. Cryderman. Their departure from Walkerton is deeply regretted by their many friends here, who however are glad to learn that it means a promotion for Mr. Cryderman and trust the happiness and prosperity will attend this esteemed family in their new home.

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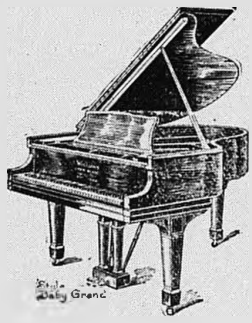
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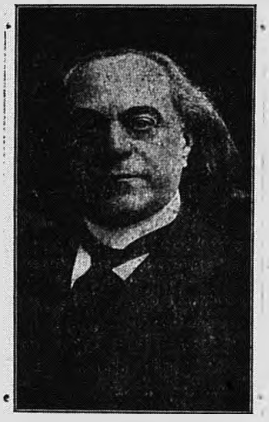
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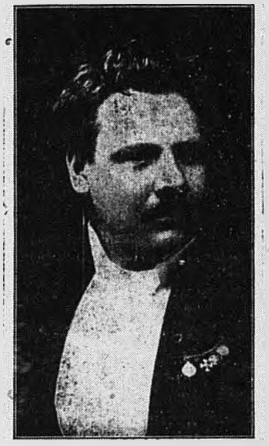
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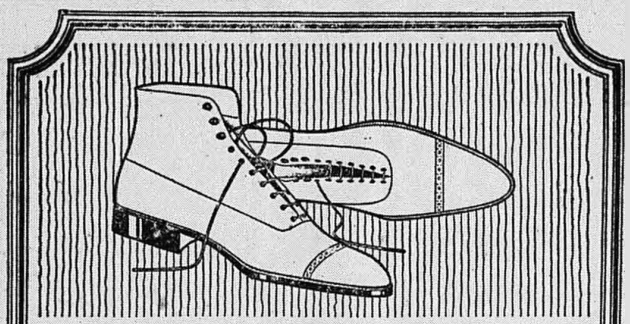


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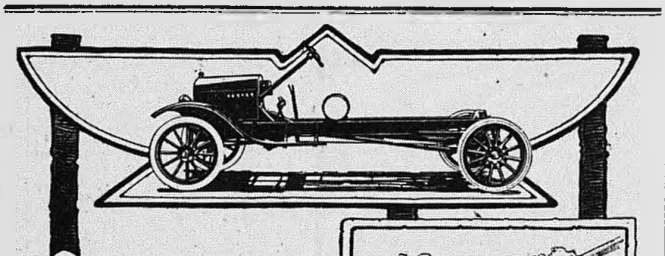
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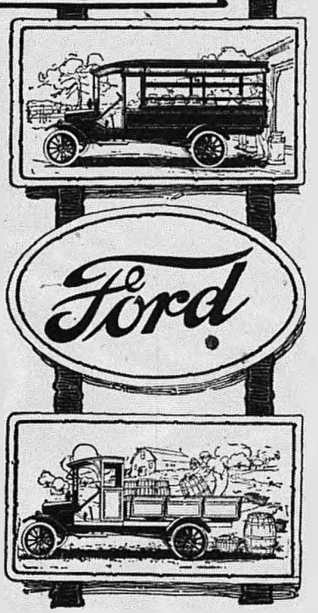


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NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Rev. Charles W. Cusens went to Arthur on Sunday night to take part in a memorial service to Capt. Arthur Brocklebank, a clever young officer and former parishioner of Mr. Cusens, who was killed when the Canadians drove forward over the Hindenburg Line. The evening service at the Methodist Church was taken by Inspector John McCool, who gave a clean-cut and thoughtful discourse on "The Religion of Elijah", taking for his text the words: "Choose ye this day whom ye shall serve."

A dangerous condition of things existed in Chesley for a short time on Monday of last week. A telephone wire broke and fell across a hydro wire and also lay partly on the street. The hydro wire carried 22,000 volts, and, of course, charged the telephone wire to the same extent. A team of horses drawing a cream wagon touched the wire and were knocked down but not killed. Another team also touched the wire and both team and driver suffered a severe shock. Repairs were soon made, and all concerned felt lucky that no deaths had resulted.

New Collector Named

Five applications were received for the position of Tax Collector for Brant, at Monday's Council meeting. Ed. Threndyle asked $145, Thos. Berry $140 Walter R. Spong $125, Robt. Smith of Hanover $115, Joseph Monk, the former Collector wanted $175. The job was given to Mr. Spong, he being the lowest tenderer living in the Township.

Lambastes The Chautauqua

Mr. Thomas Mulvey, Undersecretary of State, Ottawa, has addressed a circular letter to people prominent in patriotic work, calling attention to organizations which are going about the country giving "Win-the-War" concerts, lectures and dramatic productions under the auspices of local patriotic societies. Apparently the Chautauqua is meant. Mr. Mulvey points out that only a small proportion of the money taken in goes to the local society for patriotic work. It is unfortunate, he says, that the patriotic spirit of Canadians should be capitalized for the purpose of promoting entertainments such as this, however worthy these entertainments may be in other ways. The use of the Win-the-War sign, while not illegal, is an evasion of the principle underlying the War Charities Act 1917, and he calls upon patriotic workers to use their influence against the employment of organizations under such colors.

Hanover's Strong Man

A couple of years ago "Bill" Berry of Hanover gave the natives of this neck of the woods a real "thriller" when he stood on his head on the top of the ball of the stand pipe, says the Hanover Post. "Bill" did this stunt on a wager "for the cigars." Well he has been at it again, though being a versatile chap, he has changed the scenery somewhat. We now find him as the strong man of the vicinity. Down at the cement works recently he showed "the boys" what he could do. First he lifted a steel ging weighing 111½ lbs. with his right arm and part of body stroke. But this was only a "warming-up" stunt—sort of prelude to the main performance as it were. He then placed a plank on top of the ring and got four men on top of the outfit. The net weight was 1805½ pounds. He used both arms this time and put his back into it—and lifted the whole business. No, we didn't see it done but "Bill" claims he can furnish witnesses. We would laugh at the story were it not for the high balancing feat referred to above. Anyhow it would seem that "Bill" is fooling away his time around here. He should be with Ringling Bros.

Good Fair At Paisley

The Paisley Fair held on Tuesday and Wednesday of last week, was the most successful in many years. Favored with fair weather, the attendance on the second day numbered more than two thousand persons. The number of entries in some of the departments was not as large as in previous years, but very superior in quality. A splendid showing of potatoes and other vegetables, a fine display of fruit especially apples, both fall and winter in many classes were exceptionally good. In the women's department there was a large and beautiful exhibit of all kinds of needlework, paintings and pencil sketchings, a fine showing of penmanship and drawings by the school children showing exceptional talent. In the outside show the list of entries in the rule of carriage and roadsters was well filled. The heavy draft class in the agricultural classes was slightly below the mark, owing no doubt to the scarcity of help required to put them in the condition for show purposes. Prizes were awarded for public school competition in physical exercise drills and club-swinging, and the singing of patriotic songs. A concert in the evening was greeted by a bumper house. The total proceeds from the concert were $215. Tags were sold under the auspices of the Women's Patriotic Society amounting to $100. The Chesley [illegible] of music.

Miss Gertrude Garner has joined the local Bell Telephone Staff.

Mrs. H. Heffernan and daughter, Mrs. I. T. Griffiths arrived home last week after a three weeks' visit to Toronto and Hamilton. Mr. Griffiths returned with them.

Editor E. Roy Sayles of the Port Elgin Times leaves to-day on a three weeks' trip to the Maritime Provinces in the interests of the Canadian Press Association.

Inquest At Chesley

An inquest is being held at Chesley Wednesday into the death of John Hetherington, an employee of the Royal Milling Co., who was killed when the chopper burst and a large piece of the plate, weighing about 30 pounds struck him, smashing his right leg and inflicting other injuries. The unfortunate man was carried home and lingered for a few hours when he passed away.

Death of Miss Logie

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Logie of North Brant were sadly bereaved by the death on Monday Sept. 30th. of their eldest daughter, Elizabeth. She was cut off at the age of twenty-seven years after an illness which lasted about a year. Previous to that she had been in training at Kitchener Hospital and was about to graduate as a nurse when ill-health overtook her and a bright young life that bespoke a career of promise, was sadly terminated. A large cortege of sorrowing friends followed the remains to their last resting place at North Brant Lutheran Cemetery on Wednesday. Service was conducted by Rev. Mr. Henkel.

WELL-KNOWN IN WALKERTON



MAJOR GEO. H. MUSGROVE D.S.O.

Gallant Hanover Officer recently killed in Action.

Cottage Looters Discovered

A Saugeen Indian, named Peter Moses, who was brought in to Walkerton jail last week, charged with breaking into a widow woman's house at Hepworth and stealing eggs and money, has confessed to High Constable Briggs that he and his brothers were the culprits who burglarized the summer cottages at Sauble Beach last Spring. About June 1st, Dr. Barnard of Owen Sound reported to Mr. Briggs that some person had broken in to his summer cottage at Sauble Beach and stole a quantity of household goods and a boat. Briggs investigated the matter and a short time afterwards got a clue when the home of Widow Johnston at Hepworth was burglarized. He found that suspicious-looking Indians had sold eggs to a storekeeper at Park Head. He had warrants issued and had two Indians arrested at Drayton by High Constable Green and went to get his prisoners. The Indians were in the Lock-up where they had two planks and bed-clothes. With the planks they smashed a hole in the wall and escaped and are still at large. The third Indian was arrested at Owen Sound last week and is now in the County Gaol here on remand. High Constable Briggs had search warrants issued and went through some of the houses on the Saugeen Reserve and found some of the goods stolen from the cottages. The Indian in goal then confessed that he and his two brothers, who escaped from Drayton lock-up, had broken into the cottages. The Indians that had stolen goods in their possession will be prosecuted and steps are being taken to apprehend the two missing redskins. The boat, which was taken from the summer cottages is located in the swamps by the County Constable at Cheesman Hill and R. Thompson of Sauble.

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There was keen competition for the championship which fell to Will Ramsey (Senior) and Ed. Ramsey (Junior) for the boys, the girls Senior and Junior championships going to Della Kenny and Louisa Lippert.

The Judges were:—Messrs. James Whitehead, H. M. Loy, J. H. Ranebottom, Miss Marion Robertson.

Boys' Events

1. Running broad jump senior. 1. B. McCool, 2. W. Ramsey, 3. V. Tovell.

2. Running broad jump junior. 1. N. Shaw, 2. Ed Ramsey, 3. G. Kirstine.

3. Standing H. S. and J. (Senior.) 1. W. Ramsey, 2. V. Tovell, 3. C. Cargill.

4. Standing H. S. and J. (Junior.) 1. N. Shaw, 2. Ed Ramsey, 3. G. Kirstine.

5. Running H. S. and J. (Senior) 1. W. Ramsey, 2. V. Tovell, 3. B. McCool.

6. Running H. S. and J. (Junior) 1. E. Ramsey, 2. E. Weiss, 3. G. Kirstine.

7. Running High Jump (Senior) 1. W. Ramsey, 2. B. McCool, 3. C. Cargill.

8. Running High Jump (Junior) 1. E. Ramsey, 2. N. Shaw, 3. G. Kirstine.

9. Throwing Ball for distance (Senior) 1. W. Ramsey 2. L. Wallace 3. V. Tovell.

10. Throwing Ball for distance (Junior) 1. G. Kirstine, 2. Ed Ramsey, 3. N. Shaw.

11. 100 yds. (Senior) 1. W. Ramsey, 2. L. Wallace, 3. C. Cargill.

12. 100 yds. (Junior) 1. E. Ramsey, 2. N. Shaw, 3. B. Kirstine.

13. Sack Race (Junior) 1. B. Kirstine, 2. Ed. Ramsey, 3. A. Ruetz.

14. 220 yds. (Senior) 1. W. Ramsey, 2. L. Wallace, 3. C. Cargill.

15. Walking Race (Senior) 1. W. Ramsey, 2. V. Tovell, 3. B. McCool.

16. Walking Race (Junior) 1. E. Weiss, 2. G. Kirstine, 3. E. Ramsey.

17. ¼ Mile run—(Senior) 1. W. Ramsey, 2. C. Cargill, 3. C. Wilton.

18. ⅛ Mile run—(Junior) 1. Ed Ramsey, 2. G. Kirstine, 3. N. Shaw.

19. Wheelbarrow Race (Open) E. Ramsey and N. Shaw.

20. Bicycle Race (open) C. Wilton and G. Kirstine.

21. 3-legged race (open) C. Wilton and Ed Ramsey.

22. Jockey Race (open) C. Wilton and Ed Ramsey.

23. Tug of War—Form IV.

Girls' Events

50 yds. Dash—Junior. 1. Alma Lambertus, 2. Violet Bush, 3. Louisa Lippert.

50 yrd. Dash—Junior, Lorna Elder, 2. Della Kenny, 3. Kathleen James.

Walking Race—Junior, 1. Louisa Lippert, 2. Eileen Cryderman, 3. Violet Bush.

Walking race—Senior, 1. Della Kenny, 2. Kathleen James, 3 Sylvia Grenzebach.

Ball for distance—Junior, 1. Louisa Lippert, 2. Alma Lambertus, 3 Nellie Scharback.

Ball for distance—Senior, 1. Della Kenny, 2. Gladys McCarter, 3. Janet Kenny.

Potato race— 1. Margaret Yaeck, 2. Eileen Cryderman, 3. Louisa Lippert.

Potato race—Senior, 1. Kathleen James, 2. Lorna Elder, 3. Florence Brockelbank.

Relay race—Interform. 1. Form II., 2. Form I., 3. Form III.

Tug of War—Form II.

Ball at mark—Junior, 1. Kathleen Oberle, 2. Mabel Godwin, 3. Alma Lambertus, Gladys Gales.

Ball at mark—Senior. 1. Gertie Swanston, 2. Melinda Schumacher, 3. Irene Moore.

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NEWS ABOUT TOWN

When local merchants advertise that they are selling certain lines at prices, it will surely pay you to study their ads in the Telescope. Read the advts. in the paper carefully.

Apply For Naturalization

A number of alien-born residents of this district have applied for naturalization during the past week or so to Mr. Thos. Dixon, Clerk of Peace. Application is made under a recent order-in-Council which provides for the naturalization of people who came to Canada in their infancy grew up believing themselves to be British subjects, and are known to be good loyal citizens. The number includes:—Gustav Scholtz of Brant, John Spring and Ezra Pfohl of Chesley; John H. Giesel' of Elmwood; Peter Zettler, Leonard Fischer, and Henry Stelnhagen of Carlsruhe, Philip Stroh of Clifford, George W. and Edward Albert Tiede of Formosa and Annabelle McLeod of Kincardine.

Soldiers' Land Meeting

A joint meeting of the Bruce Preparedness Executive and the Coun. appointed to deal with Major Moffatt's Land Scheme was held here on Tuesday, on the suggestion of Secretary A. McNab, a committee of five was appointed, composed of Mr. C. J. Mickel, Sheriff Jermyn, Major Moffat, and two soldiers to be raised by the returned men, to decide what form the scheme shall take. This will probably mean the shelving of Major Moffat's Community idea and the following of a regular govt. plan. Major Moffat reported that the Govt. would pay returned $3.25 a day for a month to build shacks in the Northern Ont., property preparatory to getting out pulp-wood. The Ontario Govt. wants $60 a man to guarantee their sincerity. It was decided to get in touch with the Dept., on this point and try to have the $60 requirement removed.

Won Military Honors

Mr. Thos. Desmond of Eden Grove has had a letter from his son's officer, Lieut. Horham, telling how the gallant young soldier, Pte. Dan. Desmond, met his death in France. It was on the morning of August 30th, when the Battalion had received orders to go over the top at 4.40 a. m. that a huge shell burst in front of them instantly killing him and others. His friend, Pte. Albert Groves, son of Mr. John Groves of Glamis, was killed by the same shell. Lieut. Horham referred to a matter which Dan never mentioned in his letters home. It was that three weeks before he was killed in action Dan received Military Honors for gallantry on the battlefield at Amiens on Aug. 8th. The nature of the Honors awarded to Pte. Desmond the officer does not state in his letter.

DIED OF WOUNDS

A life of brilliant promise was sacrificed for Liberty's cause in the death at the Front of Capt. Stanley Brocklebank D.S. O. of Arthur, Ont., a cousin of the Brocklebanks of Brant Tp. and young man well known in Walkerton. He died of wounds in No. 3, Gen. Hospital, Letreport, France on Sept. 20. He was a student at Osgoode Hall before enlisting and a chum of the late Lieut. Les Young. In Dec. 1917 he was mentioned in despatches and later recommended for the D. S. O. What manner of young man he was, may be judged from the following extracts from his diary and from a letter written home. This from his diary:—"Obey your orders, cling to your posts, don't grumble, stick it out."....."And think of the men with wives and children at home that were the biggest things in life to them. For fellows like us to shirk would be black cowardice. It's small credit for us to stick it out, but when these fellows shut their teeth and went forward, they were blessed heroes."

Here is one of his parents' most prized letters:—

France, October 3, 1916.

My Dearest Parents,—

We are going into the line tomorrow and expect to see some hard fighting. My friend Les Young suggested that I take a letter for him to his sweet-heart and he would do the same for me, and if either one of us didn't come back the other would post the letter. So this is my sweetheart, my mother. I shall do my best, and God willing, I hope we shall post our own letters.

East, West, Home's best.

Each hearth some wanderer's goal
For, as at night, the wild bird seeks its nest
Home flies the soul.

And I who may not come;
Though dear ones call
Send home my heartiest wish.

God bless you all.

I've only done my duty, father. My prayer is that we may meet where parting is no more.

Au revoir,
Stan.

A Farewell Party.

About twent-five young people gathered at the home of Miss Jean Miller on Thursday evening for a farewell party to a popular young lady Miss Carrie Mosack who is leaving shortly for Preston. During the evening Miss Mosack was presented with a nicely-worded address from a few of her friends which was read by Mr Garfield Kramp of Hanover, also a large cut glass fruit bowl which was presented to her on behalf of her friends by Miss Jeane Miller. The rest of the evening was happily spent in dancing and music.

Boys Let Off

The four young boys, who were sent up for trial last week by Magistrate Talton charged with stealing goods from the merchant at Belmore appeared before Judge Klein yesterday and pleaded guilty. Three of the boys who are under 14 years of age the Judged allowed to go on suspended sentence after receiving some good advice from the Bench The older boy was ordered to report on Dec. 30th for sentence. In the meantime he will have a chance to show how well he can behave and will be expected by the Judge to attend Sunday School every Sunday.

CHILDRENS AID WORK

Inspector Gives Report Of His Half Year's Work it Bruce County

On winding up his work as Children's Aid Inspector this week, Mr. W. H. Elliott presented the following report of his work during his half-year of service here, to the directors of the Society:—Report of Agent for the Children's Aid Society from April 1st to Sept. 30th, 1918. 16 Applications for children, 7 children brought to the Shelter (not wards), 5 children returned to parents (not wards), 107 children involved, 6 children made wards, 41 complaints, 71 investigations, 261 mail received, 316 mail sent out, 16 meetings attended, 2524 milage (approximate) covered, 48 office interviews, 137 phone interviews, 99 places visited outside the town, 5 Police Court attendance, 7 wards in foster homes heard from direct, 9 wards placed out, 5 wards returned to the Shelter, 41 wards visited, 30 warnings given, 3 Branch Committees organized, 2 Lantern Lectures given, 6 children in Shelter on Sept. 30, 1918.

In all the work during the six months in which I labored in Bruce County there has been a desire to meet the needs of the children and to improve the conditions of the unfortunate and neglected. It was my ambition to lay a foundation during these six months for this noble work. This has been done as far as possible, but as the winter months are more suitable for meetings, we only held two illustrated lectures, which were not so well attended.

We received $72.20 from the Branch committee at Kincardine as well as $20.00 from Teeswater. The town of Walkerton had a collection day for the Society in which they realized about $250.00.

The Agent has also installed a complete up-to-date system to take care of each case which is second to none in the Province and all the work is written up to date. I trust the work may grow and widen its scope of usefulness so long as the appeal of a neglected child is heard in our land and so long as the Lord's little ones need a human friend.

FARM FOR SALE

The farm belonging to the late Thomas Coates being Composed of Lot 15 Con. 5 and the East½ Lot 15 Con 6 Brant Township Containing 144½ acres, more or less. On the premises are a 9 roomed brick house with furnace, a Bank Barn 60 by 77 ft. water at buildings. Fruits of all kinds. Immediate possession. For further particulars apply at premises to W. H. Coates or to A. Collins Vendors' Solictor, Walkerton. 4ts.

OUR WESTERN LETTER

Written by An Old Bruce Boy Now Farming in Alberta.

Grain is all cut here now, stacking and shock threshing are in full swing. So far the weather has been ideal but on Sunday 23rd. it started to rain and is still "a doing of it" This has put back threshing.

It was thought threshers would have great trouble in securing crews for their outfits. In this district the threshers seem to have all the men they need. I have heard of no shortage. I saw a man recently who had been all through Southern Alberta and I asked him if the crops were as bad as reported. He replied "No, it is just like this, the careful farmer has got a crop. The farmer who shoved his grain in any way (the majority) has got none or a very poor one. "But on the whole there is more grain than was first estimated." I think in this immediate neighbourhood crops look better than I have ever seen them. Our green aspects all summer and fine crops have brought in a lot of would be land buyers from the dried out district. Some farmers have changed hands and at good prices.

Some people seem hard to please. I have two neighbours (brothers.) They came in here ten years ago and took up homesteads on 320 acres of rough land. They had between them $100, that was their start. They bought a pair of cayeuses, some old machinery, put up hay off the natural hay meadows on their land, trapped muskrats worked on threshing machines etc. They have worked for no man but themselves for the last six years. They own some 40 head of cattle ten or more horses, besides hogs and poultry. Their land is free from debt, they have the necessary machinery to work the farm a small threshing machine, gasoline engine and a new Ford car. It seems to me those young men have done exceptionally well, but they are not satisfied. They say they have wasted the last ten years in Alberta, are going to clear out this fall after their grain is threshed. If they can not sell their farm they hope to rent, but sell, rent or neither they are off for pastures new. It is to be hoped they will waste the next ten years as advantageously as they have done the last ten.

I see the Walkerton barbers have raised the price of a hair cut to 25 c. Out here a barber charges 35 c. if he looks at you and 50c. if he does any more.. I saw an old Englishman who had come here to visit his son. He lamented the high cost of everything. At Montreal he bought a box of wax vestas, price at home two boxes one penny, price here one box ten cents. But what got his goat most was the barbers charges. "Why" he said "I 'ave gone to the very same barber for twenty years to get my 'air and head trimmed and he charged a penny. I went to the barber 'ere to 'ave my 'air and beard trimmed and he charged me sixty cents. Just think of that! 'Arf a crown for what they go at 'ome for two cents. oh! the charges 'ere are simply hortful."

FOR SALE

A two-storey brick cottage in West Ward, hard and soft water, good cellar, cement stable, large poultry house and fruit trees with 1¼ acre lot. Two acre lot on west hill partly seeded, three-quarter acre lot good orchard, also one and one-half acres partly seeded, with small barn. All good clay loam. Will sell all together or separately. For further particulars apply Box A. Telescope.

ALL-METAL
Weather Strip

Installed on your windows and doors saves from 20 to 40 per cent. fuel.

Models may be seen and orders left at Myles' Furniture store, Walkerton.

D. E. WOOD,
District Agent and Installer
MOUNT FOREST — ONTARIO.

WHEN YOUR BOY GOES INTO THE TRENCHES, SEE THAT HE TAKES WITH HIM

Your Portrait

He will treasure it above all the gold on earth.

T. DONOAHUE
PHOTOGRAPHER WALKERTON

Machinists Wanted—

An opportunity exists for one or more competent machinists to secure permanent employment in a Southern Ontario City with a long established Plant manufacturing a standard line. Living and Educational conditions are ideal for a family man. This is an unusual opportunity well worth following up. Address in first instance—E. Sterling Dean Advertising Agency, 8 Wellington St. E., Toronto.

ADVERTISING

Advertising! Bradstreet's statement that 84 per cent, of all failures are among non-advertisers is significant. Intelligent advertising has become an essential in every modern industry, but what shall the advertiser do in the face of the war situation when he finds it difficult to get goods to fill his orders? First of all, it should be remembered that the foundation purpose of judicious advertising is to fix indelibly the trademark in the public mind. A let-up in that campaign must be fatal to any product. So we find Mr. George H. Charles, vice-president of the American Rolling Mill Company, declaring the company's purpose to continue its advertising although for two and a half years it has been unable to supply the demand for its product. "We are building," said he, "a permanent business edifice, and some day we would have to spend millions of dollars buying back the business and good will of our clients if they are forsaken in this emergency." Unless advertising is kept up without a break, the advertiser loses the results of the initial effort. Here is a warning to the advertiser who neglects the dull season in summer. When advertisements are fewest is the very time when a message to the public will get most attention. It is good "psychology" to push the advertisement of a winter product in the summer and of a summer product in the winter.—Leslie's Weekly.

Walkerton Girl Going Overseas

Miss Garabelle M. Wettlaufer, who has been nursing at Philadelphia, was accepted for Overseas and reported for duty on October 1st. She is now located at the United States Army Hospital, Fort McPherson, Georgia.

Next Thursday

The Fire Prevention League which was recently formed at Toronto by representatives of the various municipalities of Ontario to combat the tremendous fire losses in this Province has named Thursday, Oct. 9th, as Fire Prevention Day. Mayor Johnston is asking the citizens of Walkerton to observe the day—next Thursday—by having a general clean-up of their premises and removing all material that might cause a fire. The seriousness of the present fire losses, at a time when every resource of the Country must be carefully conserved, is a matter that cannot be ignored and every citizen can help a bit by acting on Mayor Johnston's suggestion.

MARRIED

STEVENS-SHANTZ—At the Parsonage in Lethbridge, by the Rev. Chas. Cragg, Mr. Allen Stevens of Foremost, Alta., formerly of England, and Miss Vynie Shantz of Foremost, Alta., formerly of Walkerton, Ont.

Walkerton Markets

(Revised Wednesday, Oct. 2nd)

Old Oats, per bsh.	75 to..... 75
New Oats, per bsh.	75 to 75
Wheat " "	2.12 to..... 2.19
Butter, per lb.	43to 45
Eggs. per doz	45 to..... 47
Barley per bus	.....$1.15.... 1.15
Hogs, per cwt.	.....18.20 to 18.20
Potatoes, per lb	11

Look For the Name !

Ask your grocer for Pinkerton Flour, it will please you.

WHITE LOAF
GOLD SEAL
SNOWFLAKE
(PASTRY)

There are well known Brands and are well recommended by everyone.

Thos. Birrell & Son
Phone-Cargill 34r32 Pinkerton



Beautiful Dresser

of hardwood oak finish, large bevel plate mirror, three large drawers with brass trimmings. Wash-stand to match. Price per set $19.00.

Quarter Cut Oak

Dressers and Stands of many designs at prices from $40. to $60. per set.

Black Walnut

Beautiful Bed-room set, bed, dressing table and dresser. Adam's design. Price $100.00

E. Myles
Furniture Walkerton
(FREE DELIVERY

Beautiful Fall Hats!

WE have a shipment of sample hats and there are no two hats alike. You will find a becoming shape that you can trim quite easily yourself and have a

New Fall Hat
At a Moderate Price

BUTTER WRAPPERS
Printed Butter Wrappers, 100 sheets for..... .....25c

VICTROPHANE
A stained glass effect may be had by using Victrophane, a specialll prepared paper for windows, cupboard doors, etc. per yard 18c

BREMNER'S FAIR

LIVE NEWS OF NEIGHBORING VILLAGES AND COUNTRYSIDE

:-: Happenings of the Week Collected for the Readers of The Telescope by a Staff of Wideawake Correspondents :-:

GLAMIS

Mr. Arthur Cronin of Palmerston visited friends on 10th Con. Kincardine last week.

Mrs. McCall, of Winnipeg Man. has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Peter McLean.

Mr. Jackson of Holland Centre is visiting his daughter, Mrs R. J. Nesbit.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Tufford, (Nee Miss Gertrude McKeeman) Beamsville on Sept. 25 1918, a daughter, (Mary McMillan)—Congratulations.

Miss. Katharine McDermid of London visited friends here.

Rev. J. A. McClung, and family, attended Quarterly Services at Sarnia last week.

Mrs. J. K. McLennan returned from Toronto last week where she was undergoing treatment for six weeks. All are pleased to see her doing so well and hope for her continued improvement.

Rev. J. E. McCauley left on Friday for Goderich. All were sorry to see him leave and wish him every success in his new field of labor.

Mr. W. J. Graham who went to Lindsay on a visit took very ill and was in the hospital. Latest reports were satisfactory and all hope for his speedy recovery.

Pte. J. Douglas McKay who was wounded in the jaw Sept. 2nd and is in England we are pleased to report is doing nicely.

On Thursday last James Mc Lennan received official notice that their son [illegible]929 Pte. Terrance McLennan was admitted Sept. 22nd. to 2nd General Welsheran Hospital, Mancheater, with Gunshot Wound in right arm. No further particulars have been received. All hope his injuries are not serious and hope for his speedy recovery.

Mrs. Sarah Jackson has returned to her home in Kincardine.

Rev. James McEwen of Toronto occupied the pulpit in the Baptist Church on Sunday and will also occupy the pulpit October 6th.

Don't forget regular Red Cross meeting on Thursday Oct. 10th.

Mrs. Robert McLennan received word last week that her only brother Pte. John Short, of Grenfell Sask had been killed in action recently. We extend to her our deepest sympathy in her sorrow.

CARGILL

Mr. and Mrs. John Sirrs and son and daughter of Toronto were the guests of Mr. Geo. Sirrs over Sunday.

Mr. Geo. Welsford left for Sarnia last week where he has secured employment.

Mr. Louis Cliff is home from Oshawa Ont.

Mr. Rousseau is selling out and moving to St. Catharines, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Young attended a memorial service in Arthur on Sunday last, for Lieut. Brocklebank.

Mrs. W. Russell and babe returned on Saturday night from a two months visit in Edmonton, Alta.

Mrs. Rousseau spent over Sunday with friends at St. Catherines.

Mrs. W. J. Loughleen is home from Norwich Ont. where she has been visiting.

Mr. Jos. D. Schuett is raising the roof on his store next to the hotel. This will be the highest building in the village.

PINKERTON

Mrs (Rev) H J Richardson and children returned to her home in Arthur after a visit to her parents, Rev and Mrs Gale at the Manse.

Miss Merrils and Master Frank Donnelly returndd to Toronto on Monday to resume their studies at the University.

[illegible] spent Saturday and Sun[illegible] in Port Elgin.

[illegible]ale attended the School [illegible]e last Monday.

[illegible] Smith and children of Toronto [illegible]ing her parents, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible]ampbell.

[illegible] Will Pinkerton of Enniskillen [illegible]s Alice Pinkerton of Michigan, [illegible]pent Sunday at Mrs. A. Pinker[illegible]

Mr and Mrs Wm Garland were in Chesley on Monday.

Mr Howard Birrell of Toronto visited at his parents last week.

Pte. Wm. J. Knox has sent the following letter from England:—

Frensham Pond,
Surrey, England,
Sept. 15., 1918.

To my dear Friends and Neighbors,

You have no idea how much I regret not being able to attend the gathering and presentation at Mr. Wilson's which you were so kind to get up for me. It came in very handy as we were called from London so sudden we didn't get a chance to prepare. We are all here together and have many good old chats about home and friends. Thanking you again for your kindness.

OTTER CREEK

Cutting corn is the order of the day.

Miss Lillian McDougald from S S No 3 Carrick attended the fall fair in Tara last Wednesday.

We are sorry to know of the illness of Mrs David Bell. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr John Tenner of Carrick, a man of 76 yrs of age, helped to pitch every load of grain this past harvest. He certainly is doing his bit for his country. Who can beat it?

Miss Anettie Gress is down with a very bad cold and attack of La grippe.

Quite a number of the fourteenth people attended the Rally Day in Mildmay Evangelical Church Sunday afternoon which proved a great success, also had a offering which amounted over $40.

CHEPSTOW

Mrs. Ed. Diemert and family of Hanover are spending a few week's with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Con. Mullin.

Mr. Jeremiah Desmond of Kingsbridge, is visiting friends in this vicinity.

Mrs. Richard Powers left last week to spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Fischer of Tennesee.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized in the R. C. Church here on Monday morning Sept. 30th, at 9 o'clock, when Rose Schurter youngest daughter of Mr and Mrs. Michael Schurter, was united in marriage to Mr. William Kritz, Rev. Father Harris officiating. The bride, who was attended by Miss Margaret Kritz, sister of the groom, looked charming in a gown of white satin and georgette crepe with hat to match and carried a bouquet of white roses. Mr. Alex Schurter acted as groomsman. After partaking of a tempting repast at the bride's home and a big dance in the evening the young couple will reside on the groom's farm south of Chepstow. The many friends of this popular young couple will wish them a long and happy matrimonial career.

CULROSS CENTRE

Mrs. Campbell of Michigan is visiting her sister, Mrs. John Donaldson.

Miss Elsie Grant is visiting friends at Kincardine, Wingham and other points this week.

Mr and Mrs. James Valad spent Sunday at the home of Nicholas O'Hagan of Riversdale.

Miss Remelda Parker spent Sunday visiting friends at Teeswater.

Mr. Howard Whytock of Teeswater visited his friend Alex. Grant Thursday evening.

Mr. James Armstrong and his friend Miss Mary Thompson visited at the home of Wm. Becking last Tuesday evening.

LOYAT

Mrs. Jno. McBeath and Miss Annie spent the week-end visiting at her daughter's, Mrs. Jno. A. Pace.

Mr. Jno McKay left for the West last week.

Mr. Jno. Rose visited with friends in the Town line

Mr. James Begg is at present threshing in the burg.

All the young sports took in the concert Fair Night in Paisley and report the best of the season.

Miss Maggie McKay and friend of Paisley spent the week-end at her brother's, Mr. J. G. McKay, Loyat.

EDEN GROVE

Miss K. Morton, Evangelist of Toronto, commenced a series of special services with the Rev. H. D. Tyler on Sunday, Sept. 29th in Eden Grove Methodist Church. In the morning Miss Morton preached from text Matt. 14—27 and in the evening her subject was from "Calvary to Pentecost." Miss Morton is a licensed local preacher from Carleton St. Meth. Church, Toronto. Don't fail to hear this gifted lady preacher. Services each evening of the week commencing at 8 o'clock. On Friday evening the Evangelist will speak on "Choice" and give an account of her call to the work. On Sunday Oct. 6th, in the morning at 11 o'clock subject, The Secret of Power. In the evening at 7.30 the Evangelist will speak again. Come and bring a friend with you and enjoy these splendid services.

WE WANT THE NEWS

The Telescope wishes to secure a live correspondent in every nook and corner of this district. If your neighborhood is not represented, we shall be glad to receive the names of any capable persons whom you would suggest to act as Telescope correspondent.

BRANT TP. COUNCIL

Brant Council Meeting, Sept. 30 '18.

A special meeting of Brant Council was held on Monday the 30th. day of Sept. Members all present. Minutes of last regular meeting read and declared correct.

Gregg—Johnston That this council accept the application of Walter R. Spong as collector of rates for the Township for the current year at a salary of $125.00.—Carried.

Rowand—Johnston That By-Laws No. 109 and 110 A. D. 1918, By-laws appointing a collector of rates and imposing a penalty in default of payment on or before certain dates, be now read a first second and third time passed signed and sealed.—Carried.

Gregg—Rowand That the Reeve and Councillor Findlay be a committee to inquire into the security offered by Walter R. Spong as collector of rates.—Carried.

Rowand—Johnston That Geo. Sirrs and Josiah Dierstein be appointed Fuel Commissioners for the municipality of Brant.

Gregg—Findlay That the Reeve and clerk issue orders on the Treasurer for all accounts passed at this meeting of the council.—Carried.

F. F. Baladon, spike nails	70
Philip Kastner, building culvert	40 25
Frank Prust, cement tile	49 15
Hugh McNeil, sheep killed by dogs	32 50
Geo. Sirrs, valuating sheep killed by dogs	1 80
John Mortimer, building bridge	27 15
Herman Ahrens, drawing lumber for bridge	2 00
Hydro Electric commission Hydro light for Elmwood	465 14
Chas. Schabb, repairing grader	3 10
C. Rehkopf, grate for catch basin re widow ditch	12 70
Mike Driscoll, building culvert	15 00
Frank Heintz, digging ditch re widow award	14 05
Wm. Taffee, cutting brush laying tile re widow ditch	96

Johnston—Rowand That this council do now adjourn to meet on Monday the 11th. day of November, 1918 for the transaction of general business.—Carried.

M. A. McCallum,
Clerk.

Choice Flour

We are the makers of three winning brands:—

Prairie Pride
Peerless Pastry
Red Cross

We recommend our Rye Flour and Corn Flour as war substitutes.

Walkerton Flour Mills

Pletsch Bros. Phone 10

Erdman's Ice Cream

Endorsed by food scientists, Ice Cream has become recognized as a food of high value. The children enjoy it and it is good for them.

Erdman's Ice Cream conforms with all the rules and regulations of the food controller. It is made here.

Wholesale and Retail

JNO. B. ERDMAN

Ice Cream Parlor Phone 190

MY RIG WILL CALL

AT YOUR HOME DAILY WITH A FULL LINE OF BUNS, CAKES, SCONS, WHOLESOME BREAD AND EVERYTHING DESIRED FROM A BAKERY. LEAVE YOUR ORDER PHONE IN YOUR NAME

EAST END BAKERY

A. Hehn, Proprietor PHONE 108

It's Time to Order Your

New Fall Suit

You get fit finish and and style if you order it from

T. PYE

Cloth'er & Furnisher.

CREAM

We have opened a Cream Station on Durham Street, Walkerton, next to the photograph gallery, and will pay highest cash price on delivery for Cream every

THURSDAY

L.S. BENNINGER

Prop. Wingham Creamery



Everything For the FARMER!

QUALITY RIGHT PRICES RIGHT

MR. FARMER we can supply your complete needs in very many lines. A glance through our stock would surprise you by its complete ness. Here are a few of our lines :—

Harness

Double and single harness, collars sweat pads, halters, colt halters and all harness parts.

Trunks

Suit cases, club-bags, pocket books and all leather goods.

Shelf Hardware

Forks, hay, manure, cultivator, and all kinds, shovells, spades, hoes, brooms, house brooms, pails, coal oil cans.

Oils

Harness oil, motor oil, separator oil, machine oil, raw oil, metal polish coal oil, etc.

Blankets

robes, mitts, gloves, rain coats.

Perfection Oil Stoves

Stove pipes, elbows, odorless stovepipe varnish.

Partridge Auto Tires

and auto accessories. Give us a call. We'll use you right at

SandyMcCarter's

LADIES!

When you buy your Bread and Cakes from us, you do not have to bother with the flour substitutes.

We have Fresh Cakes. Lunch Cakes, Jelly Rolls, Cookies, etc, baked every day and will bake Cakes to your order.

JOHN O'MALLEY

A WARM ROOM!

During these chilly Autumn days it is a real pleasure to come into a comfortable warm room and it is so easy to have a cosy living room when you use

Perfection Oil Heaters

The Never Fail Oil Can

is a five gallon can that pumps the oil out. No lifting, easy to work, no waste.

CHARCOAL

Kindle your fires with charcoal. It will make fire-lighting easy, saves time and worry.

Trulite Short Globe Lanterns

Will not blow out in strongest wind. Good value.

S. W. VOGAN

Hardware Walkerton.

An Advertisement by Charles Dickens



CHARLES DICKENS is one of the world's great teachers. Here is what he has to say in one of his books;

"My other piece of advice, Copperfield," said Mr. Micawber, "you know. Annual income £20, annual expenditure £19. 19. 6—result, happiness. Annual income £20, annual expenditure £20. 0. 6—result, misery. The blossom is blighted, the leaf is withered, the God of Day goes down upon the dreary scene, and—and in short you are forever floored. As I am."

The saving of a part of one's income was always a good policy.

Prudent men and women have always maintained a margin of saving.

But to-day we must go farther in our efforts to save than ever before.

To-day it is a matter of the gravest importance that each Canadian seek ways and means to economize by cutting down expenditures for unnecessary things, saving the money he spends on things he could do without, so that when the Nation needs to borrow money he will be in a position to do his full duty.

There is war-shortening work waiting for every dollar that can be saved.

IF Charles Dickens were writing to Canadians to-day he would probably give us advice to this effect:

"My other piece of advice, Canadians, you know. No matter what percentage of your annual income you have previously saved, your efforts to-day should be to save more. The advantage of so doing is threefold: By the practice of economy you conserve the material and labor which must be devoted to the grim task before us; you cultivate the priceless habit of thrift; you gather more and more money to lend to the Nation for the prosecution of the war to a quick and certain Victory."

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S. S. HONOR ROLL

Names of Scholars who Have Done the Best Work For the Month Of September

GRADE I

Sr. Primer—Mary McGregor, Dorothy Leake, Violet Bannister, Borden Riehl, Kenneth Johnston, Mary Threndyle, Eldred Ernest.

Jr. Primer—Armand Royce, Jean Bell, Elizabeth Eedy, Edward Ratz, Muriel Bell, Floyd Fennell, Lorne Allen, Elmer Burrows, Jack Leeson, Stanley Cheaney, Margaret Harper, Jack Arscott, Margaret George, Annie Cheaney, James Richardson.

A. D. Thompson.

GRADE II

First Class Honors—G. King, F. Leeson, E. Richardson, D. Trimble. Pass—D. Webb, A. Shaw, E. Reed, H. Taylor, B. Trimble.

Primer—Honors—L. Procknow, F. Speiran, W. Hampson. Pass—P. Van Horne, L. Winter, A. Bolden, L. Polley, B. Knopflar.

W. Thompson
Teacher.

GRADE III

Jr. II—Honours—H. Royer, G. Hilker, E. Long, B. Johnston, F. McCarter. Pass—C. Buehlow, A. Craig, F. Boch, W. Monk, B. Foster.

Sr. I—Honours—M. Bell, E. Leake, R. Pye, D. Hynes, F. Hartman. Pass—A. Leake, M. Silver, H. Dietz, G. McGregor, H. Reichenbach.

A. Halladay
Teacher.

GRADE IV

Honours—Cora Paull, Arthur Beck, Grace Thompson. Pass—Verna Bolden, Margaret Jones, Stewart Channing, Joe Webber, Bernice Cherhirse, Lomax Player, Annie Kerney, Armond Fry, Gretchen Schwindt, Merle Beemer.

Agnes Warren.

GRADE V

Honors—George Dietsche, Emil Dietsche, Ruth Hunter, Armand Taggart. Pass—Margaret Shaw, (Mildred Appel, Richard Fruin), Lillian Mortimer, Howard Bush, Mina Dietz, Eldridge Truax, Kathleen Fortune, Viola Bell.

M. Ross

GRADE IV

Honours—R. Hampson, W. Hehn, R. Gowanlock, D. Gowanlock. Pass W. Jerrome, L. Procknow, (D. Crawford D. Polley) E. Webber, W. Hartman V. Anderson, E. Riley, R. Johnston, E. Singer, N. Fortune. J. James, A. Reichenbach.

J. Stead

GRADE VII

Sr. Fourth—Honours—I. Harrison, A. Lee and M. Lumley (Equal), H. Inglis, N. Tuckey, C. Yates, E. Faust and G. Ramsey (Equal), E. Fennel, E. Ramsey, J. Knopflar. Pass—E. Kolpin, M. Schwindt, D. Truax, G. Sutton, J. Aiken and D. Van Horne (Equal), M. Hyslop.

Jun. Fourth—Pass—E. Aiken, J. Van Horne, F. Bush, K. Pye, I. Moore, M. McCarter, J. McConnell, K. Perdue, E. Wilton, W. Goode, C. Wallace, G. George, H. Myles, E. Yates.

Thos. Rankin
Prin.

THRIFT? HAVE WE BEGUN IT?

By Edmund Vance Cooke

Thrift? Have we yet won it?
Nay, have we begunit?
It pops up its head and we sop it or stun it,
But while we are raving,
Of salving and saving,
Who of us is conscious of cutting a craving?

We still go hotelling,
And swanking and swelling,
As if war were pastime and seldom compelling;
We go restauranting,
And jaunting and flaunting,
With little denied that is wanton or wanting.

If you're doing the limit, keep hitting on wood
And ask: "Have I thrifted as much as I could?"

Some go profiteering,
And on the high gearing
They hit the high spots with a rollicking cheering;
And day-working Dooleys,
Are suffering patchoulis,
While over the ocean they're living like coolies.

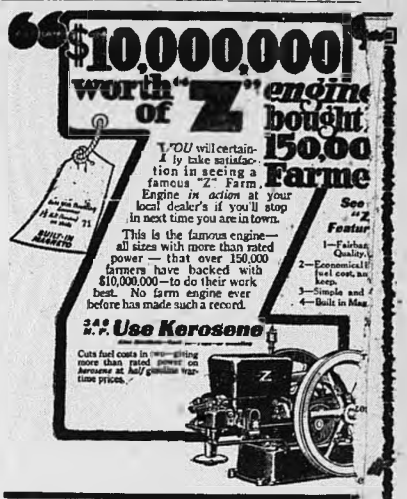
Aye, aye, there they buckle
Their belts as they knuckle
Hard down to their work, while refusing to truckle,
And Punches and Pierrots
Are starving like horses,
While our self-denials still is hitting the sorrows.

As you pillow your conscience at bedtime to-night,
Ask this; "Have I thrifting as much, as I might?"

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ton; Spring Colt, D. Pinkerton;
Mare, D. Pinkerton.
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2 yr. old, W. T. Hopper; Best 1
W. Long & Sons; Spring Colt,
Hopper; Brood Mare, W. T.
r.
NERAL PURPOSE HORSES
Span, Alex Carr.
PERCHERON HORSES
Span, Wm. Garland; Best 2 yr.
rland Bros.; Spring Colt, Gar-
Bros., John M. Hopper, Hank
Brood Mare, Hank Irwin, Gar-
os., John M. Hopper.
ARRIAGE ROADSTERS
pan under 16 hands, Pearce
, C. Pearce; Buggy Horse un-
nds. W. R. Thompson, Mr.
Henry Ernest; Brood Mare,
Hopper; Spring Colt, John M.
Single, 16 hands or over Hen-
M.
SPECIAL
Outfit, Team of horses, harness
gan, D. Pinkerton, W. Long &
nt Outfit. Single horse, harness
ggy, Mr. Laidlaw, W. R.
on.
GRADE CATTLE
yr. old Steer. D. Pinkerton,
olerton; Best 2 yr. old Steer, D.
erm, Garland Bros., D. Pinker-
Fat Ox or Steer, D. Pinkerton, D.
erton; Grade Cow having calf, W
Hopper, W. T. Hopper, D. Pinker-
; 2 year old Heifer, D. Pinkerton,
rland Bros., Garland Bros.; 1 yr. old
eifer, Garland Bros, D. Pinkerton,
arland Bros.; Cow under 4 yrs. hav-
g calf, W. T Hopper, D. Pinkerton,
arland Bros; Best village Cow, Fred
ibb; Steer or Heifer under 1 yr., D.
Pinkerton D. Pinkerton, Garland Bros.
THOROUGHBRED DURHAM CATTLE
Cow having calf, W. T. Hopper, W.
T. Hoppe, R. Donnelly; Cow under 4
yrs. having calf, W. T. Hopper, R.
Donnelly, W. T. Hopper; Heifer under
1 yrs., W.T. Hopper, W. T. Hopper;
Heifer under 2 yrs., D. Pinkerton, W.
T. Hoppe; Heifer under 1 yr., W. T.
Hopper, V. T. Hopper, Best Herd, W.
T. Hoppe, R. Donnelly, W. T. Hopper;
Bull Calf under 1 yr., W. T. Hopper, W. T. Hopper, R. Donnelly.
SHEEP—LONG-WOOLED
Pair of aged Ewes, H. Clark, H. Clark; Pair shearling Ewes, H. Clark; Pair of ewe Lambs, H. Clark, H. Clark.
SHEEP—SHORT-WOOLED
Pair aged Ewes having lambs, Wm. Emke, Wm. Garland; Pair Shearling Ewes, Wm. Emke, Wm. Garland; Shearling ram, Wm. Emke, Wm. Emke; Pair of Ewe Lambs, John Desmond, Wm. Emke Ram Lamb, Wm. Emke, Wm. Emke Fat Sheep, any kind, Wm. Garland, John Desmond; Best Pen, Wm. Emke, Wm. Garland.
SWINE YORKSHIRE
Best Boar, age to be given, Garland Bros, Garland Bros; Sow, 1 yr. and old-, Garland Bros, Garland Bros; Sow, under 1 year, Garland Bros, Garland Bros.
ANY OTHER KIND SWINE
Sow 1 year and older, Wm. Garland, Wm. Garland; Sow under 1 year, Wm. rland.
FRUIT—WINTER APPLES
Northern Spy, Wm. Garland, J. Cruickshank & Son; Baldwin, J. Cruickshank & Son, J. Mutrie; Rhode Island Greening, J. Cruickshank & Son, J. Mutrie; Golden Russets, J. Mutrie, Desmond; King of Thompkins, Alf rland, Wm. Garland; Any other nd. A. Schmidt, Alf Garland.
FALL APPLES
St. Lawrence, W. T. Stewart, Ad- Reid; Snow, J. Mutrie, D. Pinker- ; Duchess of Oldenburg, Alf Gar- d, Wm. Garland. Any other variety, Pinkerton, Mrs. J. Pierson; Large Apples of any kind, Alf Garland, esmond, Wealthy Apples, D. Pinkn, Alf Garland.
PLES, PLUMS, PEACHES, PEARS, etc.
portment of apples, 4 of each nom- Cruickshank, & Sons, A. Schmidt pples, large, J. Cruickshank & ab Apples, small, J. Cruickn, Adam Reid; Pears, Fall, A. Schmidt; Pears, land, Mrs. J. Pier- Mrs. J. Pierson; variety, Wm. Gar Pierson, 3 clusters of Pierson; Collection of ccepted, Wm. Garland.
ADIES WORK
Quilt, Woolens, J. Cruickd Son, Mrs. J. Pierson; d Quilt, Cotton, Mrs. J. Pierson, V. Dippell; Knitted Quilt Cotton, Mrs. G. B. Irwin; Crochet Quilt, V. Dippel, J. Cruickshank and Son; Crazy Quilt, V. Dippel, W. T. Stewart; Log Cabin. Quilt, W. T. Stewart, Mrs. J. Pierson; oint Lace, Mrs. G. B. Irwin, Mrs. E. Reed; Honiton Lace, Mrs. J. Pierrs. E. C. Reed; Crochet Work, V. Dippel, Mrs. J. Pierson; Crowork, Cotton, Mrs. E. C. Reed, G. B. Irwin; Knitted Work, Wool, ppel, Mrs. E. C. Reed; Knitted Work, Cotton, Mrs. G. B. Irwin, Mrs. J. Pierson; Crochet on Ice Wool, Mrs. W. T. Stewart, Mrs. J. Pierson; Netting, J. Cruickshank and Son, Mrs. E. C. Reed; Set Table Mats, Crochet, V. Dippel, Mrs. J. Pierson; Slippers, Knitted, Mrs. E. C. Reed, Mrs. G. B. Irwin; Slippers, Crochet, Mrs. J. Mutrie, Mrs. E. C. Reed; Fancy Bracket, J. Cruickshank, V. Dippel: Embroidery on cotton or linnen, Mrs. G. B. Irwin, J. Cruickshank and Son; Hand Made Apron, Mrs. G. Fiddis, Mrs. J. Pierson; Painting in Oil, Mrs A. Pinkerton, Mrs E. C. Reed; Water colour Painting, Mrs. E. C. Reed, V. Dippel; Assortment Knitted Goods, for Family, V. Dippel, Mrs. J. Pierson; Tatting, J. Cruickshank and Son, Mrs. J. Mutrie; Drawn work on Linen, Mrs. G. B. Irwin Mrs. E. C. Reed; Battenberg Lace, Mrs G. B. Irwin, Mrs. E. C. Reed; Tea Cozy, Mrs. G. B. Irwin, Mrs. J. Mutrie; Hooked Rag Mat, Fred, Mrs. W. T. Stewart; Hooked Yarn, Mat, Mrs. W. T. Stewart; Sofa Cushion, Embroidered, Mrs. G. B. Irwin, V. Dippell; Sofa Cushion, any other kind, Mrs. G. Irwin, Mrs. E. C. Reed; Pair Pillow, Shams, Mrs. E. C. Reed, Mrs. J. Pierson; Fancy Braiding, Mrs. J. Mutrie, V. Dippell.

Pair woollen socks home made, Mrs. J. Pierson, Mrs. J. Mutrie; Pair woollen mitts home made, J. Cruickshank & Son, Mrs. G. Fiddis; Pair woollen gloves (fine) home made, Mrs. J. Mutrie, W. T. Stewart.

CROCHET ON LINEN
Mrs. G. B. Irwin, Mrs. J. Mutrie.

EMBROIDERY
Centre-piece, Mrs. E. C. Reed, Mrs. G. B. Irwin; Pr. towels, Mrs. E. C. Reed, Mrs. G. B. Irwin.

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Home made, Mrs. J. Mutrie, V. Dippell.

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FLOWERS AND PLANTS
Bouqut of garden flowers, Wm. Garland, Mrs. J. Pierson.

HOUSE PLANTS
Window plants any kind of flower, John Seller; Col. of house plants, John Mutrie; Col. of petunias, John Mutrie; Col. of cut flowers, Mrs. J. Pierson; Col. of asters any kind, Mrs. J. Pierson, Wm. Garland.

POULTRY
White leghorns, D. Pinkerton; Wyandottes, white, W. Garland, Jno. Seller; Chickens, white leghorns, D. Pinkerton, Wm. Garland; Chickens any other kind, John Seller.

GRAIN
White winter wheat, A. Schmidt, W. Garland; Red winter wheat, A. Schmidt, W. Emke; Spring wheat any variety, A. Schmidt, Garland Bros.; Black oats, A. Schmidt; White oats, A. Schmidt, W. Emke, H. Clark; Barley six-rowed, A. Schmidt, W. Emke, Alex. Carr; Red clover, Alex. Carr; Indian corn, yellow, A. Schmidt; Sweet corn, A. Schmidt, R. Perdue; White beans, Mrs. J. Pierson, Fred Gibb; Beans any variety, Fred Gibb, V. Dippell; Flax seed, Alex. Carr, W. Emke.

DAIRY PRODUCTS
Crock butter, R. Perdue, Mrs. J. Pierson, John Seiler; 4 lbs. salted butter, John Seiler, R. Perdue, J. Mutrie; Basket ornamental butter, W. Garland, J. Mutrie, J. Seiler; Honey extracted, R. Perdue; Maple syrup, Alf Garland, R. Perdue; Maple sugar, W. Garland, Alf Garland.

SPECIAL
Best crock butter not less than 10 lbs., John Seiler, W. Garland.

PROVISIONS
Loaf home made bread standard flour, R. Perdue, Mrs. J. Pierson; Loaf home made bread standard flour by girl under 18 yrs., Alf. Garland, Geo. Fiddis; Layer cake dark, J. Mutrie; Apple pie, R. Perdue, J. Mutrie.

SPECIAL
Bread, biscuits and buns, Cargill flour, R. Perdue, Alf. Garland; Bread, biscuits and buns, Pinkerton flour, Alf. Garland, G. Fiddis.

ROOTS AND VEGETABLES
Empire state potatoes, A. Schmidt; Early rose pot., A. Schmidt; Beauty of Hebron pot., A. Schmidt; Elephant pot., J. Mutrie; Potatoes, any other variety, John Desmond, D. Pinkerton; Large onions red, A. Schmidt, Alf Garland; Large onions, white or yellow, A. Schmidt, Mrs. J. Pierson; Potato onions, A. Schmidt, D. Pinkerton; Red mangolds, A. Schmidt, Mrs J. Pierson; Mangolds, any other kind, D. Pinkerton, A. Schmidt; Field carrots, A. Schmidt, Fred Gibb; Table carrots long, Fred Gibb, A. Schmidt; Table carrots short, J. Cruickshank & Son, Geo. Fiddis; Beets, long blood, R. Donnelly, Fred Gibb; Beets any other kind, G. Fiddis, John Seller; Winter cabbage, A. Schmidt, R. Donnelly; Summer cabbage, A. Schmidt; Red cabbage, A. Schmidt, G. Fiddis; Red Tomatoes, large, John Seller; Watermelons scarlet flesh, R. Donnelly, Alf Garland; Muskmelons, R. Donnelly; Citrons, G. Fiddis; Swede turnips, Garland Bros., R. Perdue; Yellow Aberdeen turnips, A. Schmidt; Parsnips, A. Schmidt, Fred Gibb; Squash (hubbard), Mrs. J. Pierson, A. Schmidt; Squash any other kind, W. Garland; Celery, A. Schmidt; Cucumbers green, A. Schmidt, Alf Garland.

SPECIAL
Best collection of field and garden roots, A. Schmidt, G. Fiddis.

WOOLEN GOODS AND OTHER ARTICLES.
2 lbs. Stocking yarn, double twisted, Mrs. J. Pierson; Set harness, single, John Seiler.

SCHOOL WORK.
Penmanship by public school pupil, Bob Porter, Hugh Houston, G. Knox; Map of Dominion of Canada, Florence Clark, Willie Dales, George Dales; Composition of Ontario, Bob Porter, Stanley Clark, Hilda Kenny; Map of county of Bruce, Hugh Bell, D. Wilson, D. Fletcher; Penmanship by pupil in 2nd or 3rd book, Florence Clark, N. Hetsler, D. Fletcher; Best drawing mare and colt, Hilda Kenny, No name entered; Composition of County of Bruce by pupil in 2nd or 3rd book, Joe Keony; Collection of weeds, plants and flowers, S. S. No. 7.

The Methodist and Presbyterian congregations in town are combining their services for the months of October and November. During October morning services will be held in the Presbyterian church and in the Methodist in the evening, and in November vice versa.—Southampton Beacon.

Milldmay council has struck the tax rate for the year, amounting to 20 mills on the dollar. It is made up as follows; County rate 8 mills, village rate 2 mills, fire department 1 mill, street lighting 1½ mills, school rate 8 mills; Over and above this, there will be the statute labor at $1.25 per day.—Gazette.

Rural School Fair Prize List

CLASS I—OATS O. A. C. 72
Sheaf—Hughie Campbell, S. S. 1 Br. and Gr.
½ Gallon—H. Campbell, S. S. 1 Br. and Gr.

CLASS II. BARLEY, O. A. C., 21
Sheaf—Owen Parker, 1 Br. and Gr.; Anna Schilling, 3 Br.; Wallace Johnston, 1 Br.
½ Gallon—Owen Parker, 1 Br. and Gr. Anna Schilling, 3 Br. Gladys Beirns, 2 Br.; Wilfrid Hammuro, 5 Br.

CLASS III. WHEAT (Marquis)
Sheaf—Stanley Tolton, 1 Br.; Arthur Johnston, 1 Br. Ross Kirstine 1 Br. and Gr. Carl Parker, 1 Br. and Gr.; Wilbert Wilken, 6 Br.
½ Gallon Wilbert Wilken, 6 Br.; Stanley Tolton, 1 Br.; Craigie Leach 3 Br.; Edward Voigt, 2 Car.; Ross Kirstine, 4 Br.; Burns Kirstine, 4 Br

CLASS IV. L. C. POTATOES
1. Hugh Kirstine, 4 Br.; 2. Emma Allardyce, 1 Br. and Gr.; 3 Jno Allardyce, 1 Br. and Br.; 4. Mary Hodgson, 1 Br.; 5 Maud Ashley, 2 Br.; 6 Loreno Voigt, 2 Car.; 7. Gordon Ingles, 2 Br.; 8. Andrew Waechter, 1 Br.

CLASS V., G M POTATOES
1. Justus Hohn, 5 Br.; 2. Arthur McNaughton, 6 Br.; 3, Eric Wilton, 1 Br.; 4 Elroy Etsell, 2 Br.; 5. Grace Kirstine, 4 Br.; 6 Rustin Burns, 2 Br.; 7. Buelah Woods, 4 Br.; 8. Loyd Marshall, 6 Br.

CLASS VI., MANGLES (Yellow Leviathan.)
1. Robt. Raecher, 2 Br.; 2. Wallace Johnston, 1 Br., 3 Erwin Ernest, 2 Br., 4. Graham Pinkney, 3 Br.

CLASS VII. SWEET CORN (Golden Bantam.)
1. Grace Scott, 3 Car.; 2. Wm. Dickison, 3 Car.; 3. Gertrude Ellis, 2 Br.; 4. Annie Johnston, 1 Br.; 5. Myrtle Brockelbank, 5 Br.; 6. Oscar Johnston, 1 Br. and Gr. 7 Jack James, 2 Br., 8. Payne Pinkney, 3 Br.

CLASS VIII. BEETS (Detroit Dark Red)
1 Leonard McNaughton, 6 Br.; 2. Marguerite Tolton, 1 Br.; 3. Laverne Etsell, 2 Br.; 4. Edward Schlorff, 6 Br.; 5 Mary Colwell, 1 Br. and Gr.; 6. Victor Tanner, 4 Br.

CLASS IX., CARROTS (Chantenay.)
Grace Leach, 3 Br.; 2. Antoinette Stroeder, 2 Br.; 3 Olivia Schmidt, 2 Car.; 4. Nellie Jasper, 2 Car.; 5. Mabel A. Craig, 5 Br.; 6. Russel Childs 1 Br.; 7. Roy Tanner, 4 Br.; 8 Gertrude Ashley, 2 Brant.

CLASS X. ONIONS
1. Margaret Johnston, 1 Br.; 2. Melinda Pulfrun, 2 Car.; 3. Mabel A. Lark, 2 Car.; 4. Doris Sickel, 3 Br.; 5. Irene Etsell, 2 Br.; 6. Walter Rice 4 Br.; 8. Jean McLennan, 1 Br.

CLASS XI. PARSNIPS (Hollow Crown)
1. Pearl Sickel, 3 Br.; 2 Alice Hodgson, 1 Br.

COLLECTION OF WEEDS
1. Wallace Johnston, 1 Br.; 2. Nellie Jasper, 2 Car.

WEED SEEDS
1. Wallace Johnston, 1 Br.; 2 Arthur Johnston, 1 Br.; 3. Frank James, 2 Br.

MANUAL TRAINING
Plain Box—1. Frank James, 2 Br 2. M. Tolton, 1 Br.
Milk Stool—1. Elroy Etsell, 2 Br.; 2. Lola Tanner, 4 Br.; 3. Arthur McNaughton, 6 Br.

LIVE STOCK
Colt Draft—1. Stanley Brockelbank, 5 Brant.

HITCHING AND HARNESSING
1. Jim Ronnie, 1 Br.; 2 Howard Ernest, 2 Br.; 3. Stanley Brockelbank, 5 Br.

BANKERS' SPECIAL
Hogs—1. Olive Hossfelt, 2 Car.; Graham Hohn, 5 Br.; 3. Eric Wilton 1 Br.; 4. Malcolm Tolton, 1 Br.; 5, Ross Johnston, 1 Br.
Calves—1. Olive Hossfelt, 2 Car.; 2. Stanley Tolton, 1 Br.; 3. Ross Johnston, 1 Br.; 4. Graham Hohn, 1 Br.

FIVE MINUTE ADDRESS
1. Stanley Tolton, 1 Brant.

SCHOOL PARADE
1. 2 Carrick, 2. 6 Brant, 3. 2 Brant

GIRLS' CLASSES
BREAD—(War FLOUR)—1. Mary Hodgson, 1 Br.; 2. Lola Tanner, 4 Br.
BRAN MUFFINS—1. Alice Hodgson, 1 Br.; 2. Viola Lippert, 4 Br.; 3 Edna McNaughton, 6 Br.; 4. Mary Tolton, 1 Br.; 5. Grace Scott, 3 Car.
PLAIN OATMEAL COOKIES—1. Irene Etsell, 2 Br.; 2. Gertrude Ellis, 2 Br.; 3 Edna McNaughton, 6 Br.; 4 Annie Wilhelm, 2 Br., 5. Mary Hodgson, 1 Br.
APPLE PIE—1. Maymo Pinkney, 3 Br.; 2. Jean Lowe, 4 Br.; 3. Mary Tolton, 1 Br.; 4 Edna McNaughton, 6 Br.; 5. Beulah Wood, 4 Br.
HAND MADE APRON—1. Grace Kirstine, 4 Br.; 2. Edna McNaughton 6 Br.; 3. Lola Tanner, 4, Grace Scott 3 Car.
HAND MADE HANDKERCHIEF—1. Grace Kirstine, 4 Br.; 2. Marguerite Tolton, 1 Br.
ASTERS—1. Mary Tolton, 1 Br.; 2. Annie Wilhelm, 2 Br.; 3. Maud Ashley, 2 Br.; 4. Ollie Hossfell, 2. Car.; 5. Audrey Pinkney, 3 Br.
BOUQUET OF FLOURS—1. Marguerite Tolton, 1 Br.; 2. Minnie Schwandt, 4 Br.; 3. Bertrude Ashley, 2 Br.; 4. Hilda Hossfelt, 2 Car.; 5. Grace Kirstine, 4 Br.

POULTRY (Barred Rocks)
Pen—1. Stanley Brockelbank, 5 Br.; 2. Audrey Pinkney, 3 Br.; 3. Florence Childs, 1 Br.; Elsie Jasper, 2 Car.; 5. Chas. Dickison, 3 Car.; 6. Edna McNaughton, 6 Br.
Pair—1. Audrey Pinkney, 3 Br.; 2. Florence Tanner, 2 Br.; 3. Marjorie Johnston, Br. and Gr.; 4. Florence Childs, 1 Br.; 5 Edna McNaughton, 6 Br.; 5. Chas. Dickison, 3 Carrick.
Pullet—1. Stanley Brockelbank.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the matter of the Estate of Henry Opperman late of the Town of Walkerton in the County of Bruce, Retired farmer, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given pursuant to the Revised Statutes of Ontario 1911, Chap., 121, Section 56, and Amending Acts, that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of the said Henry Opperman who died on or about the 22nd day of July A. D. 1918 are required on or before the 15th day of October A. D. 1918, to send by post prepaid or to deliver to Anthony Opperman, Formosa P. O. Ont. one of the Executors of the last will and testament of the deceased, their christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims and a statement of their accounts, and the nature of securities (if any) held by them.

And Further Take Notice that after such last mentioned date the said Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the parties entitled there to having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice, and that the said Executors will not be liable for the said assets or to any person or persons of whose claim notice shall not have been received by them at the time of such distribution.

Dated the 5th day of September A. D. 1918

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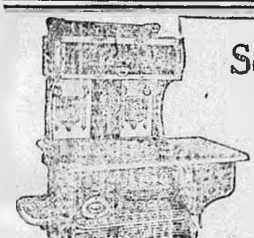
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NEWS ABOUT TOWN

East Bruce Teachers' Association is meeting at the Public School building here to-day and to-morrow.

Corporal Bob. McGregor of Pettewawa spent the week-end on last leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. McGregor, prior to leaving for Siberia.

Back From the West

Mr. E. J. Skelton arrived home on Friday night from an extended business trip through the Canadian West. He found business very good. Crops in many sections Mr. Skelton visited turned out immense, wheat running 25 to 40 bushels. In the district where his farm is located in Southern Alberta wheat was a failure although his son, Crawford, who has since joined the Royal Air Force, had enough wheat this year to pay expenses.

Husband And Both Brothers Fighting

Mrs. Fred Bannister had word on Friday that her nineteen year old brother, Charlie Murcar of Paisley, had enlisted with the Royal Engineers at Brockville and is going overseas soon. Her other brother, John Murcar, is now in France. The same day she received a letter from her husband stating that he was back on the firing line again after a spell in the hospital recovering from a gassing.

Home From The West

Mr. John O'Neil arrived home last week from an enjoyable trip through the Western Provinces. On the trip out he saw the West at its best, the broad prairies being laden with their waving stretches of golden grain. The endless panorama was most impressive. He visited principally the Moosejaw and Regina districts and spent a few days at Rolla, Sask. By an odd chance he struck those sections which this year had the West's best crops, wheat in many instances running as high as 40 bushels. He was impressed by the substantial appearance which many Western towns have developed. The broad paved streets and solid business blocks are model for Eastern cities. The last traces of wild-and-woolyness having long since disappeared, almost the only distinguishing mark of the Western city now is the appearance of the oddly-garbed foreign-born, especially women, in their fantastic old country garb with shawls about their heads. Their outlandish appearance forms a vivid contrast to their up-to-date surroundings on the paved streets.

Misses Ella and Mae Hyslop of Kitchener are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Hyslop.

Miss Daniels of Paisley underwent a surgical operation by Dr. Hall at the County Hospital on Tuesday.

Mr. Henry Hossfeld bought the west section of the Exhibition Building from the Town Council for $415 and has removed the timber to his farm in Carrick.

John Lundy of Brant lost forty dollars in bills on the street one day recently. A High School girl, Miss Ethel Reilly, found the money and promptly restored it to the owner.

Ted Wilhelm has returned from Windsor where he went to take a job in a shell factory recently. He found that his wounded arm was not yet strong enough to stand machine work.

Sunday School Convention

A program of more than usual interest and helpfulness has been prepared for the Annual Convention of the East Bruce S. S., Ass'n to be held at Mildmay next Thursday. Rev. T. A. Halpenny, Prov. Supt., is coming personally and will speak on "The Challenge of the Present Crisis to the S. S. Workers," at the afternoon session, and at night on "A Plea for personality in the S. S. Teacher." Rev. W. H. Burgess, B. D. of Walkerton, S. S. Convenor for the Pres. Synod of London and Hamilton, will deal with "The Teen Age Period," and Rev. Mr. McCaulley of Glamis will give an address on "The Place of Teaching in Sabbath School Work." The Convention will be held in the Evangelical Church, Mildmay.

Scouts, "Alert":

We had another good meeting of "The Scouts" last Friday evening. Two patrols were formed "The Stork" led by Patrol leader N. McCartney which is completed and another led by Patrol leader J. McConnel who has not chosen his patrol a name yet. The boys are shaping well at their "Tenderfoot" work and will be finished in the course of a few weeks when I hope the well known Scout Badge seen worn by every Scout will appear in Walkerton. We want to form two more patrols and invite the boys from 12 yrs. upwards to come and join us on Friday evenings, you have no home lessons to do and you will find the meetings interesting and instructive. The "Wolf Cubs" last Wed. commenced to learn their howl. As they are only learning they started with a squeal which will soon develope into a regular Wolf Club "Howl" The youngsters enjoyed the proceedings also the story of the "Old Wolf" in far off India. Don't forget to bring your subscription next week, we shall soon have enough to get a bugle, which I hope shall be a beginning towards a bugle band which will waken up Walkerton once more. We invite boys from 9 yrs. to 12 yrs. to come along next Wed. evening and you will enjoy it: there will be lots doing by and by.

IN MEMORIAM

ZETTEL—In loving memory of a dear friend, Lance-Corpl. U. J. Zettel, killed in Action Aug. 30th, 1918.

Though he did not win a medal,
Yet he found a hero's grave,
Sometimes I think he will come back,
When this fearful war is o'er,
You know I cannot realize
My brave friend is no more.
I picture his safe returning,
I long to clasp his hand,
But God has postponed the meeting,
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Black Taffetteen Skirts, interlined with white flannel at $2.25

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Serge Dress Goods, 40 inches wide, in black, navy, Belgian blue and Burgundy, special at $1.90 for this week.
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TWO MILLION DOLLARS

Will Be the Objective For Bruce in Victory Loan Campaign To Be Launched Shortly

Bruce County organized for the coming Victory Loan campaign at a meeting held in the Council Chamber, Walkerton, last Thursday afternoon at which the majority of the municipalities throughout the County were represented by one or more delegates.

County Chairman David Robertson K. C. briefly dealt with some salient features of the Victory Loan, giving points which will come useful in the Canvass.

Bruce County's share this year will be $2,000,000, just double last years objective. As last year's total reached $1,800,000 it will be seen that the two million mark should not be out of reach, and with a thorough organization and an enthusiastic band of workers on the job, it is a sure thing that Bruce will make a good showing on the fourth Victory loan.

Mr. Geo. D. McKay who was responsible in a large measure for the successful handling of the last Victory Loan, is again on the job as secretary, and Mr. Brown of Toronto will be county organizer.

Last year the towns and villages of Bruce outdid themselves in the way they subscribed and it is hardly to be expected that their performance will be repeated. Some of the country districts which failed to make good last year, will have a chance to show what they really can do this time and it is to be hoped that they will be there with the goods.

The rate of interest is the same as last on the Fourth Victory Loan, five and a half per cent, and it is absolutely free from war-tax. Farmers who up to last year had no experience with bonds, now know what a convenient form of security it is, and the experience that the public have had with gov't. bonds since the beginning of the war, is making them a more and more popular form of investment, outside of the satisfaction which the buyer of a bond feels in doing a bit to help the allies win the war.

County of Bruce Organization

County Chairman, David Robertson, K. C., Walkerton; County Vice-Chairman, C. J. Mickle, Chesley; County Secretary, Geo. D. McKay, Walkerton; County Organizer, W. S. Brown, Toronto.

County Executive Com. County Chairman, Coun. Vice-Chairman, County Secretary, County Organizer, Chairman of County Committees.

County Honorary Com.: Walkerton, His Honour Judge Klein; Wiarton, Gideon Kastner, Warden; Hep-

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Dog Lost

Small brown spaniel, answers to the name of "Spot". Reward for information as to his whereabouts. Mrs. E. T. Gibson.

Convention Postponed

The East Bruce Sunday School Convention which was to have been held at Mildmay to-day, has been postponed indefinitely owing to the "flu" epidemic.

Capt. Rowland Wounded

Mr. John Rowland received a telegram on Monday morning stating that his son, Capt. Bob Rowland, had been wounded on Sept. 22nd. Particulars as to the nature of his wound and his present whereabouts were lacking, and Mr. Rowland has cabled for further information.

Fell From Apple Tree

Harry Kreuger, the 13 year old son of Mr. Charles Krueger, con. 14 Carrick, sustained a nasty injury to his foot on Monday by a fall from an apple tree. The branch he was standing on broke and in falling he broke both bones of the ankle joint of his left foot and also the heelbone. The ankle joint was also dislocated and his foot is in very bad shape.

Collided With Posts

A motor accident occurred near Hanover on Thursday evening last when two cars were passing on the narrow road near Hanover bridge. One motor containing a number of of ladies who had attended the W. M.S. Convention here, collided with the posts of the fence. The occupants were badly shaken up and Mrs. Koehner had her arm badly fractured.

Got Money Back

The citizens of alien birth from Hanover and Brant who were recently fined $200 and costs and up each in Police Court here, have got their money back. In Division Court Tuesday morning Judge Greig annulled the police court judgments on the cases laid by the Military Police. The other cases in which Chief Ferguson, had laid the charge had been previously settled by the Chief agreeing to have the judgment cancelled.

Had Fall From Tree.

Mrs. Wills who lives alone near the cemetery, was seriously hurt by falling from an apple tree on Saturday morning. As she was picking the fruit, she stepped from the ladder into a branch which broke. She fell to the ground striking her head and inflicting a scalp-wound about six inches long. Her back was also hurt. She lay on the ground in a half dazed condition for some time, when Mr. James Whitehead who was showing some clients various properties around the town happened to call. Mr. Whitehead soon had a doctor, on the spot and Mrs. Wills was removed to the Hospital.

NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Read the ads.

Thanksgiving Monday.

Teachers Convention to-day.

Save to buy Victory Bonds.

Local news on all eight pages.

It will pay you to study the advts.

Try the Telescope for Auction Sale bills.

Quality job printing from new type at the Telescope.

Mrs. Lorne A Eedy and children are visiting at St. Marys.

Mrs. Harry Denny spent last week with friends at Toronto.

Mr. Thomas Dixon has been under the weather the last few days.

Mr. Harry McCrum left Monday morning to spend a week at G. it.

The trees have taken on their Autumn tints two weeks earlier than usual.

The Telescope is agent for the largest Counter check book firm in Canada.

Cadet Harold Lewis of the R. A. F. was home on a few days' leave this week.

Mrs. (Rev.) C. W. Cosens has been confined to the house by illness the past week.

Mrs. Calvin Clubb and babe of London has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Grif. Jones.

Mr. Thomas Etsell has been appointed janitor of the Public Library at a salary of $150.

Mr. P. Bremner arrived home last Thursday from a business trip to Toronto and Barrie.

Mr. James Gowanlock, has taken a position as district agent for the Brantford Roofing Co.

Public School scholars have a holiday today and to-morrow on account of Teachers' Convention.

There is something worth while for every housewife in the merchants' ads in this week's Telescope.

Messrs. Milton and George Muter and families of Hanover spent Sunday at Mr. G. S. Schwindt's.

Mrs. R. M. Player, who underwent a serious operation at the Bruce County Hospital last week, is reported to be doing well.

Hanover celebrated the good war news on Sunday night vociferously. The factory whistles in our neighboring town made quite a din over here.

The engagement was announced from the R. C pulpit on Sunday morning of Bertha Antionette Schnurr, youngest daughter of Mrs. Catherine Schnurr, and Garfield Andrew Kramp, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Kramp of Hanover.

Don't forget the I. O. D. E. Hallowe'en Bazaar Oct. 31st. The booths are:— Fancy work and Chintz, Vanity Fair, Kitchen, Children's, Market, Homemade Cooking, Conservation. Supper served at 6 o'clock, Special attractions in the evening.

When talking of gasolineless Sundays why not have all the motorists parade to church to hear a sermon on "Chariots, Ancient and Modern," or the fulfilment of prophecy respecting the "Chariots that run without horses and jostle one another in the streets?"

Local news on every page.

Save to buy Victory Bonds.

To-day is Fire Prevention Day.

Mrs. (Dr.) Sinclair is visiting at Hamilton.

Mr. Jack Kelly of Guelph is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Kelly.

Fire Prevention Day. Good citizens are expected to get busy and clean up their premises to-day.

Miss Coletta Jarvis and Mrs. Anthony O'brecht left on Saturday for Chicago to attend the funeral of a relative.

Mr. Joseph Lappan, the new C. P. R. conductor, has rented a house and expects to remove here from Teeswater shortly.

Mrs. John Pringle of Wingham, who has been visiting her sisters, Mrs. R. B. Ferguson and Mrs. Wm. Kneller, returned home on Saturday.

The many friends of Miss Mary Lindsay will be glad to learn that she is improving after being confined to her bed with an attack of La Grippe.

Mr. Fred Fitchett, who recently bought Mr. Mac McCannell's blacksmithing business, has moved into the house lately vacated by Dr. Grant.

Mrs James Fairbairn who has been visiting her brother, Mr. John Frame and other relatives, leaves this week for her home at Portage La Prairie, Man.

Mr. Hugh J. O'Neill announces the engagement of his daughter Lauretta Stella, to Mr. Ernest Rohathon of Toronto, the marriage to take place quietly October 30th.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Battle accompanied by their daughter, Cecilia returned on Monday from a week's visit to Kitchener, Hamilton and other points.

Nursing Sister Lizzie Rennie writes home from England that she called at the Prince of Wales Hospital in London recently and saw Capt. Roy Whitehead sitting up in a wheeled chair and doing nicely. Lieut. Herb Henderson was out on a motor trip when she called.

Speaking at Toronto last week Rt. Rev. Bishop Fallon made this statement, and it might properly be used in support of the coming Victory Loan: "The man who relaxes his effort because there seems to be a rent in the cloud, is not the man who understands. It is the last five minutes of the game that counts."

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Induction Service Today

Rev. Thomas Wilson is to be inducted as pastor of his new charge, St. John's, Medicine Hat, today. Mrs. Wilson and the children leave London to join Mr. Wilson next Monday. There are three Presbyterian Churches at Medicine Hat, St. John's being the first.

Wounded In Hips

Mayor Johnston had a letter this week from his nephew, Pte. Stan Johnston, written from an English Hospital. Stan states that his wound was not in the arm as reported in the casualties but that both hips were pierced and he has not been able to move yet, although doing very nicely.

Home From West

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Stephan and little daughter Mary, and Miss McCormick arrived home last Thursday from an extended visit to the West. Mr. Stephan looks fine after the first real holiday he has taken for several years. A good part of the time he spent in the saddle on the ranch of his brother-in-law, Mr. McCormick, near Castor, Alta., with an occasional turn at duck-shooting, enjoying every minute of it. He visited Calgary and Winnipeg en route.

George Weiler Wounded

Mr. Martin Weiler had a telegram from Ottawa on Saturday reporting that his son, Pte. George Weiler, had been admitted to the 15th. General Hospital at Camieres, France, with a gunshot wound in his wrist. George is one of the one hundred boys from Bruce who were transferred to the First Can. Battalion in France on the breaking up of the 160th. His cousin, Alf., a son of Mr. Frank Weiler, has been fighting side by side with him in the same Battalion in the Big Push. Before the War George, who is now 22 years old, was employed at Knechtel's Factory.

Flat To Rent

Flat To rent. All conveniences. Apply to C. Patrick.

Hand Satchel Lost

In Walkerton, containing glasses key etc. Reward at this office.

Maid Wanted

Good experienced maid to go to Galt. Wages $25. a month. Apply at Telescope.

To Train For Nurse

Miss Marjorie Weir, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Weir of Brant, leaves shortly to take a nurses training course in a Guelph Hospital.

Sells His Practise

Dr. Wilson of Mildmay, who is just recovering from a serious illness, has sold out to Dr. Wellman who comes from Hastings Co. near Bellville. Dr. Wilson, it is understood, will go South for his health.

Home From Hospital

Clarence Oberle who has been confined to the County Hospital for several weeks with typhoid fever, was sufficiently recovered on Monday to be removed to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Oberle.

Mildmay Cider Mill

We wish to inform our customers that we are ready to make Cider and Apple Butter after the 11th of October, every Tues. Wed. Thurs. and Friday until the 15th of Nov. After that date we close down.—Herrgott Bros. Mildmay.

Cider And Apple Butter

F. Schuler, of Dunkeld, will make cider from now on, Mondays and days, cider only; on Wed., Thurs., Fri., and Sat., apple butter only. He is doing this owing to shortage of help. Parties should bring their own feed

County Dentists Meet

The Bruce County Dental Association held their annual meeting at the Hartley House on Monday of last week and discussed problems of interest to the profession. Dr. Halladay of Walkerton was re-elected president and Dr. Grant of Walkerton Secretary of the Association.

They Get Extension

In twenty-eight cases of appeal recently heard by Judge Greig, all but one were granted extension of leave. We understand that no further exemptions are being granted under the Military Service Act. Six more appeals will be heard by the Judge on Friday.

Roy Henderson Wounded

Pte. Roy Henderson, son of Mayor John Henderson received a gunshot wound in the toes on Sept. 30th, and was admitted to the 18th. Gen. Hospital at Dannes-Camieres. This word reached here on Monday by wire from Ottawa. Roy enlisted in the Canadian West early in the War.

Dismissed Without Costs

Judge Klein dismissed the case of McPhail vs Fullerton at County Court last week without costs. This was an action brought by Laurchin McPhail, farmer, of Bruce Tp. to recover from Geo. Fullerton of Paisley half the profits on the feeding of a bunch of cattle. It seems Fullerton fed a bunch of cattle on McPhail's farm and turned over to him only half the profits. McPhail claiming all the profits. D. Robertson K. C. appeared for the plaintiff, Barrister O. E. Klein for the defendant. A counter claim of $71.35 brought by Fullerton against McPhail was also dismissed without costs.

Left For New York

Miss Verna Skelton left on Thursday to resume her studies in connection with the Art Students League at New York. At Toronto she nearly missed seeing her brother, Cadet Crawford Skelton, R. A. F. who had just arrived from Calgary, the latter having contracted the "flu" and gone to the Hospital. Crawford is expected home on a few days' leave as soon as his present sickness is over

Today's The Day

Let every citizen get busy and join in the work of Fire Prevention Day today. Let us make our town as clean and attractive, as safe from fire, and free from disease as any city in the Province. The success of the "Clean-Up" depends upon everyone taking part. Many disastrous fires are caused by the accumulation of rubbish—papers, boxes, etc.—about houses, in attics, cellars and yards. This is a business proposition as well as a matter of civic pride and health. A thorough observance of this "Clean-Up" Day may prevent a conflagration that would wipe out a good part of the town. Such conflagrations are frequently occurring. They are often caused by just such conditions as this "Clean Up" is intended to remove. Let every body get busy and help to remove the possible cause of such a disaster in our home town.

BURNED TO DEATH

Brant Farmer Loses His Life Trying To Rescue Stock From His Blazing Barn

A sad fatality occurred in North Brant on Saturday morning when Mr. Charles Mauer, a well-known and prosperous farmer, living on the 12th. concession eight miles north of Walkerton, lost his life in the accidental destruction of his barn by fire. The origin of the blaze is not definitely known but is thought to have been caused by children playing with matches. Mr. Mauer was working in the stable about ten o'clock when he saw that the big strawstack was ablaze. He got the horses out safely and went back to get seven or eight calves from the constable but the flames intercepted him. The barn caught at both top and bottom from the stack and in a short time was burned to the ground. Mr. Mauer's wife was away at the time attending her daughter, Mrs. Long of Bentinck who was sick, and his son, August, had gone to Elmwood, leaving only Mr. Mauer and two little grandchildren on the farm. The body were recovered from the ruins Sunday morning in an almost unrecognizable condition. Part of one arm and a portion of one leg had been completely burned away. The barn was a big one and was filled to the eaves with a big crop off 217 acres. The contents included 160 loads of hay, old and new, 2500 bu. of grain (including 500 bu. wheat.) 7 of 8 young calves and 19 pigs. The loss was partly covered by insurance in the Farmers' Central Fire Insurance Co of Walkerton.

Mr. Mauer who was in his 72nd. year had owned the farm the past eleven years, coming from Bentinck Tp. about a mile east of Hanover. He was an industrious and respected farmer and a member of Elmwood Lutheran Church. Deep sympathy is felt in the community for the family in the particularly distressing nature of their bereavement. Besides his widow, he leaves the following family:—Henry, David and August of the 12th con., Brant; Mrs. Fred A. Wilkin, Con. 4, Brant; Mrs. August Schilling, Con. 2, Brant; Mrs. Stewart Butchart, Con. 12, Brant; Mrs. John Long, Bentinck. The funeral, which was held on Tuesday to Elmwood Cemetery was a very large one, Rev. Mr. Henkel conducting the service.

Signed As Flier

Frank Moore, eldest son of Eng. Moore of the C. P. R. has joined the Royal Air Force.

Didn't Carry Papers

The Dominion Police Officer who was here last week had six well-known young men of the town and country summoned to appear at Police Court for not carrying necessary papers. Magistrate Telfon fined them each $5 and costs, amounting to $14.85. Crown Attorney Dixon afterwards remitted his share of the costs which brought the fines down to $9.55. Those fined were:— B. Rietz, W. H. McNeil, E. McConnell, Alex. McDonald, W. J. Chick, Corn. Zettler.

Pleaded Guilty

Peter Moses, a Saugeen Indian, who was mixed up in the cottage burglarizing at the Sauble last Spring, came up before Judge Klein on Friday charged with receiving stolen goods. He pleaded guilty and was remanded by the Judge for thirty days. Eggs, bread, honey and other eatables are alleged to have found their way into Moses' possession and he admitted having a clock in his possession which came from one of the cottages. Moses's understood to have helped in the stealing by watching while a couple of his pals got away with the goods.

Recommended For Decoration

Letters received this week from Walkerton boys at the Front say that Capt. Bob Rowland, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Rowland, has been recommended for the Distinguished Service Order for gallant work during the Canadians' brilliant Offensive. Bob first went to France from Queen's University early in the war to reinforce the Princess Pats. He came home in January, 1916, to take a commission with the Bruce Batt'n. On the breaking up of the 160th, he joined the 44th in France, with which Battalion he has been through the heavy fighting of the past summer on the West Front. On top of the news of Bob's gallantry came a wire Monday stating that he had been wounded. His only brother, John, recently left England, where he has been the past year or more, for the Front.

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FIGHTING "MACS" OF BRUCE

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No one of all that company
But bore a gentle name.
Not one whose fathers had not stood
In Scotland's field of fame.

France, September, 1918.

During the last big "push" on the Canadian front, big "Mac" MacKinnon, of Kincardine, was doing traffic control duty on a busy crossroad close up to the fighting line, when a German aeroplane dropped a bomb right into a motor lorry loaded with six-inch shells and made a mess of the right-of-way. All four roads were crowded with M. T. and horsed transport, and some of the trucks carried ammunition for next morning's barrage, which was to help the battalions "over the top" Not a vehicle could pass the smashed truck, and, indeed, the drivers did not care to risk their convoys without an order, for every little while a six-inch shell was exploded in the blazing lorry, while on the top of it all the fritz plane was machine-gunning the area lit up by the flare.

It looked like a costly all-night tie-up but MacKinnon sailed into the tangle and started to roll the shells off the load BY HAND. At irregular intervals they would explode, but none of them happened to kill him, so he kept on; took a chance at the machine gun bullets as well, and in less than two hours had the throughfare clear. An Imperial artillery officer who witnessed the action was so struck with the Canadian's initiative and disregard of danger that he reported the occurrence to Mac's commanding officer, who promptly recommended him for a decoration.

That's only one incident in the story of the MacKinnons and McDonalds, Farquharsons and Finlaysons and others of the breed who came to the 1st. Battalion from Bruce County. One of the heart-breaking features of the great war, as it concerns Canada, has been the necessary disbanding in England of fine overseas units such as the 160th, Bruce and 161st Hurons. Even the fine individual record of these men in the battalions to which they were drafted in France makes one wish they could have been permitted to see service under their own colors. In raising the 160th. Battalion from a county as lightly populated as Bruce, Lieut.-Col. Weir and his officers accomplished what many people considered an impossibility, and yet the quantity of the rank and file was as well maintained that the drafts in France have added to the reputation of their original unit no less than the battalion of their affiliation.

Men From Bruce

March 5 last an even hundred men from the Bruce battalion reached the 1st. and were evenly divided among the companies. Their three acting sergeants, Richenback, Ruhl and Matheson, and five acting corporals, Field, D. J. MacDonald, J. Kitchen, W. A. McKenzie and N. McDonald, were taken on as privates. There was no Bruce officer in the battalion. The hundred were now orphans. Starting at scratch, or even a wee bit handicapped, the newcomers plodded on from obscurity to recognition. Reporting without a single man absent on the march, and none in detention, they have kept up that record of good character, and I do not recall an instance of a "d51" or "652" man figuring in an orderly room case. Few have gone out sick, and only one has been sent to rest camp.

D. J. MacDonald (Ripley) and U. Zettel (Walkerton) were promoted lance-corporals in the field in June. During this present month, D. N. McCallum, A. Field, W. V. Eldridge H. Hepenstall, N. E. Kaufman, W. E. Fraser, G. A. Lister and J. W. Hudson have been made lance-corporals. A. J. Weiler is employed in the battalion orderly room.

Since the original draft a number of others from the Bruce battalion have reached the 1st. H. G. Hudson A. S. Gillean and H.Whitman arrived on April 2. P. Williams and H. A. Williams came in May, and others since.

The first casualty occurred on March 22, the same month as the draft arrived. Pte. H. W. Farquharson, of Teeswater, and Pte. E. Hoyle were wounded during a tour in the line, and Farquharson died next day at the casualty clearing station. He was buried by our padre in British military cemetery behind the lines.

Pte. V. Fortier, who arrived on April 7, went out wounded on the 15th.; and F. Black and G. H. Craig on to 20th., and W. H. Buskley on the 17th. L. Currier, W. H. Caldwell, H. Sproule, G. Swatman, J. R. Scott, J. D. Baker and A. C. Campbell were also wounded during the trench fighting of April, and J. Agnew was killed in action.

The battalion furnished 30 picked men for a guard of honor for H.R.H. the Duke of Connaught at corps' sports on Dominion Day. Nine of these were chosen from the Bruce draft, as being of good appearance and soldierly bearing.

Could Play Ball

During the summer someone discovered the A. D. Matheson could play baseball, and he was made a member of the battalion team, which won 2 straight games from all sorts of units in the division.

Then came the big August "push" on the allied front, with the Canadian corps, as one English paper said, the "spearhead" of Marshal Foch's thrust. The spearhead went in deep and came out bloody. The Bruce men went through the fighting with the battalion and suffered their share of losses.

R. McIver and R. J. Willis were the first to go out wounded in this campaign. Next day F. H. Robinson, J. A. Richenback, W. A. McDougall, A. V. Nickel, G. V. Marshall and J. Sinclair were evacuated. During later operations the 160th. contingent had four killed and 17 wounded. A. W. Groves, Lance Corp. Zettel, J. Wood, (Chesley) and W. J. White (Paisley) gave their lives during this attack, in which the Canadians gained immensely important positions, captured a great number of German machine guns and much equipment and took many prisoners. White was in the section which penetrated farther into enemy territory than any other part of the brigade line.

The wounded were: D. J. McDonald, S. P. Sinden (only recently jointed) A. E. Stewart (stretcher-bearer), G. D. McArthur, Wm. George, R. J. Gray, W. Henson, E. R. Jackson, D. D. Jones, D. Gillick, T. C. Bugler, W. H. McCurdy, J. D. Becker, N. T. Walker, P. Wood and H. E. Woolwich. Pte. George was at first reported missing, but turned up in a hospital at the base.

In another fierce action a few days later, in which the Hun was again forced to shift his front line, W. A. Bluhm, F. H. Eyre, R. A. Renshaw and G. A. Twomley went out wounded. A. Campbell was killed.

Honorable Scars

Some of the boys will have more than "honorable scars" to remind them of the big "show." As the folks at home have heard by this time, the Military Medal was awarded, after the earlier August fighting to M. N. McDonald (Paisley), J. C. Campbell (Chesley), Lance Corporal D. J. McDonald (Ripley) and Lance-Corp. G. R. McDonald (Wiarton). Not so bad for the Macs and Campbells! But that is not all. Since the last battle, before this was written, more Bruce men have been recommended by Lieut.-Col. Sparling, D.S.O., for suitable awards. Their names are not yet public property but I am permitted to give an idea of how they conducted themselves in such a way as to be reported on their company commander.

One crawled out and dressed wounded men under heavy fire and brought them into place of safety.

A Lewis gunner when the remainder of his section became casualities carried the gun forward single handed, took up a position where he could enfilade the enemy and himself forced them to retire.

Another Lewis gunner took his gun forward and did great execution among the enemy.

Still another went out in No Man's Land with a patrol and got touch with the enemy, bringing back valuable information.

All these deeds in one day.

Just the kind of men that would be chosen for "battle stop" or traffic control duty. And that's how F. McDougall and "Mac" MacKinnon came to be attached to the division-al staff. And that brings us around to big "Mac" where he started.

Keep your eyes on the men from Bruce. They won't remain privates or even corporals, and the sprinkling of medal ribbons will grow, even before this is read. The good Scotch-Canadian blood spilt on French soil has already been avenged, but the Hun will have to pay the account over and over again.

In the meantime, I'm speculating on the havoc these wounded will be creating among the nurses in hospitals down the line in Blighty. Good-looking, husky lads, those from Bruce.

W. E. E.

A Popular Play.

Mrs. Mickle is to be congratulated on the success attending the production of her war drama, "The Thronging of Democracy" given to a large and appreciative audience in the Town Hall on Wednesday evening of last week. The play is an historical synopsis of of the present great war from its inception and through the dark days of German success until the tide turns and the German forces are turned back. History and literature are more impressively taught by the drama than other ways and the amount of reading and arrangement necessary for this resume of the war entailed a great amount of work on the authoress.—The Chesley Enterprise.

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With Acknowledgments to Luke Fildes, R.A.

TO every home there comes a time when every thought, every hope, every prayer for the future centres on the recovery of one loved one. In that hour of anguish, every means to recovery is sought—the highest medical skill, trained nurses, costly treatment. Does the price matter?

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But does anyone ask, "*Can* we do it?" Money or no money, they *do* it. And somehow they pay.

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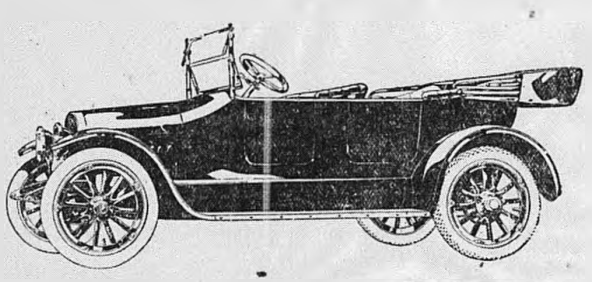
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NEWS ABOUT TOWN

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Mr. John Keppler's frame house, on Victoria St. is being bricked over this week by Mr. Philip Becker.

Lieut. N. W. Halwig of Hanover, whose father was at one time foreman of the Knechtel Factory here, has been reported missing.

The Streets Committee has been busy gravelling Victoria and Colborne Sts. the past week, after having scraped the sides of the road way. This is the first real work that has ben done on these streets in several years.

At the London market a man named Freel got peeved at a purchaser for being so small as to say anything about a three-fourths of a pound shortage on a five pound chicken. He was peeved again when Magistrate Graydon rightly assessed him $5 and costs.

Lucknow Pupil Wins

The uncertainty of who had won the Halliday medal given each year to the Entrance pupil taking the highest mark in Bruce County, has been settled in favor of Bessie Murdie of the Lucknow class. The nearest competitor was Marion McAsh of Tara. This is the fifth time that a Lucknow student has won the Halliday medal—a very creditable showing for the school.

Doing Men's Work

In Port Rowan women are doing men's work with the nets, women are working on the farms in the surrounding country. They are in our banks and our stores and everywhere. Last week the foreman of the Long Point drillers crossed over to the United States to look for men, and found women climbing the telephone poles as linemen, women were busy on the railways taking the place of section men, they were everywhere except in blacksmith shops where horses are shod. Nature has so qualified women that they can do any work. When the war is over they will compete with men and drive them from many fields in which they have entrenched for centuries. The professions have been open to them for many years but they have not made progress in them. But when they become masters of the plough, the spade and the crowbar, they will conquer. Then they will win back the privilege which they lost in civilization, the exalted right of providing for their masters.—Port Rowan News.

HELP FIGHT YOUR COUNTRY'S BATTLES

Are you saving money for Victory? That's the question that has to be answered one way or the other. Are you doing anything at all to help fight your country's battles?

Surely it is time to wake up. What counts is the decision to do things. If you start a saving fund of your own, that settles it, you are on the patriotic side. Your efforts count. If not, you might as well be a spendthrift enemy!

Now is the time to act. Either you are a patriot doing your bit by saving your funds, or you are an enemy, disregarding the call of your country and your boys, whose lives are going out at a tremendous rate in Flanders just now.

It is not too late to begin. Save for Victory.

"DONTS" TO HELP REDUCE FIRE LOSS

Fire Chief McCartney offers the following list of don'ts for the citizens to observe in order to help along the work of the Fire Protection League and make the Fire Prevention Day (to-day) a real and valuable institution:

In case of fire, call the fire department. In the meantime use the appliances you have for extinguishing fires. The "Don'ts":

Don't allow trash, rubbish, etc., to accumulate under stairways, in the basement, attic or yard.

Don't under any circumstances leave the current on your electric iron when not in use.

Keep all dust clothes and oily rags in an iron receptacle fitted with a tight cover.

Don't keep gasoline, benzine, etc., or any inflammable liquid in an open receptacle.

Don't allow obstructions of any kind in the corridors or around exits to fire escapes.

Don't neglect to inspect the fire extinguishers, hose or stand pipes, etc., keeping same easily accessible and ready for use at all times.

Don't allow smoking in any part of the building.

Don't hang the electric light cords over nails, hooks, gas pipes, etc.

Don't neglect to have chemicals of an explosive nature kept in proper receptacles and carefully guarded.

Always remember that "preparedness" is the keystone of efficient fire prevention and fire protection.

Save to buy Victory Bonds.

Thanksgiving Day next Monday.

Mr. John Korman has had a new Brantford metal roof put on the Hartley House.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Spence, were up from Toronto and spent over the week end with Mr. Spence's mother and sister at The Maples.—Southampton Beacon.

Removing To Brantford

After sixteen years' residence at Cargill, Mrs. James Powers is leaving shortly to make her home at Brantford where two married sisters reside. The best wishes of her many friends go with her to her new home.

George Cooke Wounded

Mrs. George Gould had word this week that her grandson, George Cooke of Toronto, had been wounded in the neck and wrist with gunshot on October 3rd. George went Overseas about two years ago and was with the Canadian Artillery in France. His father has cabled for further particulars. His only brother, Verner, is also in a Military Hospital in France, recovering from a gunshot wound in the hip. His sister, Nursing Sister, Nan Cooke, is on the staff of a British Hospital at Salonika.

Down In Lower Province

Major Henderson, who arrived home last week from a trip taken in company with his friend, Frank Smith, to his old home in Huntington, Que. says that section of country has profited greatly from the dairying industry. Although the land is not to be compared to Bruce in fertility, the farmers have been reaping fortunes from selling cream to evaporating plants. There have, of course, been numerous changes since the Major left that neighborhood but a few of the lads that he used to go to school with are still there and many an hour was spent in recalling old times. The Major's oldest brother, who lives at Rockburn, is still active at eighty-two years.

Moving To Aurora

Mr. P. J. Scanlan, C. P. R. Conductor, left this week for Aurora to take over the run from Aurora to Cataract. Mrs. Scanlan and family will follow as soon as a house can be secured. While the new run is a more desirable one, it means something of a tug for P. J. to pull away again from the old home town to which he came back and settled down a year or so ago. Mr. Scanlan was born on the fine old homestead on the South Line West now owned by his brother, John, and all his old youthful associations are centred around Brant and Walkerton. The removal of Mr. and Mrs. Scanlan and family will be much regretted by their very many friends here. Their elder son Ambrose, who is home from Chicago at present, is leaving shortly to join the American Forces.

BARBER—ISM

In Walkerton a hair-cut under the new prices costs only a quarter. In some towns where the price has advanced to 35 and 50 cents there has been some kicking; and a writer in a Hartford Conn., paper is prompted to make a suggestion that barbers' charges should be based on time consumed instead of a flat rate for each job.

The suggestion is sensible; and the closer one examines it, the more sensible it appears. As things are at present, a hair-cut is a hair-cut. It does not matter whether the subject—patient—victim—or whatever else you might call him—anybody, the fellow getting the hair-cut has a nap like a modern Absalom or a Buffalo Bill, or only a sparse fringe around his ears and the neck. It's a hair-cut whether it takes five minutes or twenty-five; and the charge is the same. True, the man with te the fringe may feel flattered at being charged as much as the chap with the hyacinthine locks; but it does not look right to the casual observer that the barber should get no more for the one than the other.

Same with shaves. One chap wants to be gone all over—chin, cheeks, and upper lip—while another may wear side-burns and a moustache. Or A. may have a beard like a wire, guaranteed to put any razor out of commission, while B's may be soft. Yet A. and B. pay the same.

It isn't fair, now is it? Why couldn't it be worked on a time basis—let the customer buy so much time, and have the say as to how it should be used.

We have not consulted the barbers. They may figure that every shave or hair-cut works out about the same, that it takes about as much time and trouble to find something to work on on the bald head or the downy chin as to loop off the Buffalo Bill mop or the wire beard. But even if that be the case they are entitled to something for the extra wear and tear on tools. It's worth considering, anyhow.

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High School Notes

(Written for the Telescope)

Under the energetic supervision of Mr. Robb an athletic association was formed by the boys of the school. A couple of baseballs were purchased with funds subscribed by the members and, later, a good football was bought also. The boys have a game each night and up to the present, the third and fourth forms have proved superior to anything the other two forms can produce.

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The Cadet Corps has been thoroughly reorganized by the instructor, Mr. Robb. The boys have been in training since the term commenced, and are gradually getting into form. The names of the officers, who will be appointed in the near future, will be announced later.

The girls amuse themselves with baseball, basketball and tennis. In basketball, four teams have been organized; reds, blues, greens and yellows. The reds, who play against the blues, have for this last week been winning with almost clock-like regularity. As for the other pair, the yellows seem to annex most points. The first form girls find diversion in baseball, and they are usually in evidence on the Armoury grounds.

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The High School Patriotic Society has elected its officers for the coming year: Aileen McCool as secretary and William Ramsey as treasurer. Under the capable direction of the president, the society has raised over three hundred and fifty dollars by collections of papers and holding fonds such as the Red Cross, Navy, and Belgian Relief. Teh students will soon begin the collections of papers again; and they hope the citizens of the town and surrounding districts will help them, as they have done in the past.

Honors For Walkerton Doctor

Dr. Malcolm Stalker has been notified by the Board of Regents of the American College of Surgeons that the highest academic distinction in America,— Fellowship in the American College—is to be conferred on him. Dr. Stalker will be entitled to use the letters F. A. C. S. which is the American equivalent to F. C. S. in Great Britain. Convocation for the conferring of degrees will be held at New York on October 25th.

TWO MILLION DOLLARS

(Continued from page 1.)

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Local Publicity Committees and District Canvassers will be announced in the next issue of this paper.

The minimum objective of subscriptions to be raised for the County of Bruce is Two Million dollars.

The minimum objective for each municipality, or for each district if grouped, will be announced in the next issue of this paper. It must be remembered this is only the minimum objective, and in the majority of districts it is expected that the maximum objective will greatly exceed this amount.

The Publicity Committee in each town and village will shortly receive supplies of Literature, Posters, Window Cards, Auto stickers, Parcel stuffers, and other matter to interest the public and to draw their attention to the necessity of investing their money in Victory Bonds.

It is the intention of the County Hedqs. Publicity Com. to place all the information it can in the hands of the reading public. Local Publicity Committees are found in every Town and village not only for the purpose of co-operating with the Headquarters Publicity Committee, but more for the circulation of information in the different canvassing districts. Any one desiring information about investment in Victory Bonds would do well to either consult the Local Publicity Committee or the Canvassers duly appointed for the District. County Headquarters at Walkerton is always available for any information in any way connected with the Victory Loan.

Please do not hesitate to communicate with us, directly or indirectly, and we shall reply promptly.

David Robertson, Geo. D. McKay,
County Chairmen. County Sec.

BRUCE PREP. LEAGUE

Mr. Frank Rennie Objects To Major Moffat Cashing in on Expense Accounts Which Never Reach Executive

President W. D. Cargill of the Bruce Preparedness League was prevailed upon to withdraw his resignation at the joint meeting of the executive and Land Scheme committee held here last week.

The President mentioned in the course of the afternoon several expense accounts from Major Moffat which he had paid out of the $1500 Bruce Batt'n money which the Major had turned over to him after his return to England. One account was$40 for Mrs. Moffat, for services in England. Mr.Frank Rennie raised objection of this-way of doing business but no other comment was made.

The formal minutes of the meeting as supplied us by the Secretary, Mr. McNab, are as follows:—

Minutes of joint meeting held at the Town Hall, October 1st, 1918. Members present, Messrs. W. D. Cargill, C. J. Mickle, B. M. Jermyn, Frank Rennie, John Rowland, Gilbert Chaltle, Wm. McDonald, W. D. Bell, A. E. McNab and Major Moffat.

The Secretary read resignation of President Mr. Cargill. After discussion Mr. Cargill was prevailed upon to reconsider his resignation and withdraw same which he eventually did.

The President then occupied the chair. The minutes of the meeting of August 19th., 1918, were read, confirmed and signed by chairman. The report of the soldiers delegation was read. President called upon Major Moffat for report of subsequent events. Major Moffat outlined the steps that had been taken to date.

Moved by Mr. McNab, seconded by W. D. Bell—That Messrs. Mickle and Jermyn be a committee to act with Major Moffat and a committee of two soldiers to formulate the principles on which the scheme is to be carried out. —Carried.

Major Moffat further reported the League with regard to the carrying out of the farming scheme.

Moved by Mr. Mickle, seconded by Mr. Wm. McDonald. —That the Chairman of League write the Minister that the Committee of League has had this matter under consideration and have decided to proceed with the scheme.

Moved by Mr. Jermyn, seconded by John Rowland—That Mr. Mickle proceed to have League incorporated as a Company without share capital. Meeting adjourned.

George Wanless, formerly of Walkerton, was reported wounded recently.

Promoted To Corporal

Pte Will O'Malley who is in the U. S. Army and at present guarding the Quarter Master's supply Depot at Philadelphia has been promoted to Corporal.

Removed To Wallaceburg

Mr. P. G. Beninger, of Ayton, father of Messrs. Geo. and Fred Beninger, has removed to Wallaceburg, where he took possession of the Empire Hotel, on Tuesday of last week.

Costly Fire At Stove

Miss Mary Cronin, a dining room girl at the Queen's Hotel, was rather badly burned about the body when her clothes caught fire at the kitchen range on Monday. She was taken to the Hospital where she is doing nicely and will be alright again in a week or so.

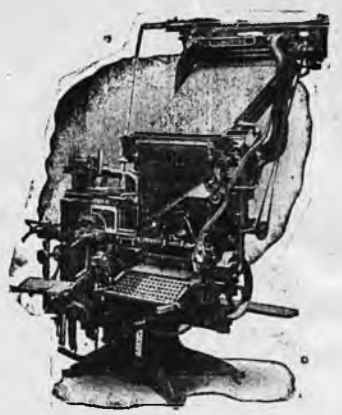
Brilliant Young Officer

We notice by Friday's Mail & Empire that a young Toronto officer Lt.-Col. J. Bartlett Rogers, who is a nephew of Mr. C. H. Rogers of Walkerton, has received further promotion. Col. Rogers who is only in his thirtieth year has had a brilliant career in France. He left Canada with the 1st. Contingent in 1914 as a sub-lieutenant. He has been in most of the famous fights including Festubert, Ypres, Givenchy and many others. Recently he was promoted in the Field to the command of the 3rd. Battalion.

Jim Stalker Home

Dr. Stalker's youngest son, Malcolm E. J. Stalker, arrived home from France on the late train Tuesday night, after having spent the last six months in a Military hospital "Jim" enlisted with the 4th. Div. Cyclists in Feb. 1916, after completing his B.A. course at Toronto University. He was with the Reserve Cyclist Corps in England for a considerable time and after they were broken up last year he went to France with an infantry unit. In March last he was injured in France and underwent an operation for a removal of a portion of a rib. Ever since he has been in the hospital and his recovery has been slow. His many friends here trust that with rest and quiet he will at no distant date recover his wonted good health. Jim will report at Toronto in two weeks, but will in all probability be let at home to recuperate.

The Telescope's New Linotype



Latest Model Typesetting Machine is a Magic Worker

A machine that is "almost human" is the latest 1918 model Linotype typesetting machine that has been installed by the Telescope. This machine which does away with ordinary type, casts a solid line of type, being operated from a keyboard like a typewriter. Directly in response to the operator's touch on the keyboard, small molds are assembled and a solid line of type cast from metal kept hot in an electric melting pot. After the paper has been printed, the metal, instead of being distributed letter by letter into the case by hand, is tossed back into the pot and melted over and over again from week to week thus making a big saving in time. It is indeed a marvellous piece of mechanism, as anyone who has seen it will agree. It will enable the Telescope to take much better care of jobwork. Rush work can be handled with greater facility and the great capabilities of the machine will make it possible to carry more newsmatter. Prior to the advent of the linotype, a machine to set type was the dream of inventors from the time when the printing business first began to assume a position of importance among the trades.

Most of the mechanical contrivances invented along these lines turned out to be utter failures, while the operation of such machines as were perfected to a point where they would actually set type, was found to be entirely too expensive. The Mergenthaler Linotype was the first commercially successful composing machine, and is to-day the standard everywhere.

This latest Model Linotype which costs upwards of $2500 installed, is the fastest and most effective typesetting machine on the market, no operator having reached the limit of its capacity though setting as high as twenty-five columns a day.

Besides having an immense capacity, it also does better work than hand set matter, each edition of the paper from week to week being printed from new clean-cut type.

NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Stove-pipes, elbows and odorless stovepipe varnish at Sandy McCarter's.

At the school teachers convention that is being held here this week, There will be an exhibit of vegetables by the Walkerton Public School children in the I.O.O.F. rooms on Thursday at 4.30 and again in the evening before and after the concert. Will the parents and friends of the children remember this.

Lieut. Rowand Wounded.

Lieut. Rowand well-known in Walkerton has been slightly wounded in the arm.

$45 To Sailors Fund

Walkerton Womens Inst have donated $45 to the Merchants Marine Fund. This was the proceeds of the booth on Rural School Fair Day.

Buys A Tractor

Mr. George Hossfeld of Brant has bought a Happy Farmer tractor from the district agent, Mr. J. Brillinger and is busy on his fall ploughing with the new machine. He intends using it for silo-filling and threshing.

Machinists Wanted

An opportunity exists for one or more competent machinists to secure permanent employment in a Southern Ontario City with a long established Plant manufacturing a standard line. Living and Educational conditions are ideal for a family man. This is an unusual opportunity well worth following up. Address in first instance—E. Sterling Dean Advertising Agency, 8 Wellington St. E., Toronto.

BORN

SEEGMILLER— At Mildmay, on Sept. 28th. to Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Seegmiller, a son.

SCHWEITZER—In Carrick, on October 6th., to Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Schweitzer, a daughter.

Burrell—In Brant, on Monday, October 7th, to Mr. and Mrs. James Burrell, a daughter.

FOR SALE

A two-storey brick cottage in West Ward, hard and soft water, good cellar, cement stable, large poultry house and fruit trees with 1½ acre lot. Two acre lot on west hill partly seeded, three-quarter acre lot good orchard, also one and one-half acres partly seeded, with small barn. All good clay loam. Will sell all together or separately. For further particulars apply Box A. Telescope.

Thanksgiving Service with special music will be held at Knox Church on Sunday.

Mrs. Andrew (Susie) Bauman of Kitchener is spending the week in town.

Get your forks, hay, manure, ensilage and all kinds at Sandy McCarter's.

Mr. and Mrs. Garf Rourke and babe of Southampton, spent the week-end with friends here.

Neil Thompson has removed his shoe repairing shop to the premises formerly occupied by the Tea Room girls.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wilcox and babe of Owen Sound and Mrs. Patterson of Durham motored here last Thursday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ryan.

The Ubiquitous "Flu"

Mr. John Cunningham of Greenock, who returned on Tuesday from a business trip to Eastern Ontario, going as far as Picton, states that every town he visited has a "flu" epidemic. At Hamilton 500 cases were reported. The farmers in the lakeshore counties east of Toronto have a good crop of tomatoes, peas etc. and have been getting good prices from the Canners.

Walkerton Mills
Pletsch Bros., Proprietors

Red Cross Flour
A good blended Flour for general use.

Peerless Flour
A money saver, useless lard and other shortening. Use no other for your pie crust.

Prairie Pride
A standard brand for bread makers.

To be had at all up-to-date grocers and at the mill.

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"FLU" AT MILDMAY

Scores of Cases In Neighbouring Village — Schools and Churches Closed

The Spanish "flu" epidemic has got as far as Mildmay on its march up this way and various cases are reported through the country sections. There is quite a lot of grippe in Walkerton just now but the doctors have not yet identified it as the Spanish variety.

The outstanding characteristics of the Spanish "flu" seem to be it usually starts with a head-ache which runs down the back and has some effect on the nervous system, and has a predisposition towards pneumonia. But it really differs very little from ordinary grippe.

At Mildmay there are scores of cases and many citizens notably, Jake Lobsinger and Wm. F. Wendt have been very sick with it. On Tuesday a fourteen old lad, Louis Privat, died and last week a Mildmay young lady died of the disease at Hamilton, having been brought home for burial. The schools and churches are closed. And the County Sunday School convention which was to have been held to-day at Mildmay has been postponed.

A number of cases are also reported at Formosa and other points through the country.

Glanis Boy Wounded

Acting-Corp. John Kitchen of Glanis, was admitted to the 22nd. Casualty clearing Station on Sept. 22nd. with gunshot wound in the eye. He enlisted with the 160th.

Have You Any Old Rubbers.

Don't forget that the High School pupils are recommending their collections on Oct. 19, 1918 and will be very grateful if the people of the country and town will let them have all their old newspapers, magazines, rubbers etc.

NOW REPORTED



BUGLER COURTNEY R[illegible]

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Will[illegible] lur, Walkerton, who [illegible] reported missing since now reported Killed [illegible] that date.

"A model young [illegible] wouldn't find a finer, better-living lad anywhere[illegible] was the comment made to [illegible] scoops yesterday by a citize[illegible] had known Courtney from [illegible] fancy. His death on the [illegible] battle is a sad blow, particu[illegible] his mother, who has just [illegible] sick bed. Courtney worked [illegible] Knechtel Factory before he [illegible] with the 160th. Bugle Band [illegible] Spring of 1916. He was the [illegible]ly seventeen, and was [illegible] thought of by his employees [illegible] was one of three members [illegible] A. S. Royce's class at the [illegible] Sunday School who enlisted [illegible] same time, the other two [illegible] Walter Eldt and Archie [illegible]

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BUFFET of attractive design with large bev[illegible] el plate mirror, 3 drawers and doors, splendid [illegible] value $24.00

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CHAIRS set of 6 chairs, one arm chair o[illegible] pleasing design and solidly made. Price per set of 6 chairs $9.50

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Millinery Call and see our beautiful [illegible] hats. The nicest collection [illegible] hats we ever had.

Children's Vests Comfortable winter [illegible] weight, long sleeve[illegible] special value ..... 20[illegible]

Overseas Boxes 10c Use adhesive tape fo[illegible] fastening boxes.

BREMNER'S FAIR[illegible]

VE NEWS OF NEIGHBORING VILLAGES AND COUNTRYSIDE

Happenings of the Week Collected for the Readers of The Telescope by a Staff of Wideawake Correspondents

TTER CREEK

ing is the order of the day.
d Mrs. Fulkerson of South-
were visiting friends here.
Rev. E. D. Becker, pastor of the
Mission Evangelical Church, was
visiting Mrs. P. Gress and family on
Wednesday last.
Mr. Walter Hickling of the 15th.
con., Carrick had a great crop of
peas, some vines being nine ft. 5 in.
ong.
Mrs. John Fenner was taken
antly by surprise one morning
n he came across a great puff
62 by 49 in. around, looking
a large pumpkin. It certainly
a strange phenomenon.
Miss Annetta Gress has recovered
m an attack of Spanish Influenza.
sister, Edna, is now down with

GLAMIS

The Good War News on Sunday was
artily received here. We are hop-
g for even better news soon.
Miss Retta McKinnon arrived home
om Kitchener on Monday. The
chools there being closed on account
of the Spanish Influenza.
Mrs. Kitchen received a message on
Saturday that her husband, Cpl. John
Kitchen had received gun shot wound
in eye. We all hope he is not serious.
Joseph Wrightson is in London this
week on business
Rev. James McEwen, of Toronto
will preach in the Baptist Church on
Sunday.
W. J. Graham returned home from
Lindsay a few days ago.
Rev. and Mrs. E. A. De Mille of
Hamilton spent a few days among
friends here.
Mr. W. J. McKeeman is spending
this week in London.
Winnie McLennan of Detroit,
ending her vacation under
roof.
s. McNally of Sarnia is vis-
e home of her daughter Mrs.
Graham.
ly Services were conducted
Methodist Church over the
by one of the former pastors
De Mille now of Hamilton.
et Gilchrist is visiting at the
r sister, Mrs. Fleming of

CHEPSTOW

and Mrs. Gilmour and two little
Wingham spent Sunday with
Mrs. John Fleming.
ist. Kloepfer has bought the
lot formerly occupied by
Hunziger.
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Meyer and fam-
ily motored from Hanover on Saturday,
visited the latter's parents Mr. and
Mrs. Con. Mullin.
Mr. Jos. Olbeiser has resigned his
position as janitor of the church. Mr.
Patrick Kelly of London is his success-
or.
Miss Melinda Coumans left last week
to attend St. Joseph's College in Guelph.
Mrs. John Wingefelder of Walker-
ton is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Alex.
McNab.
Mr. Will Graf returned home on Fri-
day owing to St. Jerome's College
Kitchener being closed on account of
Spanish Influenza.
The Forty Hour's Devotion was con-
ducted in the R. C Church here the
ing of the week. The priests
neighboring parishes assisted.
Mrs. James Connors of
ored here on Sunday
day with Mr. and Mrs.

PLE HILL

Report September
—P. Sickel, Pass—A.
Pass—M. Pinkney, Jr.
ours—A. Schilling, Pass—
D. Walker, G. Pinkney, G. Leach.
A. Pinkney, Pass—G. Harnock.
Sr. II—Pass—O. Pfohl.
Jr. II—Honours—E. Fisk
Jr. I—Honours—V. Little. D.
Sickel, Pass—E. Pfohl, M. Fisk, M.
Schilling.
Sr. Pr.—Honours—C. Cunning
ham. A. Brackelbank, R. Burrell.
Pass—M. Fisk.

HANOVER

Douglas Bates, formerly an
of the Bell Furniture Co.,
d in action on September
enlisted at Harriston with
battalion. Deceased was
years of age and will be
ed by many friends here
l regret to hear of his death.
Ladies Aid of the Baptist
surprised Mrs. H. Gruetzner
Emma Gruetzner on Wed-
nesday evening of last week
at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D.
Knechtel, when the former was giv-
en a sterling silver manicure set and
the latter a box of stationery. Both
ladies have been very active in the
Ladies Aid. Mrs. Gruetzner having
acted as president for a length of
time. The Ladies Aid desired to
show their appreciation and their
regret at their leaving Hanover.
Mr. and Mrs. John Brodbaecker
and family left yesterday for Kitch-
ener where they will take up resi-
dence. Mr. Brodbaecker has been
employed in the machine depart-
ment of the Knechtel factory for the
past 17 years. He has also acted
as assessor of Hanover for many
years, and has given pretty general
satisfaction.
The Hanover Methodist church
was well filled with sympathetic
friends last Sunday morning says
the Post, who met to show their
last respect to the memory of Major
George H. Musgrove, D. S. O., Pte.
Earl Devlin and Pte. Douglas Bates,
who met death recently on the field
of honor. The pastor of the church,
Rev. J. A. Jackson, made tender
references to the manliness, cour-
age and patriotism displayed by the
boys, and noted the pathetic circum-
stances of Pte. Bates' case, he being
a Bernardo boy, and there was no
"little cottage" where he would be
especially mourned and missed. The
Hanover Methodist church has an
honor roll of 26 names of members
of the church who are serving their
country at the front, seven of whom
have made the great sacrifice. Their
names are Corporal Selkirk Wilson,
Lance Corp. Harvey Tindale, Pte.
Fraser Miller, Lieut. Coleman Ad-
ams, Major George H. Musgrove,
D.S.O., Pte. Earl Devlin and Pte.
Douglas Bates. The choir which
was assisted by Mr. G. S. Schwindt
of Walkerton, and Messrs. M. J. Mu-
ter and J. A. Magee of town render-
ed appropriate music.

EDEN GROVE

Mrs. J. Loupbleen and Mrs. Elder of
Cargill visited at Mr. H. Pearson's on
Friday.
Miss Greta Kerry returned on Mon-
day from a week's visit with friends in
Tara.
Pte. Wilbert Watson and sister, Miss
Olive attended the memorial service
for their cousin, Lance-Corp. Howard
Gransden in Tara on Sunday.
Mrs. Geo. Welsford, Miss F. New-
man, Miss Allan and Mr. Mathers of
Cargill, were Sunday visitors at Mr.
Ben. Stancell's.
Evangelistic services will be contin-
ued each evening in Eden Grove Meth.
Church, commencing at 8 o'clock. Miss
Morton, Evangelist will speak each
evening. These services are growing
in interest and much good is being ac-
complished. On Sunday Oct. 13th serv-
ice at 11 a. m. and 7. 30 p. m.
Misses Myrtle and Lorna Elder of
Cargill were Sunday visitors in the
village.
Mrs. Neil Thompson and family left
on Saturday for Walkerton where they
will reside.
On Oct. 13th a Union Thanksgiving
service will be held in Cargill Meth.
Church at 3 p. m. Special music by
the choir. Miss Morton Evangelist
will give an address on "God's call to
our Nation." On Monday evening at
8 o'clock a Thanksgiving service will
be held in Eden Grove Meth. Church,
when Miss Morton will again speak.
Let us come to these services with the
words of the Psalmist: O, give thanks
unto the Lord, for his mercy endureth
forever.

PINKERTON

Mrs. N. Garland received a telegram
on Saturday stating that her son, Pte.
Gordon Garland had received a wound
in the head on Sept. 28th. and had
been admitted in 18th. General Hospit-
al France. Gordon is one of our own
Bruce Battalion boys and has been in
France since Spring.

CREAM

We have opened a Cream Station on Durham Street, Walkerton, next to the photograph gallery, and will pay highest cash price on delivery for Cream every

THURSDAY

L.S. BENNINGER
Prop. Wingham Creamery

WE WANT THE NEWS

The Telescope wishes to secure a live correspondent in every nook and corner of this district. If your neighborhood is not represented, we shall be glad to receive the names of any capable persons whom you would suggest to act as Telescope correspondent.

The W.M.S. of the Presbyterian Church will hold their annual Thank-offering on Wednesday evening October 16th. Miss McLaren for many years a missionary in the West will address the meeting.

The Y. P. Guild of the Presbyterian church held their social meeting at the home of Mr. W. H. Moffat last Wednesday evening and had a very pleasant and profitable time.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Birrell and children and her friends the Messrs. Grant of Toronto motored up last week and spent a few days at Mr. Thos. Birrell's.

Miss Kathleen Pinkerton went to Allan Craig this week to visit at Mr. sister, Mrs. A. Fiddis.

BRANT AVENUE

Judging by the length of time that this Avenue has been without news in this paper, it almost seemed as if the correspondent had eloped but such isn't the case.

Surely nobody grumbles about it being so dry as they did a little over 2 month ago, as this long continuous wet spell has satisfied that part, while on the other hand it's too wet for certain jobs. Some say more rain means more rest for the hired man.

A few of the young gents who were in town Sat. night without their Registration Papers were haled before the Police Magistrate on Monday morning through one of the Dominion Military Police who is looking after that game.

On Saturday afternoon last Mr Andrew Waechter nearly lost his entire barn, contents, piggery, and over 2 days threshing, as some sparks from a threshing engine in operation started to burn a large hole into one corner of the barn roof and nearly made its way into the straw in the mow when some lively moving men of the crew put out the blaze with their hats and coats etc. This mishap stopped threshing for the day. A close call for the Fire Insurance Co.

CARGILL

Mrs. H. Erecksan (nee Clara Grainger) received a cable on Thursday that her husband Pte. Henry Erecksan had arrived safely in England with his unit.

The Red Cross League packed about forty overseas boxes on Monday night.

The Auction sale advertised by Mr. Rosseau was practically called off owing to the fact that Mrs. Powers the landlady came across with a substantial reduction in the rent of her premisses which Mr. Rosseau accepted. He has therefore decided to stay and will require most of the goods which were offered for sale, himself.

Miss M. Green left last week for Toronto where she will attend University.

Mr. and Mrs. Chambers are away on a visit to Toronto Brantford and other points.

Quite a number from here are attending the Evangelical Services at Eden Grove.

Mr. H. Sparling has invested in a new Ford Car.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Streeter on Friday Oct. 4th. a daughter.

The Annual meeting of the Ladies Patriotic League will be held in the basement of the Anglican Church on Thursday afternoon Oct. 17th. at 3 o'clock to which all ladies are invited.

GREENOCK TP. COUNCIL

Knox's Hotel, Pinkerton, Sept. 23, 1918.

Council met as per adjournment, all the members present, the Reeve in the chair.

Minutes of last meeting were read and adopted.

The following accts. were presented for payment:

L. Caskenette, 28½ yds. gravel		$ 28 45
J. Vance, 9 " "		90
G. Anstett, 35 " "		3 50
T. Thompson, 62 " "		6 20
J. Zettler, 14 " "		1 40
J. Rathwell, 140 " "		14 00
F. Griffith, 2½ " "		25
D. McKenzie, ad. Tenders wanted		2 70
D. Cassidy, cutting timber on S. L. 23		67 50
D. Phelan, trip to Toronto as delegate		5 00
T. Symon, trip to Toronto as delegate		5 00
H. G. Clark, 2 lambs worried by dogs		12 00
W. T. Stewart, inspecting H. G. Clark's lambs		1 40
A. Kunkel, pt. contract on side line 15 con. 9		50 00
L. A. Eedy, 2 ads. tender, wanted		5 70
The Municipal Worlde blank forms for clerk		3 80
Sam Hodgins, drawing 2½ yds. gravel on Con. 10 and S. L.		2 50
Wm. Trotter, drawing 2½ yds. gravel on S. L. 5, 2.50 gravel .25		2 75
A. Hanmore, drawing iron from con. 20 to Cargill 2 trips		6 00
A. E. Knox, room for meeting		1 00

Sawyer—Campbell—That foregoing accts. be paid and that the Reeve and Treas. be instructed to sign checks for same.—Carried.

Symon—Sawyer—That this council deem it necessary to have a wire fence erected on the 15 side road opposite lot 10 con. 2 and this council grant 25cts per rod for 100 rods.—Carried.

Gilchrist—Symon—That this council do now adjourn to meet at Riversdale on Monday Oct. 21st, for general business.—Carried.

THOS. H. PERRY,
Clerk.

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Shelf Hardware

Forks, hay, manure, ensilage, and all kinds, shovells, spades, hoes, nails, brooms, house brooms, pails coal oil cans.

Oils

Harness oil, motor oil, separator oil, machine oil, raw oil, metal polish coal oil, etc.

Blankets

robes, mitts, gloves, rain coats.

Perfection Oil Stoves

Stove pipes, elbows, otterless stovepipe varnish.

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Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed contract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Office of Walkerton, Wiarton, and Chepstow, and at the office of the Post Office Inspector, London.

CHAS. E. [illegible]

Post Office Inspector's Office
London, 13th September.



Doing His Part.

"And so you have been getting married, Sam?"

"Yes, sah, I dun got married."

"And did you go on a honeymoon trip, Sam?"

"What's dat, sah?"

"Why, a trip. Did you travel?"

"Oh, yes, sah, I traveled."

"Where did you go to, Sam?"

"Why, I went to de neighbors' houses an' do washin' what my wife was to do, sah."

A Serious Apprehension.

"I don't suppose the telephone operator at central will ever speak to me again," exclaimed Grenadie Eglem with characteristic gloom.

"What's the trouble?"

"From the way she spoke just now, I'm almost sure I called her in the middle of her knitting and made her drop a stitch."

Turned Up at Times.

Mrs. Flatbush—Where did your neighbor's little girl get her turned-up nose from?

Mrs. Bensonhurst—From her mother.

"Why, her mother hasn't a turned-up nose."

"Hasn't she! I guess you never saw her when she lost at bridge."

Wasted Smokes.

"Don't you think the money you spend for cigars is wasted?" asked the sweet young thing.

"Some of it is, dear," replied the "steady."

"Some of it?"

"That's it. I always find a couple of busted ones in my vest pocket after I've spent an evening with you, dear."

HARD LUCK



"Did I ever bring you back your ladder that you lent me a week ago?"

"No; you certainly did not."

"I'm sorry, for I just stopped in to borrow it again."

When Mary's Lamb Grew Up.

Mary had a little lamb—
But how that lamb has grown!
Now Mary'd rather walk a mile
Than face that lamb alone.

Obeying Orders.

"See, here, daughter, didn't I tell you that young man of yours must keep early hours when he calls?"

"He does, pa. He never leaves later than 1 a. m. Could he keep any earlier hours?"

Better Without.

"I asked her to kiss me, without avail."

"You were right to stipulate that. Kissing through a veil spoils half the fun."

In the Library.

"I gave my friend a copy of 'Gems of Thought.'"

"Humph! I'll bet if you look for it on his shelves you'll find they're uncut gems."

The Jewels Now.

"I heard that burglars made a big haul of valuables last night."

"Did they break into a jewelry store?"

"No; into a coal shed."

Good Reason for Laughing.

"What's the matter with that guy? When I told him of the hundreds of people who couldn't get street cars, he chuckled and chuckled."

"Oh, he owns a taxicab line."

Various Stages.

"Do you know what are the degrees of a stingy man's married life?"

"I should say they were matrimony, parsimony, testimony and alimony."

No Knocker.

Blenks—That fellow sure does rub it into his friends.

Blenks—Always knocking, eh?

Blenks—No; he's an osteopath.

Town and District

Teachers' Convention, today and tomorrow.

One of the boys in the trenches who evidently has been greatly troubled by "cooties", says he knows now why the pictures of Napoleon always show him with his hand inside his shirt!

Fun is being poked at The Chicago Tribune for announcing, when Nazareth was taken from the Turks, that the British had captured the birthplace of Christ. A Denver paper did better in the headline, "British Capture Christ's Home Town."

Two small boys who had grown weary of their game, were arguing rather heatedly regarding a new form of amusement. At last one of them was struck with a sudden inspiration, and said to the other: "I know!" Let's see who can make the ugliest face." "Gowan!" replied his chum. "What d' yuh mean by it? Look what a start you've got!"

Blind But Busy

Mrs. Reynolds, a Goderich grandma, who is 82 years of age, and has been blind since the first year of the war, has knitted 756 pairs of socks for soldiers since February 1st, 1915, until August 30th, of this year. She is the mother of Sheriff R. G. Reynolds of Huron county, and is very highly esteemed. Greatly treasured by Mrs. Reynolds is a gracious letter from Her Majesty Queen Mary, thanking her for her patriotic work, accomplished under such trying circumstances.

When Daddy Washes Dishes

In these days when the maid-servant has departed to the munition works or the hospital no right minded man will, says the N. Y. Outlook, object to sharing the household tasks with his wife, at least to the extent of wiping the dishes. If there be any recalcitrants, this passage of the Bible may be read them incidentally it indicates the masculine procedure in the art of dish-wiping according to the Hebrews: "I will wipe Jerusalem as a man wipeth a dish, wiping it, and turning it upside down." (2 Kings xxi. 13.)

Died On Service

Mr. S. Ballachey of Paisley, received the sad news that his son, Dr. Fred A. Ballachey, of Buffalo, had died at Fort Dix military camp in New Jersey. The deceased was over here in June last visiting his father and friends. He had volunteered for service in the army, as soon as the U. S. had declared war, and when he arrived home from this trip to Canada he received his notice to report for duty. Being a dentist by profession he was called upon to serve in that capacity, and he felt a large and lucrative practice in the city of Buffalo.

Reeve Christie's Son

The Port Elgin Times makes the following reference to the soldier son of Reeve Gilbert Christie of Saugeen, who was killed in action: Pte. Christie was teaching at Sundridge when the call of duty came to him, and he came back to his old home in Saugeen and joined with the 160th. in the Spring of 1916. He trained with the battalion until this present Spring when it was disbanded, and the boys went to France with other units. Oliver was a splendid type of young man, and his death is regretted. He was educated in Port Elgin high school and was making good progress in his teaching. He was greatly interested in the young people's work of his church. Even when in the grim task of preparing for war, he never forgot his "little white church in the country," and laid aside his contributions regularly for the carrying on of the work of the Master in Dunblane church. Two letters had been received by his parents here last week, which showed him to be in good spirits and in the best health. Oliver was 22 years of age in July. During his two years' training in England he took an opportunity to attend a soldiers' university during his spare hours. He had decided that if he returned to Canada he would take a university course.

BEST CARTOONS GET $50 BOND

In connection with the coming Victory Loan campaign, the Dominion Press News and Feature Committee announces a cartoon contest. Artists are invited to submit sketches suitable for a two-column engraving, which will be judged on their merits as publicity calculated to assist in the selling of Victory Bonds. The committee offers a $50.00 bond of the new issue for the best cartoon. A number of cartoons will be awarded special mention. The cartoons submitted are to become the property of the committee and a nominal fee will be paid for any that are used in the campaign.

Mr. C. F. Crandall, managing editor of the Montreal Star, and the editor of Victory Loan National Press News and Feature Service will be the judges.

The contest will close on October 15th and awards will be announced a few days later.

THE VALUE OF IRRIGATION



Irrigated Wheat, 1918, Brooks, Alberta.



Alfalfa, Brooks, Alberta, 1918.

THE finest crops in the country are to be seen on the irrigated land in Southern Alberta. This is a remark invariably made by those who have travelled through Western Canada. And there is no doubt that this remark is true if all the crops on irrigated land in Alberta are as good as those near Brooks. This is a small town on the main line of the Canadian Pacific Railway, about a hundred miles from the city of Calgary, and the centre of one of the most fertile pieces of country on the continent. Though sparsely settled, it is estimated that a quarter of a million bushels of wheat will be harvested from irrigated lands in this district this year. Many fields will yield from thirty to forty bushels to the acre. While there is nothing extraordinary about yields of this kind, such being obtainable every year, the fields upon which water has been applied afford a very striking contrast to those to which no water has been applied. The summer having been exceptionally dry and hot has made the crops on non-irrigated land in this territory in some cases almost a total failure. But where water has been applied healthy crops will not only remunerate the farmer for his labor and the capital invested in his land, but will also help to fill the Allies' granaries.

It is not only the older settlers who have these large crops. South of Brooks a farmer who came to Alberta last fall had about two hundred acres sown to wheat on new breaking. Parts of it were irrigated in the fall and twice in the spring and summer. Here a yield of forty bushels to the acre is assured. Other parts which were irrigated twice this spring and summer but not at all last fall, should yield up to thirty-five bushels to the acre. Still other parts were irrigated once only, this year, and the yield will not be so good. Altogether this farmer's crop on two hundred acres should average about thirty-five bushels to the acre, the returns from which at present market prices being not at all bad for the first year's working. One of the best yields is that of a farmer who settled in Alberta not quite two years ago. This field consists of ninety acres of wheat which the owner anticipates will thresh out at forty bushels to the acre. Two brothers who came from Nebraska two years ago with very little capital expect to thresh from their crop of two hundred acres of wheat at least thirty bushels to the acre. Doubtless there are several other cases similar to these.

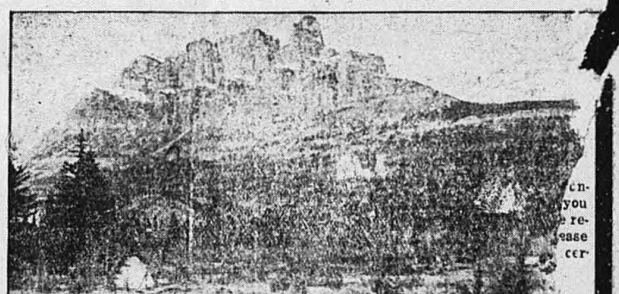
Large crops of oats, barley, all kinds of grasses, clovers and alfalfa are also to be seen on land where water has been applied. The diversity and abundance of the crops that can be grown here surprise one. It is not difficult to realize the immense boon water is. Grains, grasses, alfalfa, vegetables, small fruits yield bountiful crops under its magic spell. Assuming the farmer, as it does of remunerative crops every year, it will



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The Lord of Castle Mountain



Castle Mountain in the Canadian Pacific Rockies.

THE early fall had come in the mountains. Hunting parties patrolled the valleys still green and untouched by frost. The lower slopes of the rising ground were dark with spruce, brightened here and there with the lighter green of poplar and willow. Higher still the spruce forests climbed in ever narrowing tails up the water fed notches, while here and there large patches of poplar gleaned golden yellow, for the frost was nipping things at six thousand feet.

Above the timber line the grey crags towered, their highest peaks and plateaus shining with the virgin brightness of the first snows. In the midst of the mountains, standing alone in seeming aristocratic exclusion, the colored be[illegible] of Castle Mountain reached heavenward above the timber. Castle Mountain is a freak of nature. For [illegible] hundred miles south there is none like it. To the north the range runs to the Arctic with no similar outcropping. Eastward to the prairies where the Dow[illegible] crashes down from the first [illegible] of the foothills it is not duplicated, but westward, fifteen or twenty miles, there first appear signs of similar formation. Castle Mountain is igneous rock thrust from the bowels of the earth by some fierce heat spasm of forgotten ages, thrust up in the midst of the former grey of sandstone and limestone formation of the first belt of the Canadian Rockies. On the edge of a sheer precipice a magnificent specimen of the Rocky Mountain sheep, or bighorn, nibbled daintily at some tender lichens. A shadow flitted across his eyes, but he paid no heed, for the lambs that were small in the spring were now well-grown and could take care of themselves should some bold eagle try to topple one off the ledges. The big buck had no worries therefor. The bears were down below fattening on berries; the wolves were in the timber getting good feed from among the partridges, rabbits and perhaps some wounded deer or moose. The precipice on which the sheep stood dropped sheer for some six hundred feet to the snow-covered rubble of the upper edges of the timber belt, stunted, scattered trees barely eking out a precarious existence where the rock walls started to climb. Away in the valley bottom a black dot crawled unheeded. It was a Canadian Pacific freight train laboring along from Banff to Lake Louise.

A man, rifle on back, crawled like a fly up a steep "chimney"; sweat dripped from his brow, his breath was labored; he crept slowly upwards, using hands and feet and sometimes his chin. Field glasses had told him the splendid buck was above and he wanted a shot at the king of the peaks. At last he reached the plateau and looked. There five hundred yards away on the further side of a canon, which it would take a half day to circle, stood the same placidly feeding. Nothing in concealment behind [illegible] breathing grew [illegible] strained muscles be[illegible] hunter adjusted his preliminary sight. It noon and the light Something struck th foot of the sheep, "wh the clear air, and the tance came a short, sha animal lifted his glori stood in splendid pose, nerve and muscle quiverin to bunch and tauten to big body to safety as source of danger was The hunter raised his si sighted a little further pulled the trigger. The no sound of the rif struck him and crushed body; something tha than sound. Blindly, leaped up and out The hunter scramble chimney and slid, r the shale slope at th cipice, the shale [illegible] snow lay thinly on the stunted trees shivered air; for he knew his gam there dear as the very there he found it; its he the slope, a dark blotch And it had a pair of hor a sportsman has spent dollars to obtain, but

L. V. K.

NOTICE—MILITARY SERVICE ACT, 1917

REGISTRATION OF UNITED STATES CITIZENS

Male citizens of the United States living in Canada of AGES 21-30, both inclusive, MUST REGISTER BY REGISTERED POST with the Registrar under the Military Service Act of the district in which they live, during the TEN DAYS NEXT FOLLOWING SEPTEMBER 28th, 1918; and such CITIZENS OF THE AGES 19, 20 AND 31-44, both inclusive, must so register during the TEN DAYS NEXT FOLLOWING OCTOBER 12th, 1918. It must be emphasized that THIS INCLUDES AMERICANS LIVING IN CANADA OF THE ABOVE AGES, MARRIED AND SINGLE, and includes ALSO ALL THOSE WHO HAVE SECURED DIPLOMATIC EXEMPTION OR HAVE REGISTERED WITH AN AMERICAN CONSUL, or HAVE REGISTERED FOR MILITARY SERVICE IN THE UNITED STATES.

Registration letters may be handed to local Postmasters for despatch to the proper Registrar, under the Military Service Act.

MILITARY SERVICE BRANCH.

NOTICE—MILITARY SERVICE ACT, 1917

MEN EXEMPTED AS FARMERS

Having in view the importance of leaving a sufficient number of men on those farms, which are fully contributing to the National Food Supply, notice is hereby given as follows:

ALL MEMBERS OF CLASS I POSSESSING EXEMPTION AS FARMERS which is expiring and WHO WISH TO REMAIN EXEMPT should communicate with the Registrars under the M.S.A., of their respective districts, REQUESTING AN EXTENSION IN TIME OF SUCH EXEMPTION. Questionnaires will thereupon be issued to such men by the Registrar and they will receive further exemption upon furnishing satisfactory proof that they are contributing sufficiently to the National Food Supply.

In order to facilitate productive employment during the Winter months, MEN EXEMPTED AS FARMERS SHOULD APPLY TO THE REGISTRARS FOR PERMITS TO ENGAGE FOR THE WINTER IN SOME OCCUPATION OF NATIONAL INTEREST, SUCH AS LUMBERING, MUNITION WORK, ETC. Such permits will serve to enable exempted farmers to pursue other useful occupations during the months during which farming operations cannot be carried on.

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NEWS ABOUT TOWN

The Town Council has appointed Solomon Possent teamster at $625. a year.

The Walkerton Egg and Dairy Co. has added another Ford motor truck to its equipment.

The contract for supplying bread to the House of Industry has been awarded to Mr. John O'Malley.

"A father said to his little son, who was naughty, 'Look here, Freddie, if you don't say your prayers you won't go to heaven.' 'I don't want to go to heaven', sobbed the little boy. 'I want to go with you and mother."

R. E. Truax M. P. was a visitor to our Fall Fair and was kept busy shaking hands with his supporters and some who were not. He says he never felt in better health and expects that if the war continues while the session is on there will be no acrimonious debates or serious divisions in the House of Commons.—Chesley Enterprise.

A Winnipeg girl was at a party the other night and someone started a new game. The game consisted in blindfolding the men and letting them catch the girls; those the men caught they had to kiss after taking off the bandage, or in default pay a fine of one dollar. The Winnipeg girl came home with thirty-two dollars and a Victory bond.

Good Year's Work

The annual meeting of the Carrick Red Cross Workers was held last Thursday evening when reports of the year's work were presented. The report of the treasurer, Mr. Geo. W. Scott, showed that the substantial sum of $632.60 had been raised during the year. The supplies made up by the busy band of women workers were as follows:—252 pairs socks, 37 pajama suits, 47 shirts, 3 Convalescent Robes, 3 Quilts, 24 Boxes to the Boys Overseas. The officers the past year were:—Pres., T. H. Hickling; Vice-Pres., Mrs. Geo. W. Scott; Treas., Geo. W. Scott; Secretary, Mrs. J. A. Hogg. It has been decided to change the organization into a chapter of the Daughters of The Empire and a charter has been applied for.

Nursing At Salonika

Mrs. George Gould had a letter last week from her grand-daughter, Nursing Sister Nan Cooke at Salonika, stating that she is fine, and comfortably situated. The new hospital she is in, is located in the mountains about ten miles from the city. It is a healthy, bracing climate, much different from the former hospitals down near the city. Salonika, which was the scene of much of the Apostle Paul's missionary work, is an interesting though dirty city. Many ancient churches are still there. Miss Cook had just graduated from Trinity University with the degree of M. A. when the war broke out. She immediately left for Overseas and for three years was in a large hospital in Old London. Last February she was chosen as one of a party of 60 nurses to go to Salonika and arrived there just in time to run into an old-fashioned snowstorm. At that time they were living in tents and went around in rubber boots. Conditions are in many respects ideal in the new hospital up in the mountains and Miss Cook describes herself as "just bursting with health". Both of Miss Cook's brothers are in Military hospitals in France recovering from wounds.

Mr. Hank Irwin left this week on a visit to the West.

The now familiar "Somewhere in France" receives elucidation at the hands of a British soldier after this fashion. "I am sorry that I cannot tell you where I am, because I am not allowed to say. But I venture to state that I am not where I was, but where I was before I left here to go where I have just come from."

A farmer in the Duart district who has corn from ten to fifteen feet high, says he will cut the stalks about three feet from the ground and then go over the field a second time and cut the buts off and pile them up for wood. He says that on account of the sugar in them they burn continuously, when dried, until reduced to ashes, and while you have to fire up oftener they give good satisfaction.

160th Officer

Lieut J. A. Cronin of Kingcardine, formerly of the 160th, has been reported wounded.

Doing Well

Mrs. Hugh Threndyle had word from her husband this week that he is nicely recovering from his wound and is now in a convalescent hospital.

Will Join U. S. Army

Mr. Ambrose Scanlan, eldest son of Mr. P. J. Scanlan, returned home last week from Chicago where he has been the past year. He intends returning to Chicago shortly to join Uncle Sam's forces for Overseas.

Makes Good Impression

Rev. J. E. McCauley preached his first sermons as pastor of the Goderich Baptist church on Sunday last. The new minister is a young man of prepossessing appearance and manner, a good pulpit speaker, and evidently a student and thinker. He has been in the Baptist ministry for six years, four and a half years of which were spent at Glamis, in the County of Bruce. Educationally he is a product of Port Elgin high school, Owen Sound Collegiate Institute, Stratford Normal School and McMaster University, Toronto. His ordination took place June 7th last at Glamis.—Goderich Signal.

POETS, ATTENTION!

The Dominion Press News and Feature Committee of the Victory Loan 1918 organization announces a poem contest in connection with the campaign. Canadians with poetical talent are invited to submit offerings not exceeding 200 words, which will be judged largely on their effectiveness as publicity designed to persuade Canadians to buy Victory Bonds. A prize of a $50.00 bond of the new issue will be awarded for the best poem submitted. The next mention and $5.00 will be paid for those which the committee decides to use in the course of the campaign. Professor M. W. Wallace of the Toronto University and the editor of the Victory Loan National Press News and Feature Service will be the judges.

The committee offers to supply information concerning the urgency of the situation necessitating the coming loan, to all contestants who may apply to the committee's office, 18 King Street West, Toronto.

The contest closes on October 15 th., and awards will be announced a few days later.

AUTUMN

(Written by the late Lieut. Les Young of Cargill.)

The leaves are falling from the trees
And floating in the Autumn Breeze
Softly to the ground
The children play mid holy deep
In many a gaudy coloured heap.

The brooks are laden in the wood
The water sparkles through its hood
Of gorgeous colored leaves
And soughing through the maple trees
And rippling up the brook the breeze
The little birds bereaves.

The ground looks pretty 'neath its mat
Of nature's tinted pictures that
So soon will wilt away
We pay the price for beauty now
Alas; when we remember how
it ushers stormy days.

The gazer looks ahead and sees
The barren shivering lonesome trees
Their rattling boughs he hears
The soughing breeze prognosticates
That winter follows in their wake
To change from "echon" to drear.

He sees that Nature has extremes
As well as fickle human beings
It brings its woes with joy
That it is not so drear.
But he determines while its here,
To think not of the winter
But present scenes enjoy.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the matter of the Estate of Henry Opperman late of the Town of Walkerton in the County of Bruce, Retired farmer, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given pursuant to the Revised Statutes of Ontario 1914, Chap., 121, Section 56, and Amending Acts, that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of the said Henry Opperman who died on or about the 22nd day of July A. D. 1918 are required on or before the 15th day of October A. D. 1918, to send by post prepaid or to deliver to Anthony Opperman, Formosa P. O. Ont. one of the Executors of the last will and testament of the deceased, their christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims and a statement of their accounts, and the nature of securities (if any) held by them.

And Further Take Notice that after such last mentioned date the said Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the parties entitled there to having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice, and that the said Executors will not be liable for the said assets or to any person or persons of whose claim notice shall not have been received by them at the time of such distribution.

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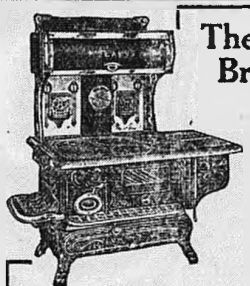
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We mention in particular our $9.50 wool sweaters; there's nothing to compare with them anywhere, the collar is the soft roll that fastens up high if you want it to. Has fancy sash and striped collar, cuffs and pockets. Colors are Saxe and Rose. Price $9.50.

Stephan Bros.

OCTOBER OFFERINGS!

Our Fall and Winter Stocks are now complete. You will be more than pleased when you see the splendid selection.

We might specially mention some new arrivals in Ladies and Misses Coats this week. They are lovely warm Coats and dressy to a degree, graceful fitting, made in various fashionable materials, Velours, Broadcloth, Cheviot, Blanket Cloth, Tweed Effects and Plush.

Special prices on Cloth Coats, $15.00, $19.00, $20.00, $25.00 to $40.00.

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NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Save to buy Victory Bonds.

Dr. Berkley Stalker of Hanover is recovering from an attack of Spanish "Flu."

"Now that you have your pile I suppose you are happy?" "No, I ain't. My wife won't let me go where I want er, my daughter won't let me talk as I wanter, and my doctor won't let me eat what I wanter. What's the use?"

Duck shooting season is now on. Sportsmen are warned that partridge, which have been getting scarce in recent years, are not allowed to be shot till 1920, and grey and black squirrels must not be shot under the severest penalties.

The daylight saving schemes comes to a close at 2 a.m. Sunday, October 27, on which date the clocks are to be turned back an hour and we will revert to the time used prior to last Spring. In the United States the change will be made at the same instant and in the United Kingdom on September 28.

Greenock Boy Wounded

Pte. Bert Lamont of Greenock, has been reported wounded by gunshot in his left elbow, on Sept. 29th. He is now in the 53rd. Gen. Hospital at Boulogne.

Asked to Co-operate

The churches of the province are to be asked to co-operate in conserving the available coal supplies. The new Fuel Controller, R. Home Smith, has already laid before representative clergymen of all denominations a suggestion that church services be curtailed or combined in a way that will effect a saving of fifty to sixty per cent. in the consumption of coal. The controller believes that two or three churches can arrange to hold their services in the one building and that where union services are not favored the congregation can meet at different times in the one building.

More Trouble For Wiarton

The Wiarton Echo says: Out of the sale of the liquid assets of the Canada Casket Co., there is likely to arise a lawsuit for taxes on that institution for 1918. It will be remembered that the town cannot obtain a title of the building and plant for six months. As the title remains with the company, the town maintains they should pay the taxes and the collector was notified to levy on the liquid assets. In the meantime these had been sold, and the parties who purchased them take the position that having bought them at a Sheriff's sale that the goods should come to them free of incumberance. Collector Acheson knew what to do; he was not going to allow the goods out of the building whereupon the buyers gave him a bond guaranteeing that they would see that he suffered no personal loss in the matter. The suit, if any, will be between the town of Wiarton and R. Young, and the amount of money in question is about $1100.

Save to buy Victory Bonds.

An exchange remarks that conservation and thrift ought to help in eliminating the habit of making silly and useful gifts for Christmas. But will they?

Lieut Oliver Wounded

Lieut. Herbert Oliver, formerly of the 160th, has been reported wounded with gunshot on the thigh. Before enlisting early in 1916, he was Deputy Registrar here. His home is in Toronto and he is 26 years of age.

German Souvenirs

Mr. Frank G. Eidt received a parcel of souvenirs last week from his brother, Sergt. Ed. Eidt, which were secured by him on the battlefield during the recent hard fighting on the Canadian's front. The number includes a German signaller's outfit, a Fritzie's cap, a leather belt, bearing the inscription carried by the Kaiser: "Got Mit Uns", and German money in denominations of one, two and five mark notes.

Ordained As A Priest

Mr. Frank Freiburger, youngest son of Mr. Joseph Freiburger sr. of Walkerton, was ordained as a priest of the Resurrection Order at Louisville, Kentucky, on Saturday, Sept. 28th and the following morning he celebrated his first High Mass at St. Mary's College, Kentucky, where he and Rev. Fr. Edward A. Waechter of Formosa have been engaged as teachers on the College staff. Father Freiburger studied for some years at Rome, and later taught in Colleges at Montreal and Kitchener. As a student he has shown high ability and has already given evidence of being a most capable instructor.

Removing To The City

Mr. James Calvoun, who sold his farm on the sixth of Brant last Spring to Mrs. Dietrich and moved into town, is leaving next week with his wife and family for Toronto, where they will make their home. In leaving this neighborhood where he was born and raised Jim takes with him everybody's best wishes for future success. Through his threshing and horse business he has become widely known and his genial ways and square-dealing have made him solid with the public. He has no definite plans yet as to what he will do in the city but intends taking things a bit easier after his strenuous years on the farm. His brother, Jack, who left his farm in Brant five years ago is living in Toronto.

FARM FOR SALE

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Woolen Underwear, special clearance for this week at $1.25 each.

Plaid Dressgoods
New Ranges of Plaid Dressgoods just in. Ranging from 85c. to $1.75 per yd.

Children's Underwear
Specials in Fleece lined Underwear at 69c per garment.

Ladies' Underwear
Ladies' Fall Underwear, special at 59c. each.

Ladies Silk Crepe DeChene waists in Maize, Pink and White, made in the latest styles with Bead trimming, special at $4.75.

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Fresh Stock of Raisins just in, Seeded or Seedless, in Bulk or Package.

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...anish Influenza raging ..., Walkerton is as yet ...ly free from the epidem... are a number of cases ..., but one busy doctor in... the Telescope yesterday had run across only two ...ases of Spanish Flu. ...ard of Health met on ...nd after a long discus... ...d to take the precaution ... the Churches, Schools, ...om to close for ten days, ...day, October 22nd. The ...irls are now enjoying a ... haven't a word to say ... Flu.

...There have been no deaths ...rton, although several local ... have lost relatives in other ...where the flu is raging. A ...employees of the Hobbin Fac... been sick and on Saturday ... the Factory closed down ...onday but most of the men ...w back at work again. The ...that the flu has got the pub... nervous and wild rumors ...t the town, fed up by the ex...ggerations of the public.

... Flu gets serious here, the ...n V.A.D's. intend to do ...t to nurse the public back ... health. In fact several of ...A.D's. are on the job now. ...cheme for handling the ... is told in another column ... Telescope.

... Schools will re-open next ... morning, according to the ...of Health order. Church ...ions will have a holiday ...bath.

... Manitoba.

... Thomas Cunningham receiv... telegram yesterday morning ... Oak Lake, Man. stating that ...ughter, Mrs. McLean had ... away. The deceased who had ... a poor health for several years ... besides her husband a young ...ter, nine years of age.

... Roy Kain Very Ill

...ev. the Rev. Roy Kain, son of ...John Kain, East Ward, has been ... seriously ill with pneumonia ...owing an attack of the flu, at ...ary Camp. His condition was reported to be very serious on Tues... afternoon and his brother Or..., motored to Guelph and caught the afternoon train for Toronto. Capt. Kain is a chaplain of the Siberian Expeditionary Force. Prior to enlisting he was rector at Thamesville. His mother and three of his brothers are also down with the flu at their home here, but all are now on the mend.

DIED OF WOUNDS



LT. LEWIS HONEY, D.C.M. M.M.

Brilliant young graduate of Walkerton High School, enlisted here as a private, won the Distinguished Conduct Medal, Military Medal and his Commission on the Battlefield.

AN OUTSTANDING PUPIL

Bright Career Was Cut Short in Lewis Honey's Death In France

Word reached here on Thursday last that Lieut. Lewis Honey, a graduate of Walkerton High School, had died of wounds in France. Lewis attended School here in 1912—13, when his father, Rev. Geo. Honey, was Methodist minister at Southampton. He was a young man of outstanding ability and was regarded by his teachers as one with bright career ahead. After passing his Honor Matriculation examination, he taught for a short time near Toronto with a view to attending University later on. When the call to arms was sounded throughout Canada, Lewis returned to Walkerton and enlisted as a Private in the 34th Batt'n. When the 34th was broken up in England, he went to France as a Sergeant with the 79th Batt'n. His record on the battle front is worthy of the fine type of young Canadian manhood that he was. His gallantry on the Field won the Military Medal, and later the Distinguished Conduct Medal and was granted a commission with the rank of lieutenant.

It is recalled by former students of the High School that two students who took leading rolls, Lew Young as Touchstone, and Lewis Honey as Orlando, have been killed in action, and all the other boys in the caste without exception are in khaki. These include:— Herb Henderson, Crawford Skelton, Viv McKechnie, Mell Wilson, Oscar Schwindt, Russel Hermeston, Wilfred Yack.

NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Fall Assizes Nov. 26th.

Save to buy Victory Bonds.

Local news on every page.

Victory Bonds Buy Food and Bullets!

Miss Selwood spent the holiday at Galt.

Seven deaths from the Flu have occurred at Paisley.

Mrs. John Kempke of Chesley is visiting friends here.

Mrs. S. W. Vogan jr. and babe are visiting relatives in Kingston.

Mr. Albert J. Miller spent thanksgiving with friends at Dunkeld.

Mr. Jack McKinnon spent Thanksgiving with friends at London.

Miss Vera Dippell is spending the week with relatives at Drayton.

Miss Minnie Kerney is spending a week's holiday at her home here.

Miss Gertie Swanston is reported to be very sick with the grippe.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Cooper spent Thanksgiving with friends at Atwood.

Mrs. Hector McDonald of Mulock is visiting her grand-daughter, Mrs. (Dr.) C. L. Grant.

Good steady man wants indoor work for the winter Apply at Telescope.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Cheshire and family and Art McCartney, spent the week-end at Wiarton.

Mrs. A. F. Bowman, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. (Dr.) Clapp, returned on Monday to Southampton.

Mrs. Michael Schiestel, who removed recently to Stratford writes:—We are all well and we all like it fine down here.

Mrs. Annie Bond returned on Tuesday from Albany, Alta., where she has been visiting her parents the past month.

Keep the mouth and throat free of germs by using Pyroformic Lozinger 25c. bottle, by mail 31c. Hunter's Drug Store.

Miss Frank Heeney of Detroit who has been visiting relatives at Riversdale, returned home last Thursday accompanied by Mrs. J. Quinlan.

Levi Goll and Fred Goll jr. of Mildmay were fined $1 and costs each on a theft charge by Magistrate John Fischer, amounting in all to $10.95.

Mrs. J. S. Knechtel of Hanover and Mrs. Williams (nee Miss Daisy Landerkin) of Tottenham were visitors at Mr. G. S. Schwindt's this week.

Don't forget the I.O.D.E. Hallowe'en Bazaar on the 31st. October. Booths are—Fancy-work and Chintz Vanity Fair, Overseas, Fish Pond, Market, Kitchen, and Infants. Supper served at 6 o'clock and special attractions in the evening.

Clayton Fortune, son of Dr. Fortune V. S. who enrolled as a student in the Faculty of Medicine, University of Toronto, recently, was taken ill with pneumonia following the Flu on Thursday last. His condition was considered dangerous on Friday and a wire was sent for his mother to go to the city. Latest report is that he is now doing nicely.

Save to buy Victory Bonds.

Victory Bonds Buy Food and Bullets!

Perfection oil stoves at Sandy McCarters.

Mrs. Robert Simpson is visiting friends at Cobourg.

Mrs. L. H. McNamara and Hilda are visiting at Mount Forest.

A full stock of nails, hinges, forks, shovels, etc. at Sandy McCarter's.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Burrows motored to Owen Sound Thanksgiving Day.

Mrs. Jas. Warren attended the funeral of a relative in Acton last week.

Miss Lilian Kempke of Chesley spent Thanksgiving with relatives here.

Mrs. E. Zettel of Chepstow spent the week end with her friend, Mrs. V. Kaufmann.

Miss Mabel Crawford of Toronto, is spending a month's vacation at her home here.

Miss Husband of Wiarton was a guest at Mr. Harry Pletsch's a few days this week.

"Germicide" kills disease germs 25c and 50c. at Hunter's. By mail 31c. and 57c.

Mr. Frank Antonio, fruit merchant and his two children are sick with influenza.

Mr. Charles Van Hatten of Toronto spent the holiday with his wife and family here.

Mrs. Louis Caskanette and babe of Preston, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Mosack.

Mr. Reuben Stevens of Chesley, called on friends in town on Tuesday, on his way to Cargill.

Messrs. Sam Vogan, Roy Wesley, Jno. Erdman and Mervyn Norrish motored to Toronto for the holiday.

Mr Frank Antonio, fruit merchant, and his two children, are victims of the grippe this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiese and family motored to Owen Sound and spent Thanksgiving at Mr. John Wilcox's.

Pte. Wilfred Damm, who has been training at Camp Niagara, left on Tuesday, Oct. 15, for Victoria, B. C.

Bishop Stringer will (D.V.) give a missionary address in St. Thomas Church Monday, 28th. Oct. at 7 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Con. B. Schnurr went to Kitchener on Saturday to attend the funeral of their nephew, Edward J. Ohlheiser.

Mr. W. T. Clancy and daughter, Geraldine, of Toronto, spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. James Meagher, Greenock, and other relatives.

Mrs. Wills, who was badly hurt last week by a fall from an apple tree was taken on Saturday to the home of her sister, Mrs. Holtzman near Mildmay to recuperate.

Mr. Frank Van Hatten of Toronto spent the holiday here. His wife and family who have been visiting here the past three weeks returned with him.

Colts For Sale

Black horse colt, Percheron, fifteen months old, and Clyde bay mare colt 11 months old. Apply Charles Prockow, near Hospital, Walkerton.

Died of Flu

Mr. Bryce, a brother-in-law of Mr. Victor Tanner, died of Spanish Influenza, at his home near Paisley on Tuesday morning.

Mildmay Cider Mill

We wish to inform our customers that we are ready to make Cider and Apple Butter after the 14th of October, every Tues. Wed. Thurs. and Friday until the 15th of Nov. After that date we close down.—Herrgutt Bros. Mildmay.

Leaving For New York

Miss McInnes, a popular member of the Hospital staff, who is leaving this week for New York to take a post graduate course at Bellevue Hospital N. Y., was given a farewell party by the nurses in their quarters on Tuesday evening.

Wounded In Leg

Mrs. J. Gillen received a telegram stating that her son, Private William Leo Gillen of the Canadian Mounted Rifles, had been officially reported admitted to the 7th. Can. Gen. Hospital, Litreport, France, on Sept 30th. with gunshot wound in his leg. Will has been in all the heavy fighting of the past two months and recently wrote home that he was fine and well.

KILLED IN ACTION



PTE. ALBERT W. GROVES

A former 160th. boy who was killed in the Canadians' Big Drive on August 31st. Albert was a splendid young fellow 20 years old, and son of Mr. and Mrs. John Groves, Glamis.

No Collection

The Walkerton High School pupils wish to announce that owing to the epidemic they are making no collections of newspapers etc. until further notice.

Chepstow Soldier Wounded

Pte. Harry A. Young, a Chepstow soldier, has been reported wounded on October 1st. with gunshot in the lower extremities. He is now in the 25th. Gen. Hospital at Hardelot, France.

Son of Old Walkertonian

Cadet Edwin Day of the R. A. F., Toronto, spent the week-end at Mr. Frank Rennie's in Brant. He is the son of Mr. Harry Day, a former well-known and much esteemed Walkertonian, who used to run the livery now owned by George Bros. He is now in the lumber business, and has a large sawmill about forty miles from Vancouver. Mr. Day's daughter, Marjorie, is attending University at Vancouver.

Adam Denny Wounded

Mr. William Denny had a wire from Ottawa on Sunday, reporting that his son, Pte. Adam Denny, had been wounded with gunshot in his left hand and sustained contusion of the eye on October 2nd., and is now in the 4th. Gen. Hospital at Dannes, Camiere's, France. Adam enlisted with the 160th. and acted as Military Police while the battalion was mobolizing here. He is one of three Denny brothers in France.

Decorated By Two Nations

Mr. David Robertson K. C. has received from his son, Lt.-Col. Roy Robertson, of the Canadian Engineers, for safe-keeping the insignia of the Distinguished Service Order, recently conferred upon him by King George V at Buckingham Palace; also the Croix de Guerre, with Star, awarded him by the French Military authorities for gallantry in action. Military honors have come thick and fast to Walkerton boys Overseas and one would look a long way to find a town whose native sons won so many awards for bravery on the field of battle.

Charivari Ends In Court

Alex McDermid, an elderly resident of Black Horse, laid an information in police court here last week, charging ten young people, including 2 women of the neighborhood with raising a rumpus at his place and injuring his pronerty. It appeared that McDermid and his bride were charivaried on several occasions, rotten eggs were thrown and no less than a dozen panes of glass broken. Magistrate Tolton adjourned the case for a week after hearing some of the evidence on Saturday. Since then the guilty parties have owned up and paid the damages and costs, amounting to about $50.

Wounded In Knee

Art Schnurr, formerly of the Telescope staff, now a Sammy in France, was seriously wounded by gunshot in the knee on Sept. 12th. News reached his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Con. B. Schnurr this week in a letter from Art himself written in a French Hospital. Art started with his unit for the scene of battle on the night of Sept. 11th. and was in the thick of the fight the next morning. About 10.30 he got a serious hit in the left knee. He was taken to the hospital where Miss Ruth Robertson is matron, for an operation and was later removed to a hospital at Limoges, France. It is probable that he will have a stiff knee for a long time.

V. A. D'S. ON THE JOB

Walkerton Volunteer Nurses Will Open Diet Kitchen and Nurse Flu Patients—Enlist The Support of Town Council.

Wherever the Flu epidemic lights it seems to strike everybody in the household. This makes it difficult for patients to be waited on. It is of course impossible to get nurses. There are few if any cases of real Spanish Flu in Walkerton yet but our local V. A. D's. are already for emergencies. These young ladies have recently completed a course in home nursing, first aid and seven of them have volunteered their services as nurses in town. Four more have volunteered to act if the situation becomes serious.

Mrs. W. M. Shaw, President of the V.A.D. and Miss Florence Rowland waited upon the Town Council Monday night and enlisted the support and co-operation of the Town Father in a scheme to help meet the Flu situation.

The scheme includes the opening of a diet kitchen, in the Tea Room premises, where with the assistance of the Tea Room girls, soups, junkets, and other dishes used in the sick room will be made up. The V.A.D's. are to receive 25c. an hour for their services and in the case of indigent citizens, the bill will be paid by the town.

The Town's part in the scheme is embodied in the following motion passed by the Council Monday night:

Leitner—George— that the Council make a grant of $30 to Mrs. Shaw as President of the V.A.D. nurses to assist in nursing and diet Kitchen and the nurses be paid 35c. per hour when nursing indigent patients to be paid by the Doctor and the Doctor's account to be handed in to the Council by 30 days after the patient is out and that the Mayor and Reeve be a committee to get a suitable room for the nurses for disinfection purposes.

Newsmatter Held Over

Owing to the Holiday we have been unable to handle a good deal of our best newsmatter this week including a report of Dr. Johnston's admirable address on the War. This will appear in next week's paper.

Up On "Drunk" Charge

Chief Ferguson, locked up William Paradise, otherwise known as the "Sunnier Coon" on Tuesday night on a drunk and disorderly charge. He comes before the magistrate Wednesday night for trial. Paradise is well-known here, spending his time at fixing threshing separators and engines in the summer months.

Death Of Harry Cousins

Walkerton friends learned with deep regret last week of the sad bereavement which befell Mr. and Mrs. James Cousins, formerly of this town, in the death of their youngest son Harry. Harry had been working at Tara when he was taken ill and succumbed in a few days to pneumonia. Besides his sorrowing parents, five sisters and one brother survive. They are:—Ed. of Toronto, Tillie, Eva, and Martha of Paris, Myrtle and Gladys of Stratford.

Death Of Roy Ridley

Mrs. Joseph Wallace received a telegram on Saturday morning informing her that her son-in law, Mr. R. Ridley of Paris, was dangerously ill with pneumonia, following an attack of Spanish Influenza. Mrs. Wallace took the first train for Paris but before her arrival he had passed away. Besides his wife, formerly Miss Le Ette Wallace to whom deep sympathy is extended in her sad loss, he leaves two small children. The funeral took place at Paris on Monday.

Chief's Son Dangerously Wounded

Chief Ferguson had had news yesterday regarding his son, Sergt. Robt. Ferguson of the 75th. Sutherland Highlanders, the oldest of his three sons on the firing line, who has been in the thick of the fighting the past two years. One message dated October 4th., stated that Bob had been dangerously wounded by shrapnel in the arm and side. One arm had been amputated and his left leg was partially paralized. A later wire dated 9th., said he was seriously ill. The latest wire from his daughter, Nursing Sister Annie Ferguson, says that Bob is a little improved. Miss Ferguson is at Kitchener Hospital, Brighton, Eng. and the Chief takes from the wording of her cable the comforting assurance that she is nursing her brother.

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The teachers of East Bruce met in annual convention at Walkerton Thursday and Friday, October 10th and 11th. After opening exercises in which all took part, reading of minutes, and treasurer's report, Misses Halliday and Lamb were appointed auditors in the absence of Miss Armstrong who had left the inspectorate. Miss Latimer of Hepworth read the report of the delegates to the Ontario Teachers' Convention at Easter.

H. G. Martyn B.A. of Stratford Normal School, gave a most excellent and suggestive address on "The teacher's relation to the play-life of Children." It would be impossible to do justice to the address in a short space, but Mr. Martyn shewed how the Greeks excelled in physical and mental development in beauty of face and form because emphasis was placed more on the playground than on the school building. The 320 preparatory schools of England had unsurpassed playgrounds which helped in making sturdy English character and enabled the English soldier in the present war to "play the game." All teachers were urged to encourage children to play and also to organize the plays of the pupils.

Mr. Thomas Rankin, principal of Walkerton Public School, sang very finely a Scotch song which showed how the boys and girls played in "Auld Lang Syne."

A program of excellent addresses filled the afternoon of Thursday from 1.45 to 4.45 after which the lady teachers formed a federation of East Bruce Women teachers, to be federated with the Women teachers of Ontario. Miss Jennie Stead being elected president and Miss Katherine Schwalm, Mildmay, Secretary-Treasurer. Miss Stead gave a very good address on the subject and claimed that women teachers being by far more numerous than men should have at least, the same consideration. All the teachers, men and women alike, showed hearty sympathy with Miss Stead. The President, Mr. Willoughby, in his address showed the importance of the teacher's calling referring to the fact that many of the teachers had instructed so many brave soldiers that had paid the sacrifice for their country.

Mr. T. J. Wallace principal of the French Bay Indian School, gave an eloquent and instructive address on Indian Education giving some difficulties in the way of the Indian child, and showing the thorough and sympathetic supervision of the Indian Department at Ottawa. Besides the eloquence, the teachers very much appreciated the spice of humor running through the address of Mr. Wallace.

Mr. Martyn of Stratford taught a fine lesson words in ing to a class supplied by Mr. Rankin. He drew all information needed from the class regarding the four parts of peach illustrated in the lesson—the noun, verb, participle, and infinitive. Mr. Martyn gave some very good advice regarding teaching of Grammar by using concrete forms and the blackboard to a much greater extent than at present A very profitable discussion on Grammar followed by Messrs. Rankin, Willoughby and Norton.

The teachers all took part in singing "The Maple Leaf" and Mr. Rankin sang a fine patriotic song entitled "The English, Irish, and Scotch."

Mr. J. T. Kidd closed the session with an exceedingly practical and illuminating talk on "How to secure speed and accuracy in the teaching of Arithmetic."

On Friday morning, Rev. C. W. Cosens very kindly opened the convention with a reading from Scripture and all joined in the Lord's Prayer. A very excellent address by Mr. Cosens followed showing that there was much in common between the calling of preacher and teacher. He showed the importance of the teacher being master of himself before being able to properly control pupils. The address was much appreciated by all the teachers. Entrance History was introduced very thoroughly by Mr. Willoughby, followed by an interesting discussion in which Sister Petranda of Mildmay, Mr. Kidd, and the Inspector took part.

Friday afternoon was devoted mainly to business matters and election of officers, but a resolution that the government should require trustees to pay expenses of teachers to convention was passed unanimously. The officers elected for 1919 were:—President, T. J. Wallace, Principal French Bay Indian School; Vice-President, Miss Cassie Pollock, Chesley; Secretary, Miss Annie Thompson, Walkerton; Treasurer and Librarian, John McCool; Delegate to Ontario Educational Association, Miss A. R. Tugman, Principal of Tara Public School.

A pleasing feature of the Convention was the attendance at all the Sessions of Separate School Sisters and teachers, some 20 or more being present.

Dr. Johnston's splendid lecture on Thursday evening and the entertainment of music and recitations are all worthy of a special report.

WHAT 1918 VICTORY LOAN MEANS TO CANADA

What the 1918 Victory Loan means to Canada can best be realized by a knowledge of what the 1917 Loan made possible. The subscribing of over $400,000,000 by the Canadian people in 1917 enabled the Dominion Government not only to take care of the needs of the army, but also to make substantial advance to various industries which has resulted in unprecedented prosperity.

Since the beginning of the present year Canada's war expenditures has been averaging over $30,000,000 a month. It has grown heavier as the army overseas has increased in numbers and especially since the beginning of the great Allied offensive early in August. To date about 590,000 men have enrolled in the Expeditionary Forces, the number that has gone overseas being fully 415,000. To-day there are 50,000 more Canadians overseas than there was at the end of 1917. All means heavier war bills, and the greater need for the new Victory Loan.

Canadians hardly realize what a strong impetus their large subscription to the Victory Loan imparted to business. It enables the Government to make advances in industries without which the $400,000,000 subscribed would have been impossible. Great Britain wanted our beef, bacon, cheese, wheat, hay, oats and munitions; but she could not pay cash for them. Canada could borrow abroad the money she want ed so if she were to sell her surplus products, she had to give credits to Britain and advance the money for the purchases.

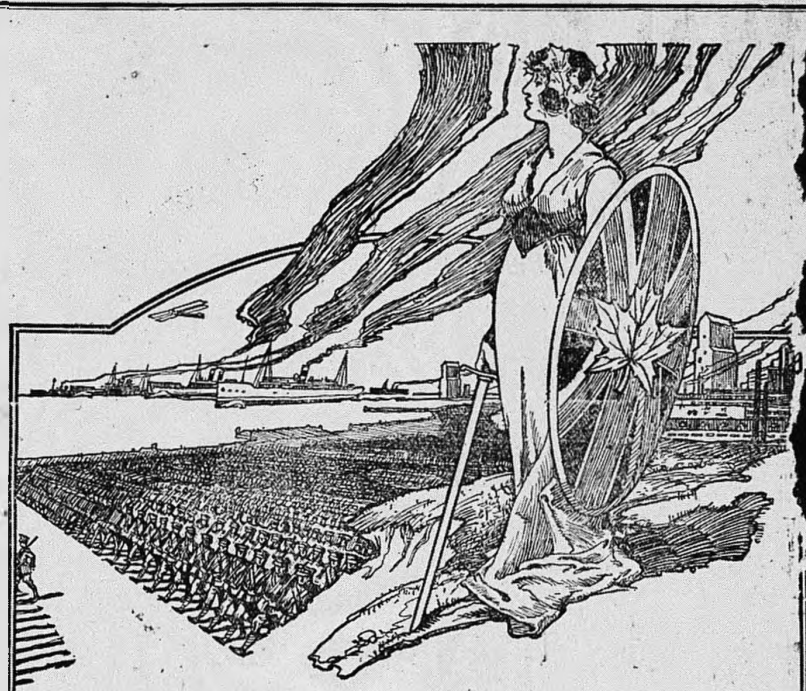
During the present year the Imperial Munitions Board has received from the Dominion Government advances amounting to $25,000,000 a month. Through an advance of $10,000,000 made by the Government the Board was able to give orders for the building of 44 wooden-ships. Another advance of $1,000,000, enabled the Board to begin the manufacturing of airplanes, of which 3,000 have been produced in one of the Board's great plants.

The 1917 Victory Loan made possible the advancing of $100,000,000 to finance the sale of our 1917 crop. $100,000,000 was similarly advanced to finance the sale of our exportable surplus of beef and pork products to Great Britain. Nearly $40,000,000 went to finance the sale of cheese to Britain. In addition large sales of hay and oats were also provided for.

A large war loan is needed this year than last, because the 1918 expenditures will probably be from $50,000,000 to $75,000,000, larger than in 1917. The Imperial Munitions Board will if anything require larger advances during the coming year than it has had, for its operations have been greatly extended. It has business amounting to $500,000,000 in sight for next year.

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7. Remember it only takes twenty shillings to make a pound, and twelve pennies to make a shilling.
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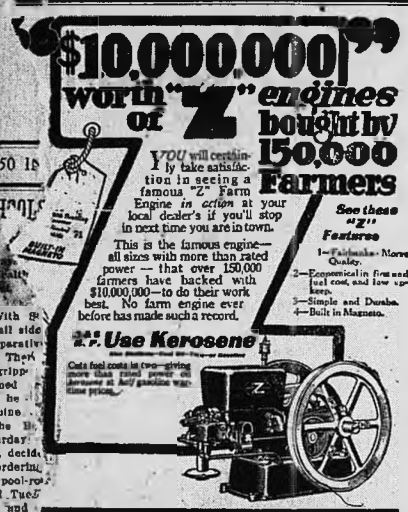
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NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Save to buy Victory Bonds.

Victory Bonds Buy Food and Bullets!

Mr. William Kappler is having his brick house on Victoria St. bricked over by Mr. Philip Becker.

The Ontario Clocks is now being published in the English language as a result of a recent Order-in-council prohibiting the publication of newspapers in Canada in any of the enemy languages.

Six tons of coal were sold in London, Ont., Friday for $16.50 a ton. The coal was disposed of by auction at Cooper's auction room. The bidding was spirited. There were many people who tried to purchase it. The price paid is taken as an evidence of the uneasiness of the people of the city over the fuel situation. They are willing to pay any price to get the coal.

Drastic Order Expected

That the Telescope, in common with all other newspapers in Canada, will be forced by the Government almost immediately to put its entire subscription list on the strictly paid-in-advance basis, is practically certian. Already the new regulation is in force in the United States and the Canadian Paper Controller proposes very shortly to follow suit. It is expected that all free copies outside the exchanges etc., will have to be stricken off when the new order comes into force and no subscribers can be carried unless paid in advance.

Big Money These Days

A rather interesting circumstance in connection with the fair, says the Arthur Enterprise, which was brought to our attention, and which indicates the prosperity at present existing in the vicinity, was the number of large bank notes taken in at the ticket office. The time was when the required quarter to gain one's access to the "show fair" was carefully gathered for some weeks previous and then on the day when the big event actually arrived pushed through the wicket at the gate with a feeling of regret that a friendship of some standing should at last be broken. Such, however, seems to be no longer the case. The currency with which the man with the tickets for sale is now generally confronted is not modest silver coins, but bank notes of considerable denominations. On Wednesday Mr. Johnson, of the Standard Bank, treasurer of the society, took $60 in silver when he went up to the ticket office. In about an hour he was out of change and another supply had to be secured. When the crowd was all in its contribution was a pile of bills and only about $2 in change.

O. S. Girl Killed in Motor Accident.

Miss Margaret Pringle, aged 17, the twin daughter of the late J. C. Pringle of the Taylor-Pringle Co. of Owen Sound, was the victim in a fatal automobile accident near Markdale last Friday afternoon. In company with a companion, Miss Mary Mercer, daughter of Mr Thos. Mercer a widely known stock breeder, they left the home of the latter in an auto to go to an adjacent farm. The road was slippery from the effect of the heavy rains and the rear wheels slid, causing the car to turn turtle. The top held the weight up for a few moments but before the two occupants could release themselves it fell crushing the life out of Miss Pringle. A coat that was in the seat became entangled about Miss Mercer's head and when the accident was discovered by Mr. Bury, a Hydro Electric officer, about ten minutes later she was unconscious. Mr. Bury was able to release Miss Mercer but it was some time before the car was removed sufficiently to admit to Miss Pringle's body being taken out. Physicians were secured from Markdale and the coroner notified but on recovering consciousness Miss Mercer gave details and no inquest was deemed necessary.

OPEN HUNTING SEASON IN THE HIGHLANDS NEAR AND PROSPECTS GOOD

Probably the best hunting districts in America are located in the Highlands of Ontario and that section of the Province opened up by the Transcontinental Railway. This immense virgin area offers unlimited opportunities to the Hunter for Moose and Deer. The open season for the Highlands of Ontario District is from November 1st. to November 15th., both days inclusive. In some of the Northern Districts of Ont., including Temiskaming, Timagumi and the territory north and south of the Canadian Government Ry. in Ontario, the open season has been extended and is from October 1st. to November 30th., both days inclusive. A synopsis of the Game Laws is contained in to G.T.R. publication "Playgrounds." Full information on application to Agents Grand Trunk Railway System or Mr. C. E. Horning, District Passenger Agent, Union Station, Toronto.

Save to buy Victory Bonds.

Victory Bonds Buy Food and Bullets!

A Canadian soldier having refused to obey an order given by his superior officer was punished by being compelled to march before the drawn-up battalion. After he had been paraded up and down between the lines for fifteen minutes, the officer stopped him and said: "Now Jones, what do think about it? "Well, sir," replied Jones, "they are the rottenest bunch I ever inspected."

Must Company Build Lines?

Fifteen farmers on the townline between Culross and Greenock have been pressing upon the South Bruce Rural Telephone Co., for some time for telephone connection, but the Company has turned the request down, on account of the great stretch of line required to accomodate the applicants. The farmers have now taken their case to the Ontario Municipal Board, and will try to compel the company to furnish them with phone connections. If they succeed, the Company will have to build ten miles of line.—Mildmay Gazette.

Took Neighbor's Provisions

A bachelor farmer on the 8th concession of Carrick has been subjected to a series of petty thefts recently while he was helping his neighbors with their threshing. The thieves confined their activities to household provisions, such as butter, eggs, bread and cakes, but it was mighty annoying for the farmer to come home and find his larder cleaned out. He did a little scouting around and before long had a positive clue as to the direction in which his victuals were moving. Securing a search warrant from the local magistrate, he had the suspected premises searched, and the guilty parties, two young lads in their teens admitted the theft. We understand that prosecution will follow.

Noble Red Man Gets His

Alas, many of the legends we read in our youth and believed are being shattered in these modern days. One was of the noble Red man, who devoted his time to the chase, and the extermination of his enemies, and his squaw faithfully waited on him, and performed all menial labors. But now perhaps since they have come in contact with the white man, things are different. An Indian from the Reserve works in one of our factories, as also two dusky maidens, one of whom he lives with. Mr. Indian took a fancy to the other one, and the other one warned him. "Gotchu," but he didn't stop, and one day last week things reached a climax. Number one dusky maiden picked up a strip of furniture, the real solid kind, not veneered, and swatted him a couple on the coco which left a deep dint and nearly bashed one eye out. Then she thought she didn't want the job any longer and quit, while the doctor patched up the object of her affections.—Southampton Beacon.

FELL LEADING HIS MEN

Capt. Bob Rowland Tells of Death of Popular 160th. Officer, Lieut. Horace Parker

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Parker, of Greenock, have received from Capt. R. C. Rowland the following letter giving particulars as to the death of their son, Lieut. Horace Parker:—

Dear Mr. Parker—It is with deepest sympathy that I write of Horace's death. I have known Horace for a long time, as I was in the 160th. Batt. with him and we came to France together. At all times Horace proved himself a soldier, and often while in England he had said that if he had to die in this war he hoped it would be a soldier's death. On the 10th. of August the battalion was given the task of taking the village of Fouquescourt. I was in charge of the first wave and Horace the second. The attack was held up and Horace came up to reinforce, but we were still held up, and Horace went forward under heavy machine gun and rifle fire to see where the enemy were entrenched. While so doing he was hit two or three times in the leg with machine gun bullets. The stretcher bearers dressed his wounds and we sent him out, but his wounds proved fatal, and he died in the field ambulance. I was unable to find out where Horace was buried but our Padre will know, and as soon as I see him I will write and tell you. If I can be of any further service to you it will give me great pleasure to do anything that is in my power for you.

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High School Notes

(Written for The Telescope)

On Monday morning the school assembled in Third Form to witness the presentation of medals to those girls who had done farm service during the summer. The girls had not been promised recognition of their services, but Mr. N. C. MacKay wrote the Department of Education and succeeded in securing medals for them. Mr. MacKay very kindly consented to present the medals and the presentation took place on Monday. The recipients were — Helen Johnston, Jessie McNally, Annie Condy, Selena Brocklebank and Eleanor Lindsay. The following girls were not present at the time, but will receive their medals later:— Jessie Wells, who is attending the Faculty of Education, and Mabel Chalmers, Gertrude Lewis and Minnie Raechler, who are attending the Normal School at Stratford. The following boys, who worked on farms during the summer months, were presented with their medals a couple of weeks ago:— Lee Yaeck, William Polfuss, William Ramsey, Graeme Kirstine, Cecil Cargill, Cecil Wilton, Jack Chalmers, Arthur Johnston, Milton MacGregor, Frank Meagher, Frank O'Hagan, Clayton Fortune and Wilfrid Inglis. A good many extra bushels of grain went out of this district as a result of the efforts of High School pupils.

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The weekly examinations were resumed. They are set for Monday and the students were treated to a double header last Monday since Thanksgiving Day occurs on Monday and furnishes a holiday. Whether these two examinations at the same time tended to make the students more thankful or otherwise is a matter which admits of discussion.

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The East Bruce Teachers' Institute held its convention in Walkerton on Thursday and Friday last. The students had "great expectations" of a holiday but their hopes were shattered when it was announced that no holiday would be forthcoming.

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In basket ball, the Reds have maintained their advantage over the Blues. The week's play has resulted in favour of the Yellows, who play against the Greens.

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First Form's two baseball teams are almost evenly matched but the Blues beat the Greens by two runs in the last match.

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Deep regret is felt throughout the School at the death of Lewis Honey, news of which was received here last Thursday night. Lewis was one of the most brilliant students that ever attended the High School and he was equally successful as a soldier, winning the Military Medal, the Distinguished Conduct Medal and his Commission. His death leaves a gap which will not be filled easily. In the casualty lists, it is reported that he died of wounds and, as yet no further particulars have been received here. The sympathy of the students gives out to his parents in their bereavement.

CAPT. BOB ROWLAND, M. C.

Will Receive Further Honors For Gallantry, Says Cable—Wounded But Wouldn't Quit

Several Walkerton boys, writing home from France recently, have mentioned that Capt. Bob Rowland had been recommended for decoration for gallant action in the recent push when the Canadians burst through the Hindenburg Line. His parents Mr. and Mrs. John Rowland, knew nothing of it, although hearing from Bob right along, until Monday when a cable from a Walkerton friend in England said:— "Bob awarded Military Cross, recommended further honors, wounded at duty. Leave next week." This means that Bob did not leave the firing line when he received his recent wound but stayed right on the job. The casualties in his battalion were very heavy and one of the boys mentions that Capt. Rowland was the only officer still in the fight. One letter mentioned plunging right through the wire and capturing the objective without tank support and it may be for a brilliant feat of that sort, that Bob was singled out for high honors.

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NEWS ABOUT TOWN

St. Thomas Church

The Ladies of St. Thomas Church are requested to meet at the Rectory on Friday next at 4 p. m. for the Christmas parcels for boys overseas.

Wounded in Hand.

Mr. Frank Bolden, East Ward, had a telegram from the Record Office on Saturday, stating that his son, Pte. Harry E. Bolden, had been admitted to the 14th. Gen. Hospital at Wimereux France, on October 2nd. with a gunshot in his left hand. Harry enlisted originally with the 160th.

Home On Sick Leave

Cadet Leslie Bryce of the R.A.F. is home from Long Branch this week on short sick-leave. Leslie has just recovered from a week's siege of the Flu in the Base Hospital. The Military Hospitals have been packed with patients the past two weeks but there are now signs of a let-up.

Where Flu Is Bad

Mr. John Burns, who was home from Ottawa to spend Thanksgiving at his old home at Chepstow, says that the death rate from the Flu at Ottawa has averaged 25 a day. He relates a particularly sad case, in which a family of seven were completely wiped out. The first member of the family died on Sunday and by the next Thursday night the last or seventh member of the family succumbed to the dread malady. Former Walkerton Boy.

The death took place on Wednesday Sept. 11th. of Edward J. Ohlhoiser, eldest son of Mr. M. P. Ohlhoiser of Kitchener. The deceased who was about 30 years of age had been ailing for several weeks and finally succumbed with pneumonia. About eight or nine years ago he worked as a clerk in the employ of Stephan Bros. and visited here about four years ago while on his wedding tour. Besides his wife and small son he leaves to mourn his parents and five brothers, one of whom is Overseas, and two sisters. He is a nephew of Mrs. Con B. Schnurr. The funeral took place on Thanksgiving morning to Kitchener R. C. cemetery.

Lots Of Money

Mr. Archie McKinnon, the Greenock, tax-collector, states that in his four teen years' experience on the job he has never found money so plentiful as this year. Good crops and good prices are reflected in the way the taxes for 1918 are streaming in. In his first two days' collecting Mr. McKinnon got as much or more money than he usually gets on his entire rounds. Before he had even sent out the tax notices his neighbor, Mr. James Symon, called around and settled his tax-bill amounting to about a hundred dollars. This old world would be a better place to live in, if there were a few more of Mr. Symon's ilk.

Mr. P. Bremner's Brother

Mr. P. Bremner received word yesterday that his youngest brother, Alex C. Bremner had been wounded in France. The telegram, which came to the old home at London stated that he had been wounded in the abdomen with gunshot and was at the 20th. Casualty Clearing Station. "A. C. " enlisted at Calgary, Alta. Although he has been over two years in France and passed through many hard battles, this is the first time his name has appeared on the Casualty List. Further word is anxiously awaited owing to the nature of his wound.

Expected Home From Front

Sergt. Jack Clancy, elder son of Mr. John Clancy of Cargill, who went Overseas with the 160th., is expected home soon. Jack spent a couple of years in France, leaving the Bruce Batt'n shortly after their arrival in England to go to France with a labor Batt'n. Since joining the 5th. Can. Labor Batt'n. he has been promoted to Sergeant. For several months he has been in the Hospital and is returning to Canada on leave. His brother, James T. Clancy, G.T.R. Agent, had a line on Monday, written on Sept. 27th:— "Am now on my way to Buxton. Expect to see you all shortly."

Death of Josephine Opperman

Mr. Anthony Opperman of Formosa sustained a sad loss on Monday in the death of his third daughter, Miss Josephine Mary, who passed away at St. Joseph's Hospital, Hamilton, from pneumonia following the Spanish Influenza. Miss Opperman was taken ill on Friday, was removed to the Hospital on Saturday and in spite of the best medical attention succumbed on Monday morning. Miss Opperman, who was in her eighteenth year, was a graduate of St. Anne's School, Kitchener, and a novitiate of the Order of Notre Dame. At the time of her death she was a student at the Normal College, Hamilton. She was a particularly bright pupil and her untimely taking off cuts short a life of much promise. Besides her parents, the following brothers and sisters survive: — Rose, of Atikokan, Rainy River District, Andrew of Saskatchewan, Matilda, of Formosa; Harry, Loretta, and Marie at home. The funeral was held at Formosa this morning, Thursday Oct. 17th.

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KILLED IN ACTION



FRANK SCHEFTER

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Ignatz Schefter whose death in France was reported on Thursday—A younger brother, Oscar, lost a leg in the recent severe fighting on the Canadian Front

Coates—Sloan

A quiet wedding took place at the home of Mr. James Sloan of Chesley on Tuesday, October 15th, when his eldest daughter Mary Christina, became the bride of Mr. David H. Coates the well-known and popular young auctioneer of Brant. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Leslie in the drawing room which was handsomely decorated for the occasion. The bride who was prettily attired in blue broadcloth with hat to match was unattended. Many beautiful and handsome presents, were received. After a dainty luncheon had been served, Mr. and Mrs. Coates left on the afternoon train for a wedding trip to Toronto, and other points. On their return they reside on the old Coates' homestead, con. 6, Brant.

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EDEN GROVE

Mr. Albert [illegible] of Fergus spent the holiday at his home here.

Owing to the prevalence of "Grippe" the Evangelistic services which were being conducted by Miss Morton, Evangellist of Toronto in the Meth. Church here, were brought to a close on Sunday last, when Miss Morton preached two able sermons, Sunday a. m., subject: "Five circles of the Christian Life", and in the evening from the text Luke—12—31, "Seek ye first the Kingdom of God, and all these things shall be added unto you." Miss Morton left on Monday morning for her home in [illegible] taking with her the best wishes of the people of Eden Grove.

[illegible]nce visited friends in Tara on holiday.

[illegible]il Thompson moved his household effects to Walkerton on Monday.

[illegible]ordon Alexander was on the sick list a few days last week.

[illegible] Desmond arrived home from To[illegible] on Sat. night and is seriously ill with "Flu."

The Evangelistical services in the Methodist church are over. As I understand it this was a two weeks' revival, but what I cannot understand is the possibility of reviving that which is not. A man does not buy a half fare ticket for a child unless he first has the child. So the spark of divine fire held in the capable hands of Miss Morton failed to set aflame the hearts of the countryside because the countryside never came near the spark. More and more, year by year are the people drifting from our little white church. What is the reason? For the two best answers in fifty words or less, I will personally give a prize of one dollar each. The answers to be published next week. Sign your full name (not for publication) and address to G. T. R. Agent, Pinkerton.

Hark! whence cometh this beautiful entrancing music and that tapping of dainty toes. I can hear jolly laughter and merry voices. Whence cometh it? Boys! It's from Ward's Hall, Eden Grove where they are holding a Ball in aid of the Red Cross, on Friday Oct. 18th. If you must miss it, why bring the Miss along with you.

LATER—Owing to cold feet and Spanish Influenza, the ball advertised for Friday has been postponed indefinitely.

PINKERTON

The ladies of the Pinkerton Red Cross Society held their annual meeting last Thursday afternoon. A large number were present. The reports show a splendid increase in work. Though they are beginning the 4th. year of work there has been no falling off in the diligence and earnestness of the workers but rather the reverse. All the officers of last year were re-elected. President, Mrs J. J. Donnelly; Vice. Pres., Mrs. J. W. Moffat; Secretary, Mrs. A. Pinkerton; Treasurer, Mrs. Jas. Clark. Of a necessity a great deal of the business work falls on these officers and a hearty vote of thanks and appreciation were tendered them

The society shipped from No. 15 th. to Sept. 28th. 1918. the following articles;— socks, 617 pr., pyjamas, 129 pr., mouth wipes, 450, flannel shirts, 249, towels, 98, wash cloths, 4, scarfs 1, personal property bags 136, quilts 12, pillows 42, pillow covers 21, scrap book 1, French candles 19, old linen 19 pkgs. 1 old blanket.

Summary of receipts:—

Bal. on hand from last year	178 94
Personal donations	222 16
Collections on tag days...	105 86
Proceeds of Mrs. Chick's quilt...	42 35
Proceeds of lawn social and grants from Greenock Tp. Council..	140 00
Grants from County Council	1023 49
Money received from old rags	30 10
Soldiers boxes sold	3 57
Yarn sold	4 02
Contributions for soldiers boxes	28 65
Money returned by secretary..	25
Total	2380 32
Expenditures..	1484 24
Money in Cargill bank ...	885 28
Money in Treasury	10 80

Summary of Expenditures:—

To yarn flannel, flannelette sock legs	1388 04
Soldiers boxes and express..	61 03
Expenses re lawn social and To cleaning basement of hall	75
Express and postage	3 35
Total..	1484 24

Miss Ruby Gregg of Wingham spent Thanksgiving at her home here.

Rev. Mr. Gale attended an induction service in Chesley on Friday evening.

GLAMIS

Miss Flossie McLennan, arrived home from Wellesley on Wednesday returning again to her duties on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Madden of Port Huron Mich. arrived here last week on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. John Groves.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Robertson and babae spent over Thanksgiving in Durham.

Rhody Thompson arrived home from Moosmin, Sask. on Friday.

Miss Phyllis Moffat left Tuesday morning for Bramsville where she will attend High School.

The Teachers from this vicinity attended Teachers' Convention in Southampton last week.

Miss Gilmour of Toronto spent over the holiday with her friend, Mrs. Alex Carr.

Mr. A. McDowell, Mrs. Jessie McDougall and sons, visited relatives in Southampton over the week-end.

Rev. James McEwen returned to Toronto on Monday.

Miss Mary Deehan of Kincardine H. S. spent a few days under the parental roof.

Clyde McKeeman spent last week in London.

The Red Cross here will pack their Xmas Overseas Boxes on Friday evening Oct. 25th.

The many friends here of Pte. Mac McKinnon Con 10., Kincardine, one of our home lads, here were pleased to see the reports in last week's paper of the great work he has done, and honor rewarded. We all wish Mac every success hoping he and many others will be spared to return home ere long.

The B.Y.P.U. Rally of the Baptist Churches in the Walkerton Association met at Palmerston on Monday, but owing to the Spanish Influenza there were several prevented from attending who otherwise would have attended.

Rev. J. A. McClung took the following delegates to B.Y.P.U. Rally on Monday. Misses Margaret McLennan, Daisy Cronin, May and Eva McKinnon, Miss McLaurin of St. Mary's. A teacher in the Western Missionary Schools, gave a very interesting address in St. Paul's Church on Monday evening under the auspices of the Woman's Missionary Organization, it being their Thank Offering Meeting.

OTTER CREEK

A very quiet wedding took place at the home of Mrs. P. Gress on Friday last at 4 o'clock when her third daughter, Lillian B. Gress, became the wife of Mr. Ezra J. Damm of Alsfeld. The ceremony was performed by Rev. H. A. Kellermann of Chesley, a relative of the bride. The wedding march was played by her cousin Miss Alta Gress. Only the immediate relatives were present on account of the recent sad bereavement, the death of the bride's father. The bride wore a white georgette dress trimmed with pearls and carried a bequet of carnations with maiden hair fern. Her travelling suit was of black satin with hat to match. The best wishes of a circle of friends go with Mr. and Mrs. Damm for a long and happy wedded life They will take up farming on the groom's farm at Alsfeld.

Tending to the sick with Spanish Influenza is the order of the day.

Miss Alta Gress visited her grandmother Mrs. J. Pfuhl of Hanover on Sunday last.

Mr. Otto and Miss Luella Damm of Alsfeld were visitors here on Thanksgiving.

Miss McDougald, Teacher S. S. No 3 Carrick, attended the teachers conventing, therefore the school was closed.

Miss Kathrine Gress who was working for Mrs. Knepflar of Walkerton returned home.

CARGILL

Lucknow Bowlers were here on Monday trying to take the Keystone Trophy from our boys but were not successful. A rink of Chesley bowlers were over last week but they had to go home without the silverware also.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Wells of Port Elgin visited friends here on Monday.

Misses W. Loughleen and a friend of Woodstock visited at W. J. Loughleen's over the holiday.

Miss N. Clancy of London and Master Jos Clancy of Oshawa, Miss Agnes Keyes of Chesley, spent Sunday and Monday under the parental roof.

Mrs. R. Green is in Toronto attending her two daughters who are ill.

Mr. W. T. Clancy and child of Toronto spent the week-end with relatives here.

Mrs. Geo. Welsford is away on a visit to friends in Sarnia.

Mr. Rosseau and family has left for Clifford where he purchased a hotel. Mr M. Bester took charge of the hotel here on Tuesday.

Messrs J. Alexander, Wm. and Karl Cliff of Oshawa were home for the holiday.

Miss F. Newman spent the holiday at her home in Owen Sound.

Mr. Mathers has returned after a short visit to his home in Palmerston.

Miss Allan of the P. S. staff spent Thanksgiving at her home in Wroxeter. She also attended the Teacher's Convention in Walkerton last week.

All those having socks finished kindly bring them to the Annual Meeting this afternoon, Thursday, Oct. 17th.

SOLWAY

Miss Marjorie Weir is leaving this week for Guelph to train for a nurse.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Grubb and two children of near Formosa spent Sunday at the home of Mr. Jno. Stroeder.

Miss. Elizabeth A. O'Connor who is attending school in Toronto spent the week-end at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hanmore of Greenock spents Sunday at Mr. Jno. Hanmore's.

Misses Gertrude and Eleanor McCarrity of Toronto spent the holiday at their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Lambertus of near Walkerton spent Sunday at Mr. Jno. Stroeder's.

Mr. Louis Gatemam has purchased a 150 acre farm in Elderslie.

Miss Margaret Heenan of Toronto spent the holiday at the home of her sister, Mrs. Jno. Hanmore.

A quite wedding took place in Chesley on Tuesday when Miss Sloan of that town was united in marriage to Mr. David Coates. After a short honeymoon they will reside on the groom's farm here.

RIVERSDALE

Pte. Jos. Dietrich was home from Toronto over Thanksgiving.

Mrs. Wm. Yates and children of Walkerton, visited her mother, Mrs. Robt. Chatreau, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sanderson motored up from Oakville and spent the holiday at Wm. McDonald's.

Mr. Robt. Bull of Weston, and Mr. Jno. Thompson of Teeswater, called on friends here last week.

Miss Grace McDonald spent the week-end with friends at Mornington.

Mrs. F. Heeney returned to her home in Detroit last week, accompanied by Mrs. Jas. Quinlan.

Mrs. Jos. Allen and children of Walkerton are visiting her mother, Mrs. Jake Brindley.

MILDMAY

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wendt of Wroxeter spent Thanksgiving at Mrs. Mary Wendt's.

It is our sad duty to chronicle the death of Louis Privato who died on Tuesday, Oct. 15th., at 4 o'cook in the afternoon from pneumonia which developed into convulsions which resulted in his death. Louis was a very bright cheery young boy well liked by everybody. His loss will be severely felt by his parents as he was the only child. The funeral took place on Friday afternoon to the Evangelical cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Schetter and all the members of the family except one are laid up with influenza

Miss Beulah Lambert and Miss Margaret Stewart are victims of the attack of Spanish Influenza, but both are recovering nicely.

Mr. Wm. F. Wendt is improving and will be able to go out in a few days.

Mr. Garfield Eichmeier and Mr. Peter Lobsinger are both now recovering which is welcome news to report.

On Oct. 14th. the death of Eckert Miller only son of Jacob Miller of con. 10 occurred due as a result of Influenza.

There were very few Thanksgiving visitors in town Monday and everything was very quiet.

Sapper George Heisz returned home from France after being away two years and is going to complete his course in the Dental College, Toronto.

CULROSS CENTRE

Miss Merle Whytock of Teeswater visited her friend, Margaret Becking, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. David Kirkland and Master Wilfred and Morley motored to Sam Parker's Thanksgiving Day.

Mr. and Mrs. James Valad accompanied by Mrs. John McGlynn and Mrs. Peter Valad of Riverdale motored to Stratford last week.

Mr. Alex Grant visited his cousin Gordon Grant, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Parker visited friends at Kincardine the end of the week.

Miss Elsie Grant spent the week-end at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Taylor of Wingham visited at the home of Mrs. Albert Thacker Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Valad visited at John McGlynn's Sunday.

WESTFORD

John Murray is visiting friends in Bancroft.

Pte. Charlie Wall spent the week-end with friends in Kincardine.

Mr. and Mrs. John McGlynn motored to Stratford on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lockhart of Port Elgin spent Thanksgiving at Mr. Fred Baldenby's.

Miss Kate Ruth has returned home after spending a week with friends in Hepworth.

Mr. and Mrs. Crawford, of Winnipeg Man. were visitors at Wm. Walls last week.

Ontario Emergency Volunteer Health Auxiliary

Wanted, Volunteers!

The Provincial Board of Health, with the authority of the Government of Ontario, has organized an "Ontario Emergency Volunteer Health Auxiliary" for the purpose of training and supplying nursing help to be utilized wherever needed in combating the Influenza outbreak. A strong executive has been formed in Toronto. It is strongly recommended that each municipal council and local Board of Health, working in co-operation, take immediate steps to form a local branch of this organization. The Volunteer Nurses will wear the officially authorized badge "Ontario S. O. S." (Sisters of Service). The "S. O. S." call may be urgent. Classes taking lectures are already opened in the Parliament Buildings, Toronto (Private Bills' Committee Room, ground floor,) where they will be carried on every day at 10 a. m. and 3 P. m. until further notice. Young women of education are urged to avail themselves of this unique opportunity to be of real service to the community. If they are not needed, so much the better. If they are needed, we hope to have them ready. All towns and cities are urged to organize and prepare in a similar manner.

A Syllabus of lectures is being sent to the Medical Officer of Health of all cities and towns. Further information may be had on application to John W. McCullough, M. D., Chairman of Executive, Parliament Buildings, Toronto, Telephone Main 5800.

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THURSDAY

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AN OLD WALKERTON BOY

Editor Malcolm McBeth of the Milverton Sun, Gives First Hand Impressions of the Great West—Visits His Old School-mate Hon. Duncan Marshall, with Whom He Used To Play Football At Walkerton High School.

An eighteen hour run from Regina brought us to Calgary, having passed through the towns of Moose Jaw. (The name is an abridgment of the Indian name which literally translated is "The-neck- where-the white-man- mended- the-cart with-a-moose- jaw-bone.") Swift Current (population 5600). Webb. Medicine Hat (pop. 12,000 and an important station of the Royal Northwest Mounted Police. A demonstration farm is operated by the an abundance of coal in the district, but the light, heat and power of the city is derived entirely from natural gas.) Calgary is the largest city in Alberta, having a population of about 75,000. The general offices of the Canadian Pacific Railway are located here, including the head offices of the Department of Natural Resources. The extensive Western Car Shops of the C.P.R. are near Calgary and it is said that these shops will eventually employ 3500 men. The city owns, operates and controls its public utilities, including municipal street railway, gravity waterworks system, light and power plant and street paving plant. All these are profitable enterprises and yield big revenue. Forty miles of street railway are in operation. The city is supplied with natural gas from Bow Island, which is sold at low rates, both to manufacturers and for domestic use. The big man of Calgary is of course, Pat Burns, who owns and controls the largest meat packing concern in Canada. He is a rancher of more than ordinary repute, having 70,000 head continually grazing on the plains of the Western provinces. He is on a larger scale to Calgary what Frank Oliver was in earlier days to Edmonton. The city is beautifully situated on the junction of the Bow and Elbow rivers. Here the westbound tourist usually gains his first glimpse of the snow-crowned Rockies, gleaming through seventy-miles of sunshine in the clear transparent atmosphere, and dominating intervening tiers of foothills. They give one a thrill of pleasure after the long-continued vista of unbroken prairies over which one travels for a thousand miles. Calgary in the old days, and to a certain extent is yet, a ranching centre, as Alberta is more adapted for grazing and stock raising than farming. Although farming operations are becoming much more extensive than formerly. This region was formerly the winter home of countless herds of bison, which always came thither from the south on the approach of severe weather, and found here ample sustenance. Had they remained in a more southern latitude, where rains and thaws harden the snow and ice they would have perished. This would have been, however, merely an anticipation of their actual fate. In vain did they obey migratory instinct, after the arrival of the "pale face" on the scene. The Indian had hunted them for food, but could make little impression on the millions which then roamed the plains. It was reserved for the civilized white man to wantonly destroy them. We are glad however, to know that under the protection now given them they are increasing in number—there having been 535 calves dropped last spring in the Wainwright herd alone. There are now in Canada between four and five thousand of these splendid animals and there is every reason to believe that in a few years they will again be numbered by tens of thousands.

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The principal reason why Alberta and other portions of this region have so mild a climate, although about eight hundred miles north of Walkerton, is that the warm air currents rising from the Pacific ocean are gradually denuded of all moisture in their passage over the Rock Mountains, and finally descend on these plains as mild, dry winds, to which the Indian tribal name, "Chinook" is popularly given. These clear away the light snow by evaporation, without, however, either thawing it or leaving behind the slightest trace of dampness. How rapidly the snow disappears before a "chinook" may be illustrated by the experience retailed by an old timer, all the details of which I am unable to vouch for. He was coming from Banff to Calgary with a span of cayuses and a set of sleighs. On reaching Morley, forty miles out, a "chinook" came up behind him. With a great presence of mind he lashed up his horses and was just able to keep the front hubs on the snow all the way in.

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The province of Alberta is extensive in the range of her products. There is farming of all types, but coal areas, as well as oil, gas, asphalt, gypsum, and other products, are only on the threshold of development. Great belts of land in Southern Alberta, once considered too dry for farming, are, by the the Canadian Pacific Railway and other processes, coming under successful cultivation. The ranch is giving away to the farm in many localities.

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While in Calgary our party received a very kind invitation from Hon. Duncan Marshall, Minister of Agricultural, to visit him at "Elderslie" his 800 acre farm near Olds, so called after his native township in Bruce county, which was very heartily accepted. Accompanied by Mr. David Smith, one of Mr. Marshall's ardent political supporters, we motored out and for a day and a half enjoyed the unbounded hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall. At "Elderslie" may be found one of the finest Shorthorn herds in Alberta, or for that matter in the Dominion of Canada, as Mr. Marshall specializes in Shorthorns and has in his byres animals which he values at not less than $5000 per head.

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While Alberta has done well by Mr. Marshall, he has done more for Alberta in raising the agricultural standard of the province. Since accepting office about eight years ago, he has advanced the standard of the stock of the province to a remarkable degree by importing under his personal supervision the very best animals that he could obtain in the older provinces, in fact, the standard has already attained such eminence that there is danger of it being impaired by the fabulous prices which are being offered for the choicest animals by American buyers.

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In Alberta the Department of Agriculture believes that the teaching of agriculture can be imparted to a larger number of students, and more efficiently by the establishment of schools in convenient localities than by the founding of a college in one centre and provision has been made eventually for the establishment of seven of these schools while three are at present in operation. We had the pleasure of visiting the school at Olds, where a two years' course in given in agriculture. In addition a course is given in manual training, consisting of barn construction, forge work in blacksmithing and such other work as is useful on the farm. So popular is the work of these schools that the capacity is taxed to its utmost each term. Domestic Science is not neglected and it is said that great efficiency is developed by some of the students after a few month's training.

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In conversation with a leading critic of the opposition while at Edmonton we were informed that the Department of Agriculture was one of the best administered departments in the government. This gentleman said that while he regarded Mr. Marshall as a partisan that he did not carry his partisanship into his department. He surrounded himself with the strongest men available with the result that when the department was under fire in the House it was an easy task to defend it.

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Apart from his executive ability, Mr. Marshall is an incisive and pungent speaker and a General [illegible] for the opponent [illegible] running for him, as he [illegible] wing-shots that ever hunted in the Alberta Legislature. Old Liberals out there are still chuckling over his first meeting with R. B. Bennett, the rocky-mountain tornado. R.B. like Goliath of old, had been going up and down the lines stalking the hosts of Liberals and there was no one to stay his advance until one

FORMER WALKERTON BOY



LIEUT. NORMAN W. HELWIG

Son of Mr and Mrs. Wm. Helwig of Hanover, reported missing on Sept. 27th.

KILLED IN ACTION



PTE. G. W. JERMYN

Only son of Sheriff and Mrs. D. M. Jermyn of Wiarton.

night Marshall met him in a school house not far from the city of Calgary. Bennett conscious of his prowess was unusually reckless in his statements and biting his references to the newcomer whom he tried to associate with all the evils of the Ross regime in Ontario. When Bennett sat down there was a sullenness on the part of the Liberals who had so often been victims of his pointed phrases. When Marshall had introduced himself and got going they began to sit up and take notice. Soon, however, they broke out in thunderous applause as Marshall followed hammer stroke and beat his opponent until he remained only a thing of shreds and patches. He metaphorically nailed him to the cross and crucified him. Bennett vainly tried to interrupt him, but the sympathy of the crowd was against him, and maddened into fury under the stinging castigation, he stalked from the hall in high dudgeon and from that day to this has not crossed the path of the Minister of Agriculture on the hustings.

Take It Home

We presume that many people think the newspaper man are persistent duns, as they keep reiterating "look at the label on your paper," "move up the date," "you are back on your subscription," "pay what you owe," "pay up," etc. Now let a farmer or a business man place himself in a similar position and see if he would not do the same. Suppose the farmer raises a crop of one thousand bushels of wheat and his neighbor should buy a bushel, and the price was two dollars or less, and the neighbor says, "I will pay you the sum in a few days." As the farmer doesn't want to be small in the matter of small things, he says, "all right." Another comes in the same way until the whole of the one thousand bushels are gone out to the one thousand different persons. No one purchaser concerns himself about it, and, of course, that could not help him any. He does not realize that the farmer has frittered away his crop of wheat in little dribs, and that he is seriously embarrassed in his business, because his debtors treat it as a small matter. But if all would pay him promptly, which they could do as well as not, it would enable him to carry on his business without difficulty. The above comparison is too true to the difficulties that a newspaper man has to contend with.

THE LATEST WHEEZE

When your head is blazing, burning,
And your brain within is turning
Into buttermilk from churning,
It's the Flu.

When your joints are creaking, cracking,
As if all the fiends were racking,
All the devils were attacking,
It's the Flu.

Chorus
It's the Flu, Flu, Flu!
Which has you, you, you;
It has caught you and it's got you,
And it sticks like glue.
It's the very latest fashion,
It's the doctor's pet and passion,
So answer a hit,
And when you hit—
Ka-choo! you chew!

When your stomach grows uneasy,
Qualms of nervulous and queasy,
All dyspepsia and diseasy,
It's the Flu.

When you have appendicitis,
Par-en-chy-ma-tous-neu-phri-tis,
Laryngitis or gastritis,
It's the Flu.

When you have a cure, or pimple,
Complicated ill, or simple,
Broken bone or fading dimple,
It's the Flu

When no matter what assails you,
If no doctor knows what ails you,
Then the answer never fails you,
It's the Flu

A 160TH SOLDIER

Gives Graphic Account of the Canadians Magnificent Push Through The Hindenburg Line

One of the most interesting pen pictures we have seen of the Canadian's push forward in France is by a young Bruce County soldier now recuperating from shrapnel wounds in England. He writes:—

My Dear Mother and All:—

Although I dropped you a card this morning, I thought I should follow it with a letter just to let you know I am not at all seriously hurt. While it is fresh in my mind I might just as well give you an account of my three weeks with the Battalion. Well, we joined the Battalion the day after the Canadians started the advance on the Amiens front. That was August 9th. We followed some distance in the rear of the attacking line and saw some very gruesome sights, not so bad once one gets used to it. On the twelfth of August we were lined up about a mile in front of a place called Fequescourt and our objective was the trench beyond the town. About four p. m. we started through the 1st. division and started on our own. The first piece was good sailing, having nothing but a few machine gun posts to kick over. Conditions changed as the town was nearing. Old Fritz had not only placed machine guns at every window, but the artillery showered us with shells. Our artillery unable to keep up the advance was unable to answer him back. It was then that I realized that there was a war on and that I was in the midst of it. It was a matter of running from one shell hole to another, taking a chance on the machine gun bullets, that clipped off the grass all around. However, about seven we were in the town and soon cleared it of lurking snipers. We held it for a day until relieved. I do not know how any of us came out alive. We had one hundred and seventy men on the start and came out with seventy. Nearly all our officers were knocked out except Captain Rowland, one of our old officers who was in charge of C. Company. Now we went into support trenches and held them for about six days. I managed to get some souvenirs here such as an automatic revolver, belt and and Prussian guard's cap, but as they are in pack now, I guess I'll never see them. Our division got word to pull out for a month's rest and to re-organize. We began to march in the evening. The moon was shining bright and all went well overhead. I must admit I did feel shaky then, because bombs are an awful affair. Soon we heard a crash and a bomb dropped in the midst of the battalion behind us. Next morning we found out that twenty-three had been killed and forty wounded, among which were three of our lads who had been to Seaford with us. One was killed and two wounded. We stayed there for a day in a big bush and entrained that evening. Next morning we arrived at our destination feeling pretty tired from sleeping almost two deep in a box car. Carriages awaited us and to our surprise we found that the Canadians were mixed up in the scrap again. That night we stayed in supports and the same place for three days dodging shells.

On Sunday evening we began our six miles march to the line. Shells and bombs were awful thick and we lost about a dozen men getting to our position. At 4 a. m., we got in shell holes about two hundred yards behind our front line. We were supposed to get supper and breakfast there, but on account of Jerry putting up so many flares we were unable to. At 5 a.m., the barrage started and it certainly was one. Eighty miles along the front all the artillery opened up at once, and if the earth trembled, it didn't have anything over me. In half an hour we began to advance following our own barrage. The battalion ahead of us had quite a struggle, and after they took a small village we took their place. Prisoners were coming in in bunches. After we had advanced two kilometers (1¼ miles) we came across the Hindenburg line of trenches, littered with wire and well supplied with machine guns. The tanks began crawling over the wire and we followed. My section that had been ten strong was down to three. Three having been killed and the rest wounded. We felt like scrapping and no one got any mercy. We hadn't advanced far until a big shell lit at my feet. I guess I went down, but the next thing I knew I was laying on a stretcher being carried along by four Fritzies. At first I thought I had been taken prisoner but a Scottie told me I was alright. There was plenty of blood around, but I was suffering from a shrapnel cut in my nose. I had two pieces of shrapnel in my leg, so will have an operation later. I got off the stretcher because they were going too slow, as the shells were coming thick. Although I [illegible] I took a-

about twenty Huns out with [illegible] fact I made them take turn[illegible] ing me on horse-back whe[illegible] got sore. You talk about [illegible] They are as thick as Ca[illegible] being used for carrying [illegible] ed. At the dressing [illegible] bandaged up and give[illegible] some chocolate and [illegible] Y.M.C.A., and start[illegible] gain.

In passing let m[illegible] Y.M.C.A. is the [illegible] ing, and if you ever hear [illegible] one running it, do en[illegible] me. Fearless of [illegible] pitch their tent right [illegible] line to give away tea, [illegible] arolles and cake to [illegible] Well, we got loaded [illegible] and were taken down [illegible] dian Clearing Station [illegible] wounds were seen to [illegible] another feed we were [illegible] bing. Here we were [illegible] ed and sorted out. [illegible] was at the end of [illegible] very much pleased [illegible] ed to take train. [illegible] we entrained and [illegible] eats were fed and [illegible] been up we were at our destination [illegible] fero's Hospital. We got as far as to the hospital. I was [illegible] how that we would stop [illegible] ing that I had done [illegible] After going to bed and [illegible] wounds redressed, the [illegible] around. He looked [illegible] asked me how it [illegible] fale I told was enough, [illegible] wounds to convince him, [illegible] n sick chicken. Without hesitation he said to the nurse, "Shall I [illegible] him L. or D?" She said [illegible] thought "D" meant "dose" or [illegible] thing like that. After he was [illegible] the chap along side and as [illegible] are tres bond for "Blighty" [illegible] that I would go to England to believe him but joked long. That evening along [illegible] khaki for Blighty. I [illegible] danced the Highland [illegible] leg and all, as I knew [illegible] way from the hosh for [illegible] the morning we took [illegible] went to Calais. The [illegible] ing so we were across [illegible] eight. The mail was [illegible] joyed it. "After a r[illegible] we landed here at [illegible] pect to go to a [illegible] somewhere to-morrow. [illegible] an address to-morrow [illegible] hurry now as I have to [illegible] outfit of khaki, also [illegible] ing all jokes aside, [illegible] thankful I am here, although [illegible] n't long over there. If [illegible] Hilde to go to your closet [illegible] but believe me everyone [illegible] prays earnestly when so [illegible] is impossible for one to [illegible]

An Expensive Stamp

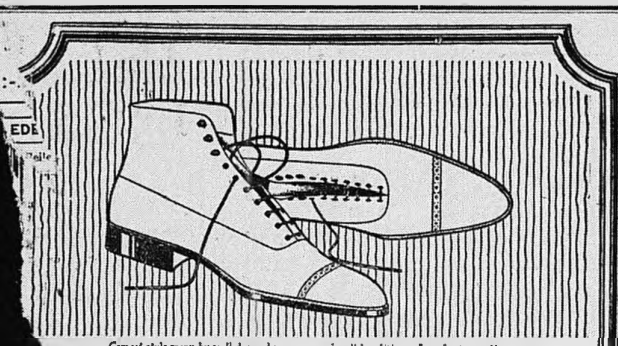
Deputy Post Office Inspector [illegible] in town on Tuesday prosecuting [illegible] John Sproll, of Culross for using previously used postage stamp on [illegible] letter that had been cancelled at [illegible] Milson's Bank Cheque or note [illegible] some previous occasion. The [illegible] fendant had written the [illegible] saying the stamp had been [illegible] by some person who he did [illegible] know. After much controversy [illegible] inadmissible statements, etc. the [illegible] fendant was fined $10.00 and [illegible] by Mr. J. K. McLain, Justice [illegible] Peace, which would bring [illegible] of that two cent stamp up [illegible] —Clifford Express.

W. M. S. Convention

The Walkerton District Convention [illegible] of the Woman's Missionary Society, which was held here recently, was one of the best conventions which has been held for some time. Delegates [illegible] from Paisley, Port Elgin, Southampton, Chesley, Elmwood and Hanover, a number of about sixty attended. Ladies of the Walkerton Auxiliary [illegible] turned out in full force. The morning and evening sessions were well attended and were interesting, instructive and helpful. The principal addresses were given by Mrs. W. W. Prudham of Wiarton, Mrs. J. A. Jackson of Hanover, Mrs. Walker of Paisley, Mrs. Carder of Chesley, Miss Tasker of Port Forest. At the evening meeting the Methodist choir rendered excellent music and a Solo by Miss Curtis, an Irish Solo by Mr. Pratt, and a Trio by Madames Armstrong, Clarke and Sproull. Hanover added greatly to the success of the meeting. Collections amounted to $19.06 Miss Ralston was elected Organizer for next year.

AS JOHNNY VIEWS IT

Ma's a vegeterian.
Pa's a faith-cur-ist.
Uncle John, he says he's an Anti-imperyalist,
Sister Sue's a Wagner crank,
Brother Will plays golf,
Gran'pa tells us what he [illegible]
Fer to cute his cough.
Cousin Jen writes poetry,
Tells us what she's wrote.
Aunt Lavina always claims
Wimmen ought to Vote,
I go out in the back yard
Soon as I'ev commenced,
Me 'n my dog's the only [illegible]
What's got any sense.



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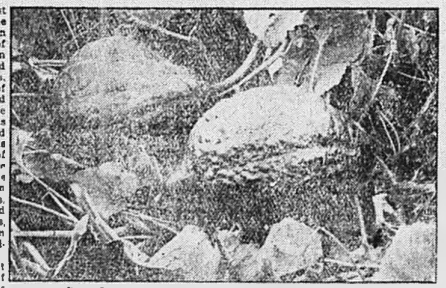


Wheat on one of the Veterans' Farms, near Tilley, Alberta.

WHAT surprises a person most when travelling through the irrigated areas of Southern berta is the wonderful variety of ops that can be successfully grown ere, their abundant yields, and ir excellent quality. Wheat, oats, ley and flax, the standard crops of e Canadian West grow there and e as heavy yields as anywhere else a the continent. Alfalfa thrives as does nowhere else in Canada, and literally making fortunes for its rowers. By the application of water the crops of clover and the many varieties of nutritious tame grasses are multiplied manifold. In the gardens vegetables of all kinds, including those that are associated with hotter climes, such as tomatoes, melons, squashes, grow in the open so well as to indicate great possibilities in this direction.

Wheat, of course, is the dominant crop there as it is in those areas of Western Canada where irrigation is not practised. Oats, barley and flax are also grown extensively. The yields of all these grains compare very favorably with those in any other part of the west. Crops of wheat this season that have been properly irrigated are averaging thirty bushels to the acre. Some crops will thresh as high as forty bushels or more to the acre. The yields of other grains are equally as good. Grain growing under irrigation brings ample returns to the farmer, especially when it is considered that uniform results may be looked for every year.

But, yielding such good returns as the growing of grain does, other crops that may be grown under irrigation are possibly still more profitable, and it seems reasonable to suppose that in years to come the growing of grain in districts where a water supply is available will be to some extent reserved to enable larger areas to be put into other crops. Land that will produce up to seven hundred bushels of potatoes, of a quality that brings the best prices, on which the most desirable kinds, yielding forty to sixty bushels to the acre are being grown, where sugar beets of high sugar content thrive, where pumpkins of enormous size and excellent flavor, cantaloupes, ripened up gives considerably larger watermelons, tomatoes, cucumbers, squashes, etc., flourish, to say nothing of plant upon to the highest degree of cauliflowers and cabbages, early and late work industry. Horses, cattle, hogs, and all varieties, carrots, for sheep and pigs all like it. Combined with beets, all kinds of beans and with oats, barley, the clovers and many other vegetables flourish and grasses which grow abundantly in which produce the most delicious Southern Alberta, alfalfa enables the strawberries, raspberries, Ranch Irrigation farmer to give his stock berries and other small fruits this the best balanced feed possible. He land will, no doubt, be used to grow is thus able to get the most milk more of these things in the future, from his cows, the most wool from especially when labor conditions are his sheep, and to have his cattle, pigs and lambs ready for market in the earliest possible time. No wonder these lines are the basis of there is prosperity wherever alfalfa which alfalfa is the king. Contrary grows.



Squash grown with Irrigation at Brooks, Alberta.

as a widespread The advantage to the farmer of a but fruit growing and truck gardening on a diversity of crops cannot be too ing, but to the growth of fodder crops steadily emphasized. He is able to that the greater portion of the irri- make his plans for the future with table lands in the United States greater certitude. He can devote his devoted. The large yields of alfalfa called attention to crops that remun- that are being obtained in Southern erate him best. He is not greatly in- Alberta under irrigation account the fluenced by the fluctuations of the production of the farmer who is able one year or an important place in the to utilize the water from the mighty crop of alfalfa down others are likely to be up. It then makes for greater rain streams on his land. Certainly stabilization of his efforts, and as- are the yields of alfalfa large, but sures him of a regular and steady in- such an extent that any other crop come year after year. grown on the land after it has been.

J. C.

News About Town

Save to buy Victory Bonds.

Victory Bonds Buy Food and Bullets!

Mr. Roy Hedgel of Owen Sound spent the week-end with friends here.

Bears in the neighborhood of Angus, Simcoe County, have a social way with them. They fraternize with cows and climb trees for beech nuts. During the last three weeks five bears have been killed by Mr. Roy McKinnon on his father's farm, Nottawasaga Flats, four miles from Angus.

Mrs. Lorne A. Eedy had word that her brother, Trooper Max Wilson came safely through the hard fighting on the Canadians' Front but is now in the hospital with a badly sprained knee caused by falling while loaded with machine gun ammunition during a recent push forward.

Wounded In Head

A telegram received by Mrs. N. Garland of Pinkerton on Saturday said that her son, Pte. Gordon Garland had been admitted to the 13th. Gen. Hospital at Canteres on Sept. 28th. with gunshot wound in the head. Gordon was one of the 160th. Bruce Batt'n boys.

Making Good Progress

Mr. Thomas Donoahue had a letter this week from his son, Arthur, who has been in Hospital in England for several weeks, saying that the splints have been taken from his knee and he is making good progress towards recovery. Mr. Donoahue's other son Tom, is now on his way to Siberia.

Herb Henderson Recovering

Major Henderson had a letter from his son, Lieut. Herb Henderson stating that his leg is getting along fine although he has to go on crutches. He and Capt. Roy Whitehead are both patients at the Prince of Wales Hospital, Marylebone London, Eng., and he and Roy were out for a "joy-ride" together lately.

Sunday School Convention

The Ontario Sunday School Association will hold their Fifty-third Annual Convention in Massey Hall Toronto October 22nd. to 25th. and the indications are it will surpass in excellence previous gatherings. Miss Margaret Slattery of Boston, a well known Sunday School expert, has been secured, and will deliver six lectures. Miss Slatery's reputation as a platform speaker entitles her to rank as the world's most forceful and thrilling woman lecturer. In addition to this noted lady, among others the following have been secured—Dr. Geo. C. Pidgeon, Toronto; Mrs. M. J. Babkin, Chicago, Ill. Superintendent of the Children's Division, International Sunday School Association; Mr. Preston G. Orwig, Philadelphia, Pa well known a few years ago as an Ontario Sunday School enthusiast in Boys' Work; Dr. Henry Dickie, Chatham. Special music will be featured at the convention by Professors Excell and Roper. In the planning of this convention the idea in mind has been to make it effective as a contributing force in connection with the Sunday School's relation to "Canada's new Day."

SCOUTS! ALERT!

The Scouts are busy these days working on the soil getting funds for the troop. One boy came to meeting last week and asked if he might join, he belonged to the R. C. Church and thought he was not eligible.

A Scout-master cannot refuse any boy who wishes to become a Scout as the Scout movement is undenominational, the boy must attend some place of worship also attend Sunday School, and any boy wishing to join the Scouts must get permission from those in authority over him. Every boy must do his best to live up to the "Scout Law"

1. A Scout's honour is to be trusted.
2. A Scout is loyal to the King and to His Officers, to his Parents, his Country and to his Employers.
3. A Scout's duty is to be useful and to help others.
4. A Scout is a friend to All, and a brother to every other Scout no matter to what social class the other belongs.
5. A Scout is courteous.
6. A Scout is a friend to Animals.
7. A Scout obeys orders of his Parents, Patrol leaders or Scout-masters without question.
8. A Scout smiles and whistles under all difficulties.
9. A Scout is thrifty.
10. A Scout is clean in word, thought and deed.

The above Scout-laws are the fundamental principle of the Boy Scout Movement and has been the means of establishing the movement to its present high standing.

It is the best movement for boys as it tends to make them useful, manly spirited, thoughtful boys who are able to do things willingly for the good of others. I shall be glad to welcome any boys from 12 yrs. upwards for the Scouts and boys from 9 yrs. to 12 yrs. for the Cubs.

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The patterns and color effects include greys, browns, olive and blues and in price range from $10.00 to $27.50.

And while we're talking Overcoats we want to mention materials. You would have to go far to equal them, in fact we know that they're the best that can be bought. Belted styles for the young men and the ulster styles for more conservative.

Men's Fine Wool Sweaters

Conserve heat—keep warm with one of these All Wool Sweaters.

Perfect Knit Sweaters, a flat knit, close woven dressy line of sweaters in small checks or with plain bodies and fancy checked collar, fronts and pockets. Made of extra fine all wool yarns, roll collar and snug knit cuffs. Colors navy, brown, maroon, grey and black and white. Extra values at $6.50 to $8.50.

Boys' Overcoats

Belted styles for boys of 4 to 17 years. Heavy warm cloths made in the very newest style. $5.00, $6.50 to $16.50.

Boys' Suits

4 to 17 years. Neat tweed effects in greys and browns. Particularly attractive in style. $5.00, $6.50, $8.00 to $13.50.

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Splendid assortment of patterns in Tweeds and worsteds. Navy, Cheviot and Botany Serge. Suits at $12.00, $14.50, $19.00 to $27.50.

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OCTOBER OFFERINGS!

Our Fall and Winter Stocks are now complete. You will be more than pleased when you see the splendid selection.

We might specially mention some new arrivals in Ladies and Misses Coats this week. They are lovely warm Coats and dressy to a degree, graceful fitting made in various fashionable materials, Velours, Bros cloth, Cheviot, Blanket Cloth, Tweed Effects Plush.

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J. H. APPEL PHONE 53

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NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Victory Bonds Buy Food and Bullets!

Mrs. Archie Todd, accompanied by her niece Mrs. H. R. Todd of Vancouver B. C. spent Thanksgiving at Guelph.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Freeman, and Miss Marjorie, Mrs. Burton and two sons, Harvey and Wesley, and Mrs. Tucker, all of Toronto motored up from the city and spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. George Carbert. The three ladies of the party are sisters of Mrs Carbert.

Expected Home Soon

Mrs. Merchant received a letter from her husband on Monday saying that he is now in a London Hospital, Eng. doing fine. He was wounded on the 15th. August, receiving a gunshot wound half an inch from his back bone, penetrating through the left lung and came out under his left arm. Three of his ribs on the left side were also broken. Pte. Merchant hopes that he will soon be sent home to see his little son whom he has not yet seen.

Women Teacher's Ass'n of East Bruce

At the East Bruce Teachers' Convention last week the Women Teachers organized an Association to be known as "The Women Teachers' Association of East Bruce" and affiliated with the "Ontario Federation of Women Teachers Association". Officers for this year are:—President—Miss J. Stead, Walkerton,—Sec'y-Treas. Miss E. Schwalm, Mildmay. Miss Stead was appointed delegate to the Executive Committee of the Federation, which meets in Toronto at the O. E. A. next Easter week. The organization will have about 10,000 members, and one of its aims is to ask the government for legislation to fix an adequate minimum salary with a proper recognition of experience in fixing the salary schedule.

FOR SALE

A two-storey brick cottage in West Ward, hard and soft water, good cellar, cement stable, large poultry house and fruit trees with 1¼ acre lot. Two acre lot on west hill partly seeded, three-quarter acre lot good orchard, also one and one-half acres partly seeded, with small barn. All good clay loam. Will sell all together or separately. For further particulars apply Box A. Telescope.

Brant Court Of Revision

Notice is hereby given that a court will be held pursuant to the Ontario Voters' Lists Act by His Honor, the Judge of the County Court of the County of Bruce, at the Township Hall Bract, on Monday 28th. day of October 1918, at two o'clock to hear and determine complaints of errors and omissions in the voters' list of the municipality of the Township of Brant for the year 1919.

Dated the 15th. day of October 1918.

M. A. McCallum,
Clerk of the Municipality.

Mrs. Hamel of Mildmay was a Thanksgiving visitor at Mr. Walter Widmeyer's.

Mr. and Mrs. William Webber, West Ward, are reported to be dangerously ill with pneumonia following influenza. Three of their children are also sick in bed.

With so much peace-talk in the air, Mrs. John Addis, who has had several matrimonial rows ventilated in police court lately decided on Monday to bury the tomahawk and return home to her lonely spouse. The dove of peace now hovers over the Addis home.

Two Deaths From Flu

Two deaths occurred from Spanish Influenza in this vicinity the past week. On Wednesday, the 9th. inst. John Wilkin, con. 9, Brant, died in his forty second year. On Friday, Egert, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Miller, con. 10, Carrick, passed away in his 16th year.

Robt. Walton Promoted

Mr. Robert Walton, a former Walkerton engineer, and son-in-law of Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Sanderson, who has been rapidly stepping up the ladder in the C. P. R. service, has received a further promotion. He is to leave Toronto, where he has been one of the District Master Mechanics to go to Farnham, a district centre 40 miles east of Montreal, at a splendid increase in salary. Mr. Walton's many old friends here will be glad to learn of this further recognition of his ability. The exact nature of his new position has not yet been learned here.

SCOUTS! ALERT!

No meetings are being held until this Influenza epidemic abates. What lucky children! nothing but holidays and the best of it they never get tired of them. Now, Scouts, you have lots of time to practice what you have learnt, get well up in your knot tying and trail marks also learn the Scout Law off by heart. The first law of a Scout as you know:—A Scout's honour is to be trusted. This means a lot to any boy especially a Scout as a Boy Scout's word is never doubted. When a Scout says on my honour as a Scout it is so, it is most reliable because as far as his Knowledge it is so and his word is never doubted. A Scout always looks straight in the eyes of the person addressing him and is not afraid to speak the truth. I remember an incident that occurred on Everton Football Grounds, Liverpool, where there was a Boy Scout Rally. Somewhere over 15,000 Scouts assembled and Sir Robt. and Lady Baden Powell were there. 8 One troop built a bridge with staves and Lady Powell brought Sir Robt. to look at it. She doubted if it was safe. Sir Robt. said it was and told her never to doubt a Scout. With that he ran over the bridge to prove his words. You can trust a thief but never a liar as you do not know when they are telling the truth. When you learn the Scout Laws you will find every one has a big meaning.

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Men's Underwear
Woolen Underwear, special clearance for this week at $1.25 each.

Plaid Dressgoods
New Ranges of Plaid Dressgoods just in, Ranging from 95c. to $1.75 per yd.

Children's Underwear
Specials in Fleece lined Underwear at 69c per garment.

Ladies' Underwear
Ladies' Fall Underwear, special at 69c. each.

Ladies Silk Crepe DeChene waists in Maize, Pink and White, made in the latest styles with Bead trimming, special at $4.75.

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Broke Collar-bone

The five year old daughter of Mr. Joseph Lippert 25th. sideroad, Brant, had the misfortune to fall off a wagon on Saturday and break her collar-bone.

Hurt By Stone

Leo Weiler, the 17 year old son of John Weiler, was hit on the head by a stone on Monday night sustaining a rather bad scalp-wound. He was standing on the sidewalk in front of the house on McGivern St. when the stone hit him and it is not known who threw the missile.

Critically Ill.

Mr. Frank X. Schnurr's 14 year old son, Wilfred, is very ill with influenza and there is reported to be only slight prospect of his recovery.

The body of Mr. Mac Gibson's little dog, "Sport", was found one day last week in a hedge where the little fellow had died from a dose of poison given him by some unfeeling individual. "Sport" had been a great family pet for years.

George Smith Wounded

Mr. Clarence Smith had word on Saturday that his son, George, had been badly wounded in France on Oct. 7th. The telegram stated that he had received gunshot wounds in his left leg, thigh and lower extremities and had been admitted to the 20th. General Hospital at Camieres; France. George, who is but 19 years of age, went Overseas last winter. His father cabled for further particulars but has had no reply yet.

Dr. Fraser Weds

Lt.-Col. (Dr.) J. H. Fraser D. S. O. who recently returned home from Overseas after four years service in France, was quietly married at Ottawa on Thanksgiving Day, Oct. 14th. to Miss Georgie Beach McCullough, of Ottawa. The bride, who was formerly Supt. of the Ottawa Hospital, served as a nursing sister in France where she also won decorations. It was in the forward area in France that the Doctor and his bride first met. After the ceremony Col. and Mrs. Fraser left for Winnipeg, where the former is to have charge of the largest military hospital in Canada, to occupy the Agricultural College buildings.

Wounded In Neck

Mrs. Pinkney of Maple Hill had a telegram on Monday, stating that her son, Earl R. Pinkney had been admitted to the 22nd. General Hospital at Camieres, France on October 12th., with a gunshot wound in the neck. Mrs. Pinkney has cabled for further particulars. Earl enlisted at Regina early last year. He went Overseas last December and has been with the 18th. Can. Batt'n. in France. A letter received from him yesterday said that he was on duty nearly all the time and found it hard to write. Both he and his brother, Stewart, of the 4th. Can. Machine Gun Batt'n. have been in the thick of the heavy fighting.

KILLED IN ACTION



PTE. WILL CARSON

Former Walkerton boy who fell in Canadians' big drive in August.

Ed Erdman In Hospital

Mrs. Erdman heard on Saturday from Ottawa that her son, Ed. had been admitted to the 54th. Gen. Hospital at Aubenque, France with a fractured shin-bone. Ed. who belongs to the Signallers, has been working on telephone construction in the forward area.

Flu Hits Hello Girls

The local Bell Telephone office has been hard hit by the Flu. The large amount of sickness throughout the district has multiplied the number of phone calls and these have had to be handled by the depleted staff. Those of the Walkerton staff laid off by the epidemic so far are: Misses Jarvis and Garner, and Messrs. Northgrave, Rankin and Mullin.

Horse Runs Amuck

A horse belonging to Mr. William Morgan of Brant broke out of the stable at Dunkeld, where its owner had gone to get some cider, quickly hoofed it to Walkerton all unknown to its master, and celebrated the end of a perfect day by falling through a hundred dollar plate glass window in Mr. E. Weber's store. The animal came running down Colborne St. past the side of the post office, going so fast that it could hardly turn the corner. An auto was parked in front of the Bank of Commerce and in avoiding the car, the horse ran over the side-walk, slipped and fell sprawling. Its hind feet went through the large plate glass window smashing a big hole in it. The animal seemed stunned at first and lay quiet until Chief Ferguson and others helped to get it up. The animal was found to be unhurt although very much tamed down by its strenuous experience.

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NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Eight pages of news.

Miss Isabelle Wisser has been ill with the grippe.

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Miss Minnie Kerney spent the week-end at Southampton.

The cost of newspaper has increased 97 per. cent since the war began.

Mr. Geo. D. McKay was laid up a few days this week with a bad cold.

Mr. John Erdman, who has been laid up with the grippe is almost well again.

Miss Rankin has returned from a two weeks' visit to friends at Port Elgin.

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Mr. Stewart of the Bank of Commerce staff, has been off with the grippe.

Mayor Johnston's children have all been sick with the grippe but are now recovering.

Mr. N. F. Davidson K. C of Toronto will be crown prosecutor at the Assizes here on Nov. 22nd.

Mr. Frank Antonio and two children are quite recovered from a serious attack of the grippe.

Mr. Bryden, of the Agricultural Dept. is able to be out again after a week's siege of the Flu.

Messrs. Jack and Archie Fraser were both taken down with pneumonia last week following an attack of grippe.

Miss Jean Stewart of Winnipeg who has been attending school in Toronto is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Jno. McLean.

Miss Elizabeth Wilson, sister of Mrs. Lorne A. Eedy, is acting as principal of Essex High School for the Autumn term.

Miss Rankin of Paisley and Miss Moore of Portland who were visitors at Principal Rankin's returned home last week.

Miss Ruby Norrish who teaches near Sarnia, is visiting at her home here, her school being closed owing to the influenza epidemic.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lemke were visitors at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Siegmiller on Saturday but were called home by the news of the sudden death of the former's mother at Kitchener.

Mrs. (Dr.) Lane and infant son of New York arrived here last Thursday to stay with Mrs. Lane's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. McCrum for a time while her husband is on Military service with the American Medical Corps.

Some miscreant got into N. P. Schmidt's cornfield near the Station one night recently and knocked over the corn which had been stood up in shocks. Mr. Schmidt has an idea who did the damage and proposes to make it hot for him.

"The Fighting Macs of Bruce", an article recently sent home from the Front by Corp. W. E Elliott, formerly of the London Free Press, is being reproduced widely. Last week the Buffalo Courier published in full this tribute to Bruce's fighting men.

Local news on all 8 pages.

Miss Jennie Long, teacher of Orills, is home with an attack of in Influenza.

Dr. W. A. Hall is able to be out again after a rather severe attack of influenza.

Mr. John Frieburger, who had a severe attack of grippe last week is able to be on the job again.

Mrs. Burrows has rented Mr. C. Patrick's vacant flat on Colborne St. and moved in this week.

Miss Eleanor McGarity is home from Richmond Hill for a week or so, her school being closed owing to the Flu.

Mel Kuin, has bought the Pryne cottage, a neat property in the East Ward, from Mr. Wm. Fryne of Brantford.

Mr. Garfield Kramp was taken very sick with influenza a few hours after his wedding on Monday and is still confined to his bed.

Mrs. Little returned last week from Chatham where she had been with her sister, Mrs. Gray, during her last illness.

Charles Petteplace of the Can. Bank of Commerce, Niagara Falls, was home the past week recovering from an attack of the Flu

Clayton Tovell, who is firing on the G. T. R. between Guelph and Hamilton, has been home the past week with an attack of Flu.

Mr. S. T. Ranton, proprietor of the Palmerston Creamery and Mrs. Ranton, attended the funeral of the late Alex. Grant on Saturday.

Mr. Walter Harris, Manager of the Bell Telephone Co. at Owen Sound, was the guest of Manager Mr. C. B. Robinson last Wednesday.

Mr. J. V. Scanlan of the Brantford Collegiate Staff, is home for a few days on account of the School being closed by the Flu epidemic.

Mr. James Gowanlock's family have all been laid up with the grippe the past week but we are glad to report that all are now on the mend.

Miss Northgrave of Port Elgin is here nursing her brother, Walter, who is confined to his bed at the Queen's Hotel with an attack of influenza.

Miss Florence Cunningham, one of the local V. A. D's who has been helping to nurse Influenza patients was taken sick with the influenza on Monday.

Mrs. Jos Wallace returned home on Saturday night from Paris, accompanied by a little grandson. Her daughter, Mrs. Ridley, who was so sadly bereaved by the death of her husband, is expected here on a visit the latter part of the week.

Cadet Edwin Day, who was up from Toronto last week visiting at Mr. Frank Rennie's was saddened to find on his return to the City that his chum who had accompanied him east from Vancouver had taken the Flu during his absence and died.

Notice

The Annual meeting of the Walkerton Curling Club will be held at the Town Hall, on Tuesday, October 29th., at 8 p.m. F. H. Lucson, Sec.

On With the Campaign

The Victory Loan Campaign throughout Canada is to go on in spite of the Flu. This decision was definitely reached by the Dominion Executive on Tuesday.

Getting Better

The relatives of Pte. Donald Bell of Glamis, had good news from the record office on Sunday. A previous message stated that he was seriously ill. Sunday's telegram said "no longer seriously ill."

Died of Pneumonia

A sad death occurred in Greenock, on Wednesday, October 17th., when Mrs. Andrew Frieberger, succumbed to an attack of influenza, followed by pneumonia. Deep sympathy is felt for the husband and four little motherless children.

Bert Hoover Wounded

Mr. Amos Hoover had a telegram from the Record office, Ottawa, on Monday morning stating "Sincerely regret inform you 3111021 Private Bertram] Harold Hoover infantry officially reported admitted Military Hospital Edmonton, London, Oct. 17th, gunshot wound right arm." Mr. Hoover's last letter from Bert, written in France, stated that he was well and fine, although still bothered somewhat by his old trouble, rheumatism. He did not mention the fighting, although he must have been in the Canadians' big drive. Bert, who is Mr. Hoover's only son, worked as a barber at Port Colborne before going Overseas.

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Bazaar Postponed

The I. O. D. E. Hallowe'en Bazaar which was advertised for Thursday ev'g next, has been postponed indefinitely.

Hurt By Fall

Mr. Bassie Kirstine's second boy, Lloyd, had his lip badly cut by a fall from a wagon on Monday. The doctor's services were required to fix him up.

Buys Farm Near Paisley

Mr. Alex. Coates, who has been working at the Knechtel factory, has the William Hyde farm of 140 acres at Ellengowan. The deal was put through by Mr. James Whitehead.

Killed In Action

Miss Joan Hyslop received word on Tuesday that her nephew, Pte. Wilbur Hyslop, formerly of Walkerton had been killed in action on Sept. 30th. Wilbur was about 27 years of age and enlisted in the West. His father, Mr. Thos. Hyslop now of Alberta, was at one time engineer at the Walkerton pumping house.

Soldiers Land Scheme

The Bruce Preparedness League has issued a prospectus outlining the Soldiers Settlement Scheme for Bruce Soldiers. As this matter is one of great importance to us and to our returned men, we are publishing the entire document in full on another page of this week's Telescope. We notice that any mention of Major Moffat's name in connection with the scheme is studiously avoided by the Committee. If the Major has one quarter of the intelligence we credit him with, he will take the hint.

The Town Streets

The Streets Committee has been doing its best the past season to make its small wartime expenditure count in keeping up the roadways, and according to Foreman John Smith, there has been more accomplished, considering the help available, than any year in his twenty years experience. The much needed improvement of the Cemetery road has been carried out, the three leading streets graded and gravelled at the worst places, and a fair amount of new sidewalks laid. Walkerton's streets will never be right until we have some good permanent roadway, but the raising, of debentures for such a purpose would not be permitted by the Provincial authorities until after the War.

Down With Pneumonia

Cadet Frank Moore of the R.A.F. is seriously ill of pneumonia at the Military Base Hospital at Toronto. His father, Engineer Moore of the C.P.R. was summoned to the City on Saturday and Mrs. Moore went down Sunday and is staying in the city. The latest report Tuesday night his condition was not so good. Cadet Moore, who had been home on leave, reported for duty on the 9th. inst. At that time his unit was under quarantine for the Flu, a large portion of the boys being down sick. His leave was not extended and he was soon down with the Flu like the rest of the boys, pneumonia following in its course. The action of the Military authorities in admitting him to a quarantined camp looks very peculiar from this end.

Kramp—Schnurr

A quiet but very pretty wedding took place at the R. C. Church on Monday morning, October 21st., when Bertha Antionette, youngest daughter of Mrs. Catherine Schnurr, was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Garfield Andrew Kramp, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Kramp of Hanover, Rev. Father Hoffarth officiating. The bride looked charming in a suit of navy blue serge and large picture hat, carrying a shower bouquet of bridal roses and maiden-hair fern. She was assisted by her friend Miss Jeane Miller, who also wore a blue suit and carried a pretty bouquet of pink roses and maiden hair fern. The groom was attended by Mr. Wilfrid Furteney of Hanover. The groom's gift to the bride was a beautiful black wolf fur, to the bridesmaid, a gold crescent set with pearls, and to the groomsman a pearl tie pin. After the ceremony the party returned to the bride's home where a sumptuous dinner was spread. The many beautiful and costly gifts showered upon them showed the high esteem in which the young couple are held.

NO REAL FLU HERE

Quite A Bit of Sickness In Walkerton But the Spanish Bug Hasn't Reached Here Yet and We Don't Want Him

The Flu epidemic has not yet reached Walkerton. There is a good deal of grippe and many have heavy colds but no case has yet been identified as Spanish Influenza. So far there have not been any deaths from the grippe.

The Board of Health has decided not to relax the precautions which have been taken to prevent the epidemic getting a foothold here. The Churches will remain closed Sunday and the Schools will remain closed until next Monday at least. A further meeting of the Board of Health is to be held Friday to decide whether the Churches, schools etc., will be closed longer than the present orders provide for.

The V.A.D's. have been doing good work but owing to the mild type of sickness their services have not been very much in demand the last few days. Only one V.A.D. was called for duty yesterday.

Schools and Churches Still Closed

The Board of Health has extended the closing of Schools, Churches, etc. for another week to Monday Oct. 28th. A meeting of the Board is to be held Friday when the date may be further extended until the worst of the Flu epidemic is over in this district.

Joins Medical Corps

Mr. Norman Robertson had word on Monday from his son, Dr. H. L. Robertson of Charleston, West Virgina, that he had received the appointment of a Captaincy in the American Medical Corps and would report for duty on November 1st. He expects to visit Walkerton on the 29th. before reporting for service.

Death of Alex Grant

Mr. Alex Grant, who had been ill since May last, passed away at his home on Yonge St. early Thursday morning, Oct. 17th. Death was due to jaundice. Mr. Grant was born at Larne, County Antrim, Ireland, fifty three years ago and came to this country at nineteen years of age, settling at Teeswater where he lived up to May, 1916. In the Old Country he learned shoemaker's trade and at of ore removing to Walkerton he worked as a mason, keeping a small shoe repair shop during the winter months. He was a man of quiet disposition, scrupulously honest and honourable in all his dealings and highly respected by all who knew him. During his last trying illness he bore up with patience and resignation. Besides his wife, he leaves a family of one son and three daughters. They are:—William Alexander, and Mrs. Robt. Scott of Teeswater, Charlotte and May at home. The funeral was held from his late residence on Saturday afternoon to Teeswater Cemetery. Service at the house was conducted by Rev. G. C. Rock and Rev W. H. Burgess and at Teeswater Cemetery by Rev. Mr. Bradley. A number of friends accompanied the remains to Teeswater by motor.

Death of Linas Harrison

Many Walkerton friends learned with deep regret of the death of Richard Linas W. Harrison, only son of the late Richard and Mrs. Harrison, of Walkerton. He passed away at Wellesley Hospital, Toronto last Thursday morning, after an attack of pneumonia. The previous week he had been laid up with Spanish Influenza but had seemingly recovered. He was up and around and caught more cold which quickly developed into pneumonia "Liney" was a fine big strapping fellow who had never known sickness and his sudden taking off in his 29th. year was a great shock to his relatives and many friends. "Liney" spent his boyhood years in Walkerton, played on the lacrosse team when Walkerton had a star line-up a few years ago and was a general favorite with the young folk. Eight years ago he went to Toronto and from then up to the time of his death he was with the Dunn-Hortop Co. latterly as a traveller. He was highly thought of by his firm and when he was taken ill they showed very great kindness. His wife was formerly Miss Annie Fletcher of Toronto. Besides his mother, Mrs. R. Harrison, at present at Red Deer Alta., he had five sisters:—Mrs John H. Appel, Walkerton: Mrs. Howard Todd, Guelph; Mrs. Geo. Lindsay, Red Deer, Alta. Mrs. Wm. Sutton, Albany N. Y.; Mrs. M. J. Parsons of Montreal. The funeral took place from the residence of his father-in-law, Mr. Fletcher, 38a Sherbourne St. Toronto, on Saturday morning

THEIR GOLDEN WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hawthorne of Greenock Celebrate Unique Event On Thanksgiving Day

A happy event took place at the home of Mr. John A. Cunningham Greenock on Thanksgiving Day, when a family party sat down to a sumptuous dinner given in honor of the fiftieth wedding anniversary of her honored and highly esteemed parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hawthorne.

It was on October 15th, 1868 that young Samuel Hawthorne led Miss Giffin, a blushing young bride to the altar. After the ceremony had been performed the young people repaired to their bush farm in Greenock, where Mr. Hawthorne and his father were among the early settlers. In that neighborhood which was the scene of their early struggles against the hardships of pioneer life, they have lived ever since. Mr. Hawthorne occupied an honored place in the community sitting in the Township Council for no less than seventeen years, during seven of which he filled the position of Deputy-Reeve. A family of ten children grew up and went out to make their homes in different parts of Canada and U. S. During the past year nearly all the family have revisited the old home, and at Monday's celebration there was a message from each of the ten extending best wishes to their beloved parents. A well-filled purse was also tendered the bride and groom of fifty years, as a token of love and respect from the family. Although well up in years, both Mr. and Mrs. Hawthorne enjoy a fair measure of good health and it is the earnest wish of their many old friends that they may yet live many more happy returns of their wedding anniversary. Besides immediate members of the family, there was present at the dinner, Mr. Fraken and two daughters of Elora, and Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Sanderson of Walkerton. The following day Mr. and Mrs. Hawthorne left on a second honeymoon during which they will visit most of their family, returning, it is expected, in about two weeks.

"THIS LITTLE ONE STAYED AT HOME"

(Written by Mr. A. C. Wood, St. Marys, author of "Old Days on the Farm.")

Oh, its up an' down the furrowed fields a-movin' I must be,
For there's hungry folk about the town expectin' food from me;
Of all our numerous family there's only me an' Dad
That spends the plow an' raises crops to make the old world glad.

There's our Jim is gone a'ediftin', he'd not a farmer be,
But he tells the farmer how to farm as knowin' as can be;
Sam's cooped up in an iron cage, oh, no, brother's not in jail,
He's a-countin' money in a bank but lookin' mighty pale.

Our Jo—the reverend Joseph now—is a shepherdin' a flock—
Jo was always strong on argument an' full o' fancy talk,
Back at school whenever teacher wanted some one to recite
Brother Jo would go a runnin' like a "Tommy" to a fight.

Si's a broker in the city an' Dad's heart it nearly broke
When that boy went sellin' stocks an' bonds—'twas sure a heavy stroke—
For Dad had once been bitten by a minin' broker shark,
An' his countenance to broker chaps was ever after dark.

Mary's teachin' in a college—she has letters to her name—
Sarah's thumpin' a type-writer, which is jest about the same;
Suzy's trimmin' hats an' bonnets in a millinery store—
They are gone, the whole caboodle, from the old farm evermore.

So its up an' down the furrowed fields a-movin' I must be—
But, say, if you could see the grub Ma serves up to Dad an' me,
I jest guess you'd say that Johnny boy that wouldn't ever roam
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HOW THEY FELL

Two Bruce Soldier Brothers Killed In Same Battle.

Mr. W. A. Bell, of Pine River, has had particulars of the death of his two sons, Norval and Clifford Bell, formerly of the 160th., who were killed in action recently, from Lieut. S. R. Johnston of the same battalion, who was formerly pastor of the Methodist Church at Pine River. The Bell brothers were well-known in Walkerton being nephews of Messrs. F. J., John, Thos., and Dan Wilton. Lieut. Johnston says in the course of his letter:—

Bert was wounded, not seriously in the battle of Amiens. Both Norval and Cliff came through alright. Norval acted as stretcher bearer and was specially mentioned and recommended for a medal for his excellent work. But in the next battle on the morning of September 2nd both Norval and Cliff were killed about the same time. I have searched in vain for anyone who saw Cliff just when he was killed. Norval's last words were: "Tell the officer to try and save the young lad (Cliff) for his mother's sake." But it was too late. Both were identified by the burying party, and buried by our Padre, (Rev.) Capt. D'Eyrem.

I can say without hesitation that they were three of the finest types of Canadian soldiers I have ever met. I regret that they all came to the same company but I hope and pray that Wilton, in the 2nd. Pioneers, is well and safe. I have been exceptionally fortunate myself.

They played the game well—on parade and off—were exceptionally popular and always ready to do cheerfully the most disagreeable tasks. I feel sure that they will re-receive their reward.

I don't think that I am hard hearted when I say that we look with more pride than sorrow upon the graves of such. They seemed happy in their work—their life work is done and they have escaped many trials which inevitably come with later years. I am pleased to be able to tell you that were not badly mutilated being killed by machine gun bullets not shell fire.

SAVE HOME PAPERS AS LOCAL WAR HISTORY FOR FUTURE

In a widely read publication there appears a suggestion that local newspapers be preserved in every town as vital war history for the future generations. The reminder is timely. There are few of us who have not at some time revelled in the all too rare attic files of home papers at the Civil War period. We learned that Bill Haskin's father "came home on furlough yesterday to recuperate with swamp fever." We remembered Bill's father and recall from a later issue that he was married on October some date or other, 1863, to Bill's mother, nee Miss Lucy Butterworth. And then we find by the same paper of a later date that Bill's father came home for good, with one arm gone. Later still, that he had won the medal of honor and the story of the doings in his honor in the town hall so intimately described, adds a new chapter to our meagre history of those eventful times. So, for the benefit of local posterity, it is a fine idea to keep the home papers. Some of them tell of parties of John, Frank or George of presentations of wrist watches and comfort kits and of Fred's promotion at camp, all ordinary bits of news now but later, when John comes back a Captain or perhaps Frank stays over there, these items will be among our most highly prized possessions and, as years pass, the value of them increases. Now, of all times save the home paper for home history. The bigger account of the war will be written in books.

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Practically every ship which touches our shores from abroad, brings those infected with the disease.

Surgeon-General Blue urges that "the individual take all the precautions he can against contracting the disease by care and personal hygiene". Plenty of exercise should be taken; the diet should be regulated, etc.

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NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Mr. Oscar E. Siegmiller, druggist of Mildmay, reported for Military service at London last week.

Mr. Jos. Taylor, mail carrier on R. R. 3, has bought the former Buchan property in the East Ward and is removing here from Eden Grove.

Keep your system clear, your feet dry and your bedroom windows open if you want to escape the "flu". If you do, it won't hurt you very much.

Everyone has heard of the man who mortgaged his home to buy an auto, but who has ever heard of the man who mortgaged his auto to buy a home?

Mr. Dan McNichol and Miss McNichol moved in last week from Brant and are living in the house which Mr. McNichol recently bought from Mr. Norman Hiscox.

Mr. Martin Bester, formerly of Walkerton, has taken over the Powers Hotel at Cargill. He will continue to conduct his barber shop in connection with the hotel.

Lieut. Leslie Huether arrived home at Guelph last week after two years' service as an Aviator Overseas and will complete his medical course at the University of Toronto.

A Western man wants to petition the Legislature to have the marriage service changed by substituting the words "Stop, Look, and Listen," for the words, "Love, Honor and Obey."

Sometimes this paper has been challenged for its indulgence in alliteration's artful aid. You who find delightful sustenance in the brow of bramble listen to this series of high "C's" in a prayer submitted at the Quadrennial Conference in Hamilton for use by the clergy of the Methodist church: "Guard, O God, those who guard us, and guide those who govern us."

It was a hot day, and two sailors had just been released from a long spell of duty on a mine sweeper. They made a bee-line for the first public house they saw and one of them ordered two quarts of ale. The men emptied their mugs in one draught while the barmaid looked on in undisguised admiration. The man who had paid stood for a second or two wetting his lips meditatively, and then turned to his comrade with a grin. "'Tain't so bad, Bill, is it?" He remarked. "Shall we 'ave some?"

Everything was ready for kit inspection, the recruits stood lined up ready for the officer, and the officer had his bad temper all complete. He stalked down the line, eyeing grimly each man's bundle of needles and soft soap, and then he singled out Private Mactootle as the man who was to receive his welcome attentions. "Toothbrush?" he roared. Yes, sir." "Razor?" "Yes, sir." "Hold-all?" "Yes, sir." "H'm! You're all right, apparently," growled the officer, then he barked: "Housewife?" "Oh, very well, thank ye," returned the recruit, amiably, "how's yours?"

A Pointed Question

I want to ask you a question, a question personal to me and not to you: If I know a young man who has given up home, friends, life plans, and a salary of $1,000 a year, given up his all to go to that hell of shot and poisonous gases on a $30 month job, if that young man is willing to fight my battles for me, how many Victory Bonds must I buy to keep my self-respect?—Acon.

Uniformity In School Books

According to a newspaper despatch the Governments of all the Western Provinces from Manitoba to the Coast have agreed upon a scheme for uniform text books in the primary, secondary and Normal schools of the West. Almost simultaneously the Premier of Prince Edward Island paid a visit to Toronto to urge upon the attention of the Provincial Government the project of a uniform series of text books for the Dominion. Education is inextricably bound up with nationality, and such movements are indications of an awakening national consciousness.

Death Of Mrs. Lemke.

Mrs. Wm. Lemke, a former highly respected resident of Walkerton, passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Rosenbusch at Kitchener on Saturday, in her eightieth year. Death resulted from pneumonia, following pleurisy from which she had been suffering all summer. The greater part of her life was spent on the farm in Bentinck. Seventeen years ago Mr. and Mrs. Lemke retired to Walkerton, her husband living only a short time after their removal to town. Five or six years ago he removed to Kitchener. A family of seven sons and two daughters survive. They are:—Mrs. George Hossfeld, Detroit; Mrs. Henry of Detroit; John, Christopher and Chas. of Kitchener; Jacob of Sullivan; William and George of B. C. and Mrs. Rosenbusch of Kitchener. The remains were brought from Kitchener on Tuesday for interment. Service was conducted by Rev. [illegible], pastor of the Lutheran church.

Lucknow is having a three days' Chautauqua next week.

A smoker down near Port Hope who had his pipe jammed down his throat in an auto accident, says that at first he thought he had run up against the W. C. T. U.

Mrs. Robt. Lymberry, who traded properties recently with Mr. Netzke, has moved to town with her family, while Mr. Netzke has taken over her former property north of the town.

Chesley Band supplied the music at Port Elgin Fair, but not with the 160th instruments, which have been some where in England or on the high seas for the last five months, says the Chesley Enterprise.

One of the young men recently summoned for examination by a Richmond (Virginia) draft board claimed exemption on account of his eyes. He had been told of the various methods employed by physicians to detect men who were faking and was determined not to be caught by them. "Read the letters on that wall!" commanded the examining physician. "Where is the wall?" the young Richmonder replied.

A leading Spanish physician says:—Gum camphor —cinnamon camphora— in two small bags of muslin carried about, one in the inside breast pocket of the coat and the other in one of the side pockets of the trousers or overcoat, will prevent catching the dreaded disease. The bag near the breast is to serve as a permanent disinfectant of the breathing air before it enters the lungs, and the other bag is to be taken out occasionally and applied to the nostrils.

At the Methodist General Conference in Hamilton, Mr. Joseph Gibson, the doughty champion of the temperance cause, gave voice to his objections to the ladies of the church serving meals to the delegates and others. His protest was made in his usual vigorous style, his argument being that now the hotels were doing a legitimate hotel business, that which the temperance people advocated, they should be encouraged. Mr. Gibson is right. The hotels having been brought to the point the temperance people wanted they should be supported and given whatever encouragement lies within the power of those who were so insistent upon the changes. Serving meals in church parlors is not doing this.

Christmas Parcels

The post-master-general states that Christmas parcels for the Canadian Expeditionary forces in France should be mailed in time to be dispatched from Canadian ports not later than the middle of November.

Transportation is congested during the Christmas season and those who are sending parcels to their friends in the trenches are urged to post them early if they wish to have them delivered by Christmas.

Letting Lad's Run Wild

Listowel can't afford a constable and in the meantime young lads are running wild on the streets at all hours and making themselves a general nuisance. The situation is a disgrace to the community. Tuesday night a number of them climbed on top of the roofs to a part of the business sections and peppered stones to the opposite side, striking a number of windows and smashing one.—Listowel Banner.

Bruce Boys Out West.

Mr. Malcom MacBeth, of Milverton, who has recently returned from an extended visit to the West, says in a letter to the publisher of the Telescope—Among the old Bruce boys I ran across were:—Hon. Duncan Marshall, John Blue, Provincial Librarian at Edmonton and Rev. James Shortt M. A. of Olds, Alta. who is spiritual adviser to Hon. Duncan Marshall. We had a very enjoyable trip having gone as far as Victoria. The trip was something like the hoop-snake, the sting being in the tail. Just after arriving home my wife and family were taken down with "Flu" and were very ill for a week. I notice that you are doing me the honor of reproducing my letters in the Telescope—the first newspaper that it was my privilege to read."

Married For Forty Cents

A story came from Hamilton of a clergyman marrying a couple and being handed a fee of forty cents, mostly in coppers, the case is not unnaturally spoken of as a "record." Not so, however. The Rev. Neil Campbell, of Oro, tells of marrying a couple and after the ceremony receiving from the groom (there being no groomsman) an envelope which, on being opened some time later was found to contain only a slip of paper and on it written the pious invocation, "Pray for us!" In telling the story, Mr. Campbell is not in the habit of confessing what action he was moved to, but it must be admitted that the incident was a severe test of the good man's piety, and no reasonable man will feel like asking him how long it took him to reach a really Christian frame of mind.—Orillia Packet.

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Mrs. McKinnon of Walkerton returned home Saturday after a brief visit at the home of Messrs. Alex and Donald McDonald of Mulock. Mrs. McDonald Sr. accompanied her home and intends visiting Walkerton friends for several weeks.—Durham Review.

BRIDEGROOM DIED OF FLU

Went From Ceremony To His Bed From Which He Never Rose

For the second time within a short space, death entered the home of Mrs. P. Gress, on Saturday night under very sad circumstance. On the 11th. inst. Mr. Ezra J. Damm, a highly esteemed young farmer of Alsfeld, was united in marriage to Mrs. Gress' third daughter, Lillian. Almost immediately after the ceremony the young man was taken down with the Spanish Influenza which developed with pneumonia, and on Saturday evening, in spite of all that the best care and medical attention could do he passed away. He was a young man of very fine character, highly thought of in the community. In the work of the Evangelical Church at Alsfeld he was very active, having been President of the Y.P.A., Class Leader and teacher in the Sunday School. He was 25 years old, and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Damm. Five sisters and two brothers, one of them Overseas, survive. Deep sympathy is felt for the young bride and the bereaved parents and family. The funeral took place from the home of Mrs. Gress on Tuesday afternoon to Alsfeld. Service was conducted by Rev. Mr. Schroeder of Alsfeld, and Rev. E. D. Becker of Mildmay.

THE NEW TRUAX DAM

Has Been More Than Half Finished —Power Development Increased

Work on the rebuilding of the Truax dam has been stopped for the present season. The job is now more than half completed, the new concrete portion extending out 150 feet from the West bank, or well beyond the middle of the river. Not more that half a dozen men, under the foremanship of Ed Kelly, have been working on the job at any one time and they have certainly made good progress. The new dam with a width of 32ft. at the base, and 12 ft. in height is as substantial as it looks and bears all the ear-marks of good workmanship. Already it has brought about a big increase in the amount of power that can be developed for the mill. The "engineer" of the new dam is Mr. R. E. Truax M. P. whose only degree in engineering was taken at the University of practical experience. It is interesting to note that in the construction of the old dam fifty years ago Mr. Truax worked on the job as a laborer at $1.25 a day.

Instructor In Flying

Crown Attorney Thomas Dixon had word from his son Elliott, in Egypt, this week that he is well and fine. Elliott is now an Instructor in aviation with the British flyers at Alexandria, Egypt.

Good Year's Work

The Women's Patriotic League of Cargill, which has done admirable work ever since the beginning of the war, excelled itself the past year, raising over $2750.00. Of this amount over $1,000 was spent on one item alone, yarn. During the year 270 soldiers' boxes were packed, and the articles made up by the women included:—668 Stretcher caps, 205 surgical shirts, 195 suits pajamas, 176 day shirts, 123 bed socks, 49 personal property bags 6 quilts, 837 pairs socks, 25 pairs gloves.

Three Years Overseas

Pte. Frank Zettel, who arrived home last week after three years in France and England, left yesterday to report to the medical authorities at Guelph. He has been laid up with quinsy since his return home. It was in the Spring of 1915 that Frank enlisted with the 34th Batt'n going as Col. Douglas' groom. He got to France the following Spring with the 10th. Battalion and was in the third Battle of Ypres, the Somme and in numerous bombing raids and stunts. It was at the Somme that he got concussion of the brain from close contact with a German shell. When he woke up 48 hours later he was in a hospital where he stayed some months. The effect of concussion is peculiar. All one side of his body to his knees turned black and also the muscle of his other arm. He saw a friend have his heavy boots knocked completely off by concussion without injuring him. After his return to the trenches, Frank developed rheumatic fever which put him out of the fighting for good. His only brother, Urban, who was killed in action in France on August 30th, it is now learned, was killed by concussion.

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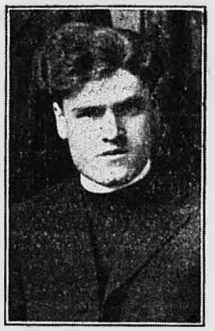
Popular Young Chaplain Is Victim of Pneumonia

Capt. J. Roy Cain Succumbs To Dread Disease Following An Attack of Flu at the Base Hospital Toronto—A Young Man of Unusual Ability and Consecration Whose Life Promised High Service To Fellow Men—Senior officers Speak In Terms of High Praise of His Work.

A life that gave promise of great usefulness was sadly cut short last Thursday, Oct. 17th, in the passing of Capt. the Rev. J. Roy Kain, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Kain, in his 29th. year. Capt. Kain who designed his parish at Thamesville two months ago to go overseas as a Chaplain of the Canadian Forces, was taken ill with Spanish Influenza at Niagara Camp. The trouble developed into pneumonia and he was removed to the Base Hospital, Toronto, whereafter ten days' illness he died.

His brief career affords a shining example of what a young man of courage and ability can accomplish in the face of seemingly insurmountable obstacles. He had been out of school several years, and was working as a mechanic, when he heard and answered the call to the ministry. Though not equipped even with the full Public School course, he boldly started to make his way through college and not content with taking only the necessary theological work, undertook in addition the four years' Arts course leading to the degree of Bachelor of Arts. In the preparatory work he had the encouragement and guidance of his rector, Rev. R. Perdue.

At College, in due time he passed creditably, graduating from Huron College and the Western University, London. In the summer of 1916 he was inducted as rector of the English Church at Thamesville. There he was greatly beloved by his people and on leaving two months ago to take a Chaplaincy with the Canadian forces, both he and Mrs. Kain (formerly Miss Lillian Lockhart of Walkerton) took with them substantial gifts as tokens of love and appreciation of their Thamesville parishioners. Roy Kain was a young man of a fine type of Christian citizenship who was a credit to himself, to his family, and to his native town. Major Birch, the Senior Chaplain for Toronto Military District who attended his funeral here on Saturday and spoke a few words at the grave, paid him the highest compliment that could be paid to one of his profession. He said that no Chaplain that he had met, had appealed to him more or had showed finer qualifications for the calling. He had never heard a preacher speaking to men exercise a deeper spiritual influence. Rev. R. Perdue rector of St. Thomas Church, who had followed Capt. Kain's course throughout with sympathetic interest, spoke appreciatively of his life and work.



CAPT. J. ROY KAIN

Owing to the Board of Health regulations regarding the influenza epidemic, only immediate friends were permitted to attend the service in Church.

Appointed Capt.

Dr. Albert Wehengel of Detroit, an old Brant boy has been appointed to a Captaincy in the American Medical Corps and has left for New York to report for duty. He is a graduate of Walkerton High School and since graduating at the Detroit Medical School, has been practising in the City of the Straits. Capt. Wehengel expects to sail for Overseas shortly but will likely visit his father, Mr. Michael Wehengel here before leaving. A younger brother Joe, also of Detroit, signed up as a Sammie last week.

BORN

ADAMS.—At Burnside Hospital, Toronto, on the 19th. inst. a son to Mr. and Mrs. W. Hamilton Adams, Balmoral Avenue.

SITLER—In Culross, on Oct. 20th., to Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Sitler, a daughter.

WALTER—In Brant, on Oct. 22nd., to Mr. and Mrs. Simon Walter, con. 2, a daughter.

NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Gone To St. Catharines

Mr. Norman Batz left last week for St. Catharines where he has obtained a good position as department manager with a large firm. Mr. Batz made many friends during his two years in Walkerton who wish him every success.

Died of Pneumonia

A sad death took place at Teeswater on the 19 inst. when Annie Sillick, the young wife of David Hutchinson, lineman of the South Bruce Telephone Co. succumbed to pneumonia, following an attack of influenza. The deceased who was about 24 years of age, had been married a little more than a year. She was the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Sillick of Culross, and a young woman of fine personal qualities, highly esteemed by all. Deep sympathy is felt for the young husband and parents in their sad loss. The funeral took place to Smith's Cemetery on Sunday.

Oscar Schefter Improving

Pte Oscar Schefter, the Walkerton lad who had his leg amputated as a result of wounds received in the Canadian's big drive forward in August has written home from an English Hospital that he is doing fine and everybody is awfully good to him. He did not mention that his leg had been taken off, apparently not realizing that his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ignatius Schefter, had been informed of the operation. He mentions several times his brother Frank, says he has written him but hasn't heard and asks the home folks how Frank is getting along. The pathetic part of it is that Frank was killed in action several weeks ago and his parents hope the news will not get to Oscar until he has got further on the way to recovery. Oscar's present address is: General Hospital, Saffron Walden, Essex, England.

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Recovering From Pneumonia

Amos Denny was very sick with pneumonia the past week but we are glad to report that he is now on his way to recovery.

Tom White Wounded

Trooper Tom White of the Fort Garry Horse, was wounded in the left hand on October 11th., and admitted to the 9th. Gen. Hospital at Rouen. News reached here on Monday in a telegram to his mother, Mrs. M. White of Greenock. Trooper White enlisted at Winnipeg early last year and has been in France since last Spring.

Death of Mrs. Webber

An old and respected resident of the town was removed by the hand of death on Wednesday of last week in the person of Mrs. William Webber. A paralytic stroke followed by pneumonia was the cause of her demise. Mrs. Webber was born at Stewarton near Georgetown sixty-four years ago, her maiden name being Isabella Morrison. She was married at Ballinafad in 1874 to Mr. Webber and came to Walkerton 20 years ago where they have resided ever since. Besides her husband who has been critically ill with dropsy and kidney trouble. She leaves a grown-up family of one son, Wesley of Eyebrow, Sask. and five daughters, Mrs. Erickson of Vancouver, B. C.; Mrs. Huycke, Mrs. (Dr.) Shaw and Mrs. Goodheart of Shaunavon, Sask. and Miss Louisa of Detroit.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Alexander Grant and family wish to express their sincere thanks to many neighbors and friends for kindness shown in their bereavement.

Home From Hunting Trip

Mr. W. M. Shaw returned last ... day from an enjoyable three ... holiday spent in the wilds of Nor... Quebec. He and Mr. and Mrs. J... Shawlof Woodstock and a few ... were guests of a Loui ville Ky. ... at his hunting lodge up the ... The Lodge is in the midst of a ... game preserve extending ... miles and is a veritable hunter's ... dise, game of all kinds in... deer and moose abounding.

A Belated Message

A belated cable from France ... ed by Chief Ferguson yesterday ... ing from his daughter Nursing ... Annie Ferguson, was the first ... tion the Chief received that his d... ter had gone straight to Fran... soon as she heard of her brother ... ert being seriously wounded. T... was three weeks in getting he... later messages have brought ... that Robt. is doing as well as ... expected.

Death of Mrs. Stanley Lines

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Tanner ... ed the very sad news on Wed... afternoon that their second da... Mrs. Stanley Lines, had died ... home at Cantur, Sask. As ... had not known until the pr... day that she was sick, the ... came as a very shocking blow... Tuesday a wire had come ... that she was very ill to ... once. But as nearly all the ... are sick in bed with the Flu ... impossible for anyone to leav... nature of the illness was not ... She was perfectly well wh... sister Mrs. Geo. Cunningham ... her to return East about a ... ago. Besides her husband who ... so a former resident of the ... Line, she leaves motherless ... girl aged 4, and a little son ... Very deep sympathy is felt fo... stricken family in their sorrow.

Miss Helena Whitehead arri... home from Toronto on Tues... night to recuperate from an att... of Influenza.

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:-: Happenings of the Week Collected for the Readers of The Telescope by a Staff of Wideawake Correspondents :-:

CARGILL

Mrs. Leo Williams of Windsor is ore on a visit to her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Grainger of ntham are at Mr. W. Graingers k with the Spanish Flu. Two her memebers of the Grainger mily are ck with it also.

There was no service in any of the urches here on Sunday last, and understand there will be none xt Sunday, the edifices being closed by the request of the Health Officer.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Clancy of Walkerton spent Sunday at Mr. John Clancy's.

There are a number of Flu patients in the village, but none are ious so far.

We are sorry to hear of the death Mr. Wm. Grainger, which took lace at a Stratford Hospital last unday morning. His remains were ought home and interred on Tuesmorning. He leaves besides his ts and brothers and sisters, a widow and three wee tots, to we extend our sympathy.

Miss Allan and Mr. Mathers our teachers have gone home while school is closed owing to the epdic.

Mr. Harris of the Bell Telephone Owen Sound was here in an l capacity last week.

and Mrs. Grainger and Mr. mmbe were in Stratford atMr. Wm. Grainger who passthere on Monday.

Annual meeting of the en's Patriotic League" of Carheld in the basement of the Church Thursday afterct., 17th. Mrs. Chisholm sident occupied the chair, ing opened by a hymn—"O Help In Ages Past," and by Rev. Mr. Hagger.

Report of the year's work is own:— 668 stretcher caps: surgical shirts; 195 suits pyas; 176 day shirts; 128 bed 49 personal property bags, 6 37 prs. socks, 25 prs. gloves; ' boxes packed.

The officers were re-elected coming year. Mrs. Chisholm President, Mrs. Cameron Vice Pres., Miss M. McCoy Sec. Treas.

The Society tendered a hearty vote of thanks to Mrs. Clarke Sr. Mrs. H. Young, Chepstow, Mrs. den, Chepstow and Miss McCoy, for their good work in knitting. following young girls under 14 years were awarded prizes for their knitting during the summer:— J. Martin, L. Schuett, G. Kyle, H. Thompson, E. Reaburn.

Committees.

Fund:—Mesdames, Kyle, Fowlie Martin.

—Mrs. Mathers, Miss M. Mc—Mesdames Bricker, Clancy, tein, Wells, Murray and Misses ung and E. Loughleen.

ers' Comforts — Mesdames ers, Hagger, Clark.

ing — Mesdames Alexander, en and Martin.

ing and Buying —Mesdames Kyle, Welsford, (W.J.) on. Mr. R. A. Fowlie was re-elected auditor.

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Receipts for the year	2751 71
Expenditure	2348 50
on hand	403 21
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on hand Oct. 1917	456 55
Tea	310 24
from County Coun-	
cil	936 21
from Brant Council	50 00
from Greenock Council	70 00
Bowling Tournaments (2)	254 00
Social. U.S.S. M. I. Br. and Gr.	88 05
Social—Women's Pat. League	195 00
Concert —Local men	71 55
Concert— Mr. and Miss Wildfang	64 50
party—Messrs. A. Johnson, Jas. Garland	43 55
piece donated by Mrs. Bell	22 50
piece donated by Mrs. Montgomery	14 50
Cushion donated by Mrs. C. Cliff	24 00
of flannelette returned	
Simpson's	15 00
contest	20 30
registration Day held by Registrar	11 50
sold	37 17
sold	5 00
and Mrs. Gilbert Hettrick	50 00
and Mrs. H. Young, Chepstow	10 00
Mrs. Jas. Young Chepstowe	5 00
Mrs. John Clancy	6 50
Mrs. D. Thompson	15 00
Mrs. Cowing	3 00
Mrs. C. W. Keeling California	10 00
Mr. Thos. Chisholm	5 00
Mrs. Russel	5 00
Mrs. Wm. Lamb	5 00
Mrs. Horatio Parker	5 00
Mrs. Alf Garland	5 00
Mr. R. A. Fowlie	5 00
Mr. G.F. Saunders	5 00
Small Donations	14 30
Maple Sugar Sold	1 05
Donation from Red Cross Dance	2 00
Interest on deposits	12 21
Total	3751 71

Expenditures

Yarn	1075 03
Flannelette	323 94
Flannel	187 49
Cotton	126 07
Supplies for soldiers' boxes	254 18
Postage on overseas boxes	90 74
Thread, tape buttons	15 76
Linen	3 60
Prizes for tournament	4 61
Express, corn, war taxes, stamps	7 58
Donation to British Red Red Cros	25 00
Donations to Y.M.C.A.	25 00
Donations or Relief of Halifax	125 00
Donations to Navy League	50 00
P'd. Mr. Wildfang's travelling expenses	15 00
P'd. Mr. Jos Schuett for rent of piano	3 00
P'd. Mr. E. D. Crawford for rent of hall	6 00
P'd. Bruce Times for printing	5 50
P'd. Cargill Ltd. for work at Garden Party	1 25
P'd. W. A. Abell Auctioneer	1 00
P'd. Mrs. Mathers for prizes	75
	2348 50

CULROSS CENTRE

Pte. Wilbert Baldenhy and Mr. J. Lloyd with their friends spent an evening at the home of Mr. John Becking.

Mrs. S. Hurdle returned home after spending a week with her niece, Mrs. J. Erb of Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Valad visited friends at Riversdale, Sunday.

Mr. Duncan Grant and Mr. Alex Grant spent last Thursday visiting friends at Bervie.

Miss Gertie Becking spent Sunday at her home, Mr. William Becking's.

Miss Maud McGlynn who has been nursing overseas and returned home owing to ill health, is visiting her brother Mr. J. McGlynn.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Wocks and Miss Hazel of the 2nd. Con. spent Friday at the home of David Grant.

HANOVER

Many old Hanover friends will regret to learn of the death of a former well known citizen in the person of Mr. Robert Pace, former liveryman here.

Mrs. J. C. Hoffarth of Hanover received a telegram last week from the Director of Records, Ottawa, advising her that her son, Pte. Augustinus Hoffarth, had sustained gunshot wound in the chest on October 2, and had been admitted to the Canadian General Hospital at Letreport.

The Bentinck Council have arranged to pay Thos. Clark of Con. 12, Bentinck, the sum of $60 and the veterinary expenses in connection with the accident he met with on Concession 10, Bentinck, some time ago, when his horse had its leg badly cut as a result of getting its foot into a culvert. The council was of the opinion that Mr. Clark didn't have a case against the township but after consulting a solicitor, they decided that it was in the best interests of the township to settle.

Charles Bailey, the 15-year-old son of Mrs. Isaac Bailey of Hanover, died on Tuesday night of last week as the result of being struck in the back by a sharp corner of Mr. Geo. Reichen's truck a few hours previous. Deceased and Arnold Hauert had been over to Mildmay with the truck in the afternoon and while there, Mr. J. S. Wilson had asked them to deliver a parcel at his house in Hanover. It was at Mr. Wilson's house that the accident happened. Deceased had got off to deliver the parcel and Hauert was turning the car in the meantime. The truck was still in motion when young Bailey returned and he attempted to get on, with the result that a sharp corner of the body of the car caught him in the small of the back. He was taken to his home hastily, but he had been seriously injured internally and he passed away a few hours later.

Another Hanover boy has "gone west" in the person of Pte. Herman Haller, son of Mr. Louis Haller. Word came yesterday morning that he had been killed in action on Sept. 29th.

MILDMAY

Miss Morris of London has been engaged to teach S. S. No. 6. Carrick to succeed Miss Duncan who has resigned.

A number from Mildmay attended the funeral of the late Ezra Damm of Alsfeldt

Mr. August Press of Mildmay died on Tuesday from pneumonia which was the result of Spanish Influenza. The funeral took place on Wednesday morning to the Evangelical cemetery. Mr. Press had been employed in Kitchener for about a year in a furniture factory.

The death of Mrs. Alex. Schumacher occurred early Tuesday morning from pneumonia which resulted from Spanish Influenza

Miss Marie Heisz junior clerk in the Bank here was sick for a few days the latter part of last week but is able to be about again. Her brother Pte. George Heisz is home from Dental College due to the University of Toronto being closed for 2 weeks.

Miss Rose and Lillie Runkel are both ill suffering from the Flu.

Mr. Alvin (Sport) Schefter left on Tuesday morning to report for military duty at London.

Pte. Stephen Warchter of the W. O. R. Brass Band Carling Heights, London, came home on a six days pass last Saturday evening

GLAMIS

The Schools in this vicinity were all ordered to be closed last week. The children are now enjoying holidays.

Mrs. James McLennan who was very ill on Sunday we are pleased to report is doing nicely.

The Presbyterian and Baptist Churches were closed here on Sunday.

Mr. Thos. H. Patterson who sold his farm has purchased another farm near Walkerton.

Rev. J. S. Clancy of Goderich visited here last week.

Miss Mabel Kirktown is home from Hanover, her school being closed.

Mr. T. Montgomery and lady friend of Orange Hill spent over Sunday with his aunt, Mrs. Alex McKennit.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Charles Graham, on Monday Oct. 21st, 1918, a daughter.

Rev. P. Reith was confined to his home during the past week with a heavy cold.

CHEPSTOW

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Mullin and family and Mr. Tom Hennessy and Miss Julia Hennessy returned on Saturday to their home in Bay City, Michigan, after a short visit with the former's parents Mr. and Mrs. Con Mullin.

Mr. Walter Harris of Owen Sound spent a few days of last week with his brother Rev. Father Harris.

The remains were interred in the R. C. cemetery here on Thursday morning last of Mrs. Andrew Freiburger of Riversdale. The deceased who succumbed to Spanish Influenza on Wednesday morning leaves to mourn her loss a husband and four little children the youngest being only a few days old.

Owing to the influenza epidemic there was only Low Mass in church here on Sunday. Schools are now closed for a couple of weeks.

It is with deep regret that we learn of the death of Mr. Richard Connors of Eden Grove. The funeral took place on Monday morning to the North Brant cemetery.

BORN—On Friday, Oct. 18th. to Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Zettel a son. (Gerald Oliver.)

Rev. Father Harris went to Hamilton on Monday to attend the funeral of Rev. Father Dormundy of that parish.

Mr. Michael McNab went to Toronto last week to see his son Edward who was seriously ill with the Flu at St. Michael's College.

CULROSS COUNCIL

Town Hall Teeswater, Oct. 7th.

Council met to-day. Members all present. Tom Reeve in the Chair. The minutes of the last meeting were read and sustained.

The Engineers report and profile re the Hilbrun and Butzler drain was laid on the table. All parties connected with the drain being notified were in the attendance. The Engineer being present read the report and after some discussion the report was adopted as no objections to the report were made.

The Council then proceeded with general business.

McPherson — Thompson That Philip Weffer have a piece of road graveled at lots 24 and 26 Con. 2 and 3 as there has been some Complaint made. —Carried.

Mr. Wm. Becking presented a petition to the Council asking for some drainage work to be done on lots 26 and 27 Con. 10 and 11 including the road allowance.

McPherson —Armstrong — That the petition of Wm. Becking be received and acted upon. And that the Engineer C. A. Jones be instructed to make an examination and report on same.—Carried.

Thompson — Reffer — That as the Pennell drain has not been Completed and Mr. Pennell is anxious to have it done that we appoint the Reeve and Thos. McPherson to have the same let as they see fit and as soon as possible.—Carried.

Thompson —Armstrong that as the brush is overgrowing the highway on the 25th. sideroad Con. 15 and obstructing travel that Jas. Thompson have the same removed.

The following accounts were passed:—

Geo. Hamperman, 135 yds. gravel	33 50
Nixon Melvin, contract gravelling	32 65
Wm. Becking bridge covering	23 44
Frank McCormick contract on Con 4 and 5	62 85
Jos. Valad, cutting timber and husk Con. 14	45 00
Alex McDonald, cutting hill and gravelling Con 2 and 3	130 00
Angus McKenzie, raking stones off road	2 00
Ph. Grubb, inspecting contract graveling	5 50
Thos. Millen, 150 yds gravel and road	12 50
Dan McInnis, 450 yds. gravel road	27 50
Jas. Kerby, repairing bridge	2 00
Ed Ring, inspecting contract Con. 3	12 00
Wm. Moffat, rep. bridge on boundry	5 00
Mich. Kelffer, 60 yds. gravel for sideroad 10	6 00
Robertson and McNab services on Pennell drain	11 25
Philip Keffer, expenses to Municipal Convention	10 00
Jno. Reitlinger, 92 yds. gravel road	10 20
Fred Giles, cutting brush and timber sideroad 16	24 00

The Council then adjourned to meet again on Monday Nov. 11th. or at the call of the Reeve.

Chas. Button, Clerk.

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BRUCE SOLDIERS' SCHEME

Plan Outlined By Committee of the Bruce Preparedness League Telling What Government Will Do If County Will Back Scheme.

On the 1st. of June, 1916, the Bruce Preparedness League was organized for the purpose, among others, of dealing with the problem of returned soldiers, their employment and settled.

The Problem

The statesmen of the Allied countries realize, it is said, that a greater problem than the war itself is the aftermath of the war. The period of reconstruction and adjustment is difficult and dangerous. It will be characterized by social, political and industrial upheaval and unrest. The thoughtful leaders in the world are already grappling with the problem. It is estimated that of the 650,000 Canadian soldiers enlisted for the war, 300,000 will return to Canada to be absorbed into civilian life. Of these it is estimated that 100,000 will return to former positions and occupations, which will leave 200,000 who will have to be settled in some way or other. There are at present, it is estimated, 350,000 men employed in the manufacture of munitions who will be thrown out of employment at the close of the war. There are 150,000 women who have, since the war, taken the place of men. It will be seen then that there are 650,000 soldiers and civilians who will have to be dealt with and adjusted to the new conditions arising after the war. In other words one person in twelve of our population will become a settlement problem.

Now Is The Time For Action

To leave this problem for the future to take care of would be an act of supreme folly and the County of Bruce has led the way among the counties of Ontario in organizing a league to deal with these problems If the County of Bruce will take definite action now it will achieve a distinction in Canada which will become more apparent as the problem looms before the country.

The First Concrete Proposition

The County of Bruce sent to war approximately 3000 soldiers, many of whom came off the farm, and many of whom have had experience in lumbering and bush life. The soldiers themselves outlined a plan known as Bruce Community Farming Scheme and the League, at Southampton, on the 20th. of June, appointed the undersigned Sub-committee, to deal with the proposition and report on its merits. The Sub-committee had a number of meetings making slow progress, but getting definite information. The Community Farming Scheme was laid before each of the Provincial Governments and the Soldiers' Settlement Board at Ottawa. All the Provincial Governments, except the Government of Manitoba, endorsed the plan and made offers of assistance more or less generous. We are very glad and proud to report that by far the most generous offer which we received was from our Province of Ontario and the Provincial Government has given the scheme most serious and practical consideration made very valuable suggestions and given assurances of very active co-operation and sympathy.

What Has Been Done

The Community Farming proposition has been laid before some 1500 soldiers, perhaps more. 400 of them have studied it, and have applied to come in under this plan; 30 of them are holding themselves in readiness to take up the plan this fall and start work immediately. They are anxious and eager to be doing something. So far as the the Soldiers are concerned everything is in line and the men in readiness to move at once. The Provincial Government and the County of Bruce are undertaking to assist and co-operate at the request of the Soldiers themselves. The plan is their own. The Government has expended already over $1000 in preliminary investigation and last Tuesday a Sub-committee of the undersigned committee met at the Department in the Parliament Buildings in Toronto and went over the whole ground with the Deputy Minister with the result that the Department has promised that immediately the County of Bruce and the Bruce Preparedness League give an assurance that they will stand behind the Community Farming Scheme to the extent of such necessary initial finance, the Department is prepared to expend this fall $10,000 in the erection of the first settlement buildings and proceed to carry out the terms of the offer made.

The Terms of the Government Offer

Memorandum of assistance to proposed Bruce Soldiers' Settlement, Limited which is to be worked out on the basis of a co-operative organization:

1. We will set apart for your settlement the unlocated portions of any Township you may select, and so long as your colonization work is energetically carried on, will reserve to you the exclusive use of the locations set apart.

2. We will construct the necessary roads through the township.

3. We will maintain at a convenient point in the Colony a sufficient number of horses wagons sleighs and farm machinery for the use of the colony. We will sell any portion of these to any settler at cost or rent them at a reasonable figure based on the cost of maintenance.

4. We will erect and equip at a central point for use the necessary camp buildings to enable you to carry on your operations including sleep house, dining room, blacksmith shop, carpenter shop, store room, laundry, and such other buildings as may be deemed necessary, and allow you the use of same free of charge.

5. Should you undertake a winter operation, we will provide, free of charge, sufficient foreman to supervise and direct the bush work.

6. We will provide you with the use of a sawing machine for the cutting of your fuel.

7. We will provide free of charge supervision of your farming operation by trained agriculturists.

8. We will give to each settler at the expiration of five (5) years from his entering upon the scheme a free grant of the lot that may be allotted to him. Settlement duties, as provided by the Crown Land Regulations, having been performed in the meantime in addition to the ten acres of clearing hereafter mentioned.

9. We will pay into the funds of your Organization the sum of $600.00 when ten acres are cleared and made ready for cultivation upon each lot, and a habitable house not less the 16x20 feet erected thereon. Any portion of this $500 may be advanced on progress estimates from our foremen.

10. We will allow to each settler $150 in labor and materials towards the erection of a house upon this lot.

11. We will make advance to settlers up to $500 under the terms and conditions of our Settlers' Loan Act.

What It Means

The Deputy Minister stated that the Department understood in making this offer that it would be committing itself to an expenditure in the long run of about $1500 for each soldier. This is a splendid contribution to the problem of this County and all that is asked is that the County shall finance each man to the extent of $50 for the purpose of enabling the returned soldier to reach his destination in New Ontario and assist him in his living expenses until he can earn his first money. The Government is willing to set aside, provided it has the co-operation of the County as set out, the Township of Shackelton which consists of 55,000 acres, covered with pulp wood, worth $1 on the stump and $7 at the siding, with a clay loam soil and easily cleared. The Township would be divided into farms of 160 acres each and 360 soldiers could be settled on the land. The prospect is that the County of Bruce would take up the centre Township. The value of the pulp wood in the aggregate is enormous and the Transcontinental line runs along the line along the border of the Township. The returned Soldiers from this County who have been to the Township, examined the location, resources and possibilities, have reported favorably upon the proposition.

What We Can Do

1. Co-operate with the Provincial Government in making this scheme possible for the returned soldiers.

2. Give the initial financial assistance of $50 a soldier to help in locating him in the Township and in supporting him until he can get returns.

3. Give financial assistance to the extent, say $1000, to the Bruce Soldiers' Settlement Limited, to be incorporated largely for the purpose of maintaining supplies for the soldiers. This money need not be a gift but a loan to be returned when the earnings from pulp wood, etc., made it possible to do so. The Provincial Government is of the opinion that the first supplies would have to be furnished in this way.

4. Give the returned soldiers a chance to make good.

The Co-operative Plan

In incorporating as the Bruce Soldiers' Settlement Limited, it is not the idea to form a commune. Nothing of the sort. Every soldier at his own option may accept or reject the plan. Each soldier will have the advantage of his individual effort, energy, enterprise and development. Each soldier will have his farm of 150 acres patented in his own name at the end of five years upon the performance of the Crown requirements, but in the matter of buying and selling, and in the matter of manufacturing lumber and cutting pulp wood. The co-operative plan will be adopted, experience having proven its highly successful. Thus by a combination of individual effort and co-operation a colony may be built up which will be a matter of pride to this County and a successful solution of one of the most difficult problems which is confronting this country at the present time.

Your obedient servants,
W. D. Cargill,
C. M. Bowman
Wm. McDonald
W. D. Bell
D. M. Jermyn
A. E. McNab
C. J. Mickle

SCHOOL CHILDREN'S GARDENS

Walkerton Public School Children Show Their Skill In Growing Vegetables

An interesting exhibit of School Children's garden products was held in the Town Hall last Thursday, Oct. 10th. The show was creditable to the young gardeners and the teachers are planning to follow up the good beginning by something on a larger scale next year. The names of the prize-winners follow:—

1st, 2nd and 3rd Grades grouped as one.

Cabbage, 1st Gladys Gibson, 2nd Gladys Hilker; Beets, 1st Floy Fennell, 2nd Gwin Hilker; Carrots, 1st Gladys Hilker, 2nd Jean George; Onions, 1st Edwin Richardson, 2nd Earl Ferguson; Potatoes, 1st Edwin Richardson, 2nd Audrey Fennell; Turnips, 1st Edwin Richardson, 2nd Wilbur Hampson; Beans, 1st Franklin Spierson, 2nd Florence Lesson; Flowers, 1st Earl Ferguson, 2nd Audrey Fennell.

4th, 5th, 6th and 7th Grades grouped as one.

Cabbage, 1st N. McCartney, 2nd Mabel Hilker; Beets, 1st Margaret Jones, 2nd Grace George; Carrots, 1st Rhoda Hampson, 2nd N. McCartney; Onions, 1st Rhoda Hampson, 2nd B. Chisholm; Potatoes, 1st Eleanor Watts, 2nd Grace George; Turnips, 1st Mabel Hilker, 2nd S. Fennell; Beans, 1st N. McCartney; Flowers, 1st D. McNail, 2nd D. Crawford.

Best Collection, 1st Rhoda Hampson, 2nd Florence Lesson.

DO NOT FAVOR THE FARM

Prominent Officer Says Lonely Farm Life Does Not Appeal to Returned Soldiers

We spent many an evening in France in our little mess discussing the problem of what men would want to do when they returned, and how they would be absorbed into the life of the community. From what we had seen, we came to the conclusion that many of the men who had been working in clerical positions in cities, now that they had had a taste of life in the open, and had become rugged, would go to the farm in preference to the city. But we have had to reverse that conclusion. We now find that the men, even those who had done things they considered worth while before will no longer attract them. They consider, for instance, that the question of making money is not the greatest thing.

The system under which the wounded man lives, and is encouraged to do nothing, in the hospital, really trains him to be a loafer. He is deliberately trained to do nothing. The first thing to do with the average man when he comes back, is to get him gradually broken in to the idea of working and becoming a citizen of the community. I know myself—I came back sick and I can speak from personal experience—that it has taken me practically to the present time to get the point of view of the civilian that things here are worth while. The man at the front has passed through great experiences, and, when he comes back, the ordinary things of life seem dull and unprofitable. In some way, he has to get out of that attitude, which is largely mental.

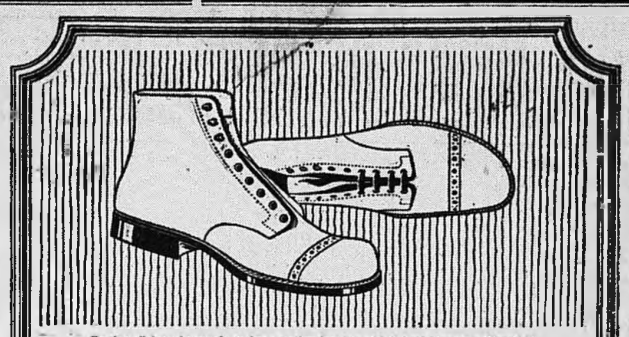
Economic conditions after the war will play a large part in the absorption of the returned soldiers. Whether competition be great or not, I do not think these men will go on the land unless some means can be provided whereby they can live together and have a community life. I do not think they will consider for one moment going back on those large farms on the prairie.

—Col. George C. Nasmith, M. D.

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GREAT BRITAIN'S PART

In The World Fight Against Autocracy Ably Portrayed At Teachers Convention Gathering By Rev. Dr. Johnston of Montreal—Nation Finds Its Soul In Agony of Blood—Britain's Spirit the Finest Thing of All

With eloquence perhaps never equalled on a Walkerton platform Lieut. Col. the Rev. Dr. Johnston of Monreal, one of Bruce County's most distinguished sons, reproduced for a large audience at the Town Hall last Thurs evin. some word-pictures of scenes he had witnessed during his recent visit to the battle-fronts of the great war. Dr. Johnston went overseas as a guest of the British Foreign office and got an intimate view of things. He was in the tanks and submarines and saw England from an airplane. Dr. Johnston sought to impress upon his audience the amazing part Great Britain has taken in the great war, a part the world does not realize or appreciate. With the natural unobtrusiveness of the race, England has been silent about her magnificent achievments while bestowing genpare, thus praise upon her Overseas dominions and her Allies England whom she agreed to provide France with 1,000 troops in case of war. She has made good her promise by over 100 per cent. Her navy which was onorously the greatest before the war, has been increased 300 per cent in the last four years. Her navy has transported 13,000,000 men, vast numbers of animals, and enormous quantities of supplies. Over five millions of her people are doing war work at home. Scarcely a family in the British Isles but has had one or more killed in action. Her treasury has poured forth its bullion Arabic thout stint to her Allies until one-third of her wealth was gone. But the Prof. finest thing of all was the spirit which she did it. Therein she showed her true greatness.

The When asked on his return from England what that he had seen impressed him most, Dr. Johnston replied "England herself." He had a splendid opportunity of seeing England, and, one of his experiences being a 279 gold ride through the clouds. The ride was a delightful sensation. The passenger experiences no sickness as the plane glides smoothly through the air. It was a beautiful June morning that the Dr. had his first flight and the panoramas presented by rural England was enchantingly beautiful. What struck him greatly was that so little part of the landscape was occupied by houses. There is plenty of room in the old world yet.

France, said the speaker, is "Scotland plus." France has all the romance, all the chivalry, and all the martial spirit of Scotland but she has got more of it. He visited Vimy Ridge churned into desolation by shell-holes, and saw where little Hun towns had been— now nothing but a mound of bricks. He visited one of the cemeteries back of the lines and copied the inscription from the Pace ave of a friend for the lad's father Lough ere lying now row upon row were Cut bodies of our boys who would Mather e been the leader among our Lough fessional men, farmers, and appoint teamen during the coming genlightion. The speaker saw a dressing after c ion on the British Front in it- "God just after a raid and was able to Tre alk in highest terms of the work Total e by the Red Cross and Medical Total rps. While there he stood in the Balan ve Valley, just 70 yards away the Austrian trenches. Speak- Balance of the nation's agony caused by Red C war, he showed how good is Gra ming out of it. Before the war we were all but smothered by our Great prosperity. We are now finding ourselves. Only through suffering can the individual or the nation be redeemed. There is no redemption without the agony of blood. It is always so.

With a long program scheduled for the evening Dr. Johnston's time was limited. One could wish that the speaker of his ability with such an important message might have taken the whole evening to himself.

What I.O.D.E. Is Doing

Mrs. J. Wisser, regent of the I. O. D. E., who presided at the request of the lady teachers, gave an interesting resume of the work that the daughters of the Empire are doing, and told how they were planning to erect a monument more lasting than bronze to our Canadian heroes by educating the strangers within our gates to be good Canadian citizens by instilling the thrill of national pride in Canada's achievements. She asked the Walkerton Chapter to do more to further this enterprise and 20 lbs. to begin with a library for the school at Prince Albert, Sask.

Miss Curtis, who lately joined the Mr. hospital Staff, and is a trained singer of ability, delighted the audience with a solo, "Farewell To Summer" and as an encore, "Alicea Alconah."

Hanover should be proud of its young ladies' Gymnastic Club. Their numbers given by the direction of Mrs. Ruttle, made a great hit and many expressed the wish that the Club might be secured to give an entire entertainment here. Their dancing showed ability and careful training. The "Irish Washwoman" and the Sailor's Hornpipe, danced by one of the members were especially good. The concluding number, a pantomime, The Shepherd and Shepherdess, was well executed.

A recitation "Dan'l Tries Conserving Daylight," was a very funny piece dealing with a timely topic, given by Miss Florence Cunningham in her imitable style

STUNG!

No Coal! For many months the town coal committee has made an endeavor to buy a boatload of coal. Many people subscribed to the scheme, and volunteered to take a certain number of tons of coal. Well, at this late day, we are informed, there's "nothing doing." First, the Fuel Controller, as we understand it, demanded $10.00 for a license which would permit us to buy the coal in bulk. The 10-spot was forwarded, but no information came as to how the coal was to be procured. Then a demand came to the Committee for $25.00. This, too, was sent. Finally the chairman of the committee wrote asking when and how we were to get our coal. The head push at Ottawa answered "The Fuel Controller at Toronto will furnish you with coal—write him," which advice was immediately followed. Now come word from Toronto that we will have to fish for ourselves—get coal where we can or do without. So we're between the devil and the deep sea. No coal, after all the correspondence and anxiety—and $35 in the hole.—Algoma Advocate.

A SURE CURE

Abou Ben Had'em—may his tribe increase—
Awoke one night from a deep dream of peace.
He rolled him over, and his form he eased,
He fixed his pillow—then, behold, he sneezed!
He cooled his forehead with a pillow slip;
He said: "By jing, I have got the grip!"
He called—his household angel quickly came,
With lamp in hand a good and portly dame.
She gave him barks, she gave him boneset tea.
But naught relieved his fearful miseree.
She gave him stuff that made poor Abou sweat,
Then rubbed him down, but still he suffered yet.
She gave him pills and squills both thin and thick,
And still her patient was most awful sick.
And must poor Abou die? O fearful thought!
She got some whiskey and she made it hot.
She filled up Abou to his noble throat
And made him fuller than an alley goat.
He rose and dressed himself—he left his bed,
And then he painted half the city red.
L'Envoi.
Next day beneath the magisterial crest
Abou Ben Had'am's name led all the rest. —The Khan.

VICTORY LOAN CANVASS

Names of the Districts and Canvassers for the Coming Big Victory Loan Drive In Bruce County.

Geo. D. McKay, County Secretary for the Victory Loan, has announced the districts and canvassers for the coming Big Drive as follows:—

District No. 1
Lion's Head, Eastnor Township, Lindsay Township, St. Edmunds.
Frank C. Moore, (Capt.), John Cook, Jonathan Hill, Arthur J. McDonald, Daniel McDonald, George Golden, A. Belrose.

District No. 2
Albermarle Township.
Karl H. Whichor, (Capt.,) Rev. W. A. Matthews, Miss E. H. Johnston, Miss Grace Weir.

District No. 3
Wiarton Town, N. Pt. Amabel Tp. North of Centre Diagonal.
G. W. Ames, (Capt.,) R. W. Bright, Cecil Swale.

District No. 4
S. Pt. Amabel Township, South of Centre Diagonal, Hepworth Village.
Jas. Douglas, (Capt.), Jno. K. Davidson.

District No. 5
Arran Township, Tara village.
C. E. Start, (Capt.), J. R. Vandusen, W. J. Taylor, Wm. Brunton, Fred George.

District No. 6
Chesley Town, E. ½ Elderslie Tp.
M. A. Halliday, (Capt.), E. B. Caldwell, J. E. Cass, John Oswald.

District No. 7
Paisley Village, W. ½ Elderslie Tp., Gore of Greenock Tp., All north of Con. 18.
D. Forrester, (Capt.) R. C. Pearce Calvin Crawford, R. J. Nelson.

District No. 8.
North Pt. Greenock Tp. Cons. 10 to 18 incl.
Thos. H. Purdy, (Capt.), Melville Reid.

District No. 9
South Pt. Greenock Tp. All South of Con. 10.
Arch McKinnon, (Capt.), Nicholas Lang.

District No. 10
North Pt. Brant Tp. Cons. 8 to 15 inclusive.
Geo. Sirrs, (Capt.,) Jos. Distein.

District No. 11
South Pt. Brant Tp. All South of Con. 8.
A. G. McLennan, (Capt.,) Thos. H. Wilson.

District No. 12
Walkerton Town.
Arthur Collins, (Capt.), J. H. Ranesbottom, A. E. McNab.

District No. 13
Carrick Township, Mildmay Village.
John A. Johnston, (Capt.), John M. Fischer, Peter Rauber, Frank A. Heisz.

District No. 14
Culross Township, Teeswater Village.
D. Ferguson, (Capt.), John S. Armstrong, Thos. McPherson, Wm. Case, J. J. Fedy.

District No. 15
Kinloss Township, Lucknow Village.
Geo. H. Smith, (Capt.), Robt. Johnston, D. C. Taylor.

District No. 16
Huron Township, Ripley Village.
J. H. Chapman, (Capt.), D. A. McInnes, Geo. H. Mooney.

District No. 17
Kincardine Town.
P. A. Malcolmson, (Capt.), Geo. D. Morrison.

District No. 18
S. Pt. Kincardine Tp. up to Con. 6.
Geo. Clark, (Capt.), Wm. H. Thompson.

District No. 19
N. Pt. Kincardine Tp., Cons. 6 to 12 incl.
Jas. Hunter, (Capt.), Malc. McDougall.

District No. 20
S. Pt. Bruce Tp. Cons. 1 to 7 incl. Tiverton Village.
D. B. McDonald, (Capt.), D. McNaughton.

District No. 21
N. Pt. Bruce Tp. Cons. 8 to 14.
Arch McLean, (Capt.), Geo. Brown.

District No. 22
Port Elgin Village.
E. Roy Sales, (Capt.), David Geddes.

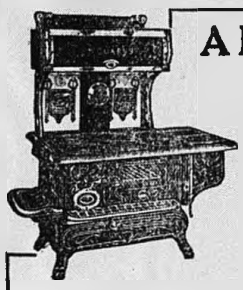
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Saugeen Township.
F. E. Elliott, (Capt.), Jos. Lyness.

District No. 24
Southampton Town.
Dan McAuley, (Capt.), Jacob Bechtel.

WALKERTON BOY MAKES GOOD

When Saskatonians were tickled to death by the travellers' parade yesterday, says the Saskatoon Star, many knew that the guiding genius behind the affair was Roy Todd. He is modest however, and when The Star man tried to get his photograph for this column he said we ought to run a group of "all the boys." By means of devices the nature of which we will not disclose however, we succeeded in "getting him in." And here he is. He was born in Walkerton, Bruce County, Ont., about thirty-four years ago—at least, that's what he tells his wife. He was educated in the public school at Walkerton, and went into the wholesale crockery business in London, Ont., at the age of nineteen. In 1903 he became a traveller, his territory being from Sudbury to the Pacific Coast. In 1906 he came to Saskatoon, representing John Dromgole's crockery. The war brought changes, and recently he has been representing the Ontario Crockery Co., manufacturers' agents. In 1911 he was married to Miss Maud Napper, niece of Mrs. A. S. Royce, Walkerton, who was a teacher in the Saskatoon public schools, and also a native of Walkerton. They have two boys. He is a junior councillor of the United Commercial Travellers, and he spends his week-ends with Alan Sproatt running an electric clothcutting machine for the Red Cross Society.

Pat has resumed his old duties, those of railway porter, after being at the front nearly three years. He was asked by a traveller if he noticed many changes at Christmas-time. Pat replied, "Sure, an' Oi do, sorr. Most of the men on the station are now women, the eleven train starts a twelve, the express doesn't stop at all and there's no baght train."



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Sending Money to Soldiers

Those who have friends or relatives at the front, may wish to send money, but possibly do not know the best way to do so.

If time permits, the safest and most convenient method of making remittances abroad is the Bank Money Order or Draft, as issued by The Merchants Bank.

If, however, it is necessary to send money without delay, the Bank will arrange this by Cable Transfer.

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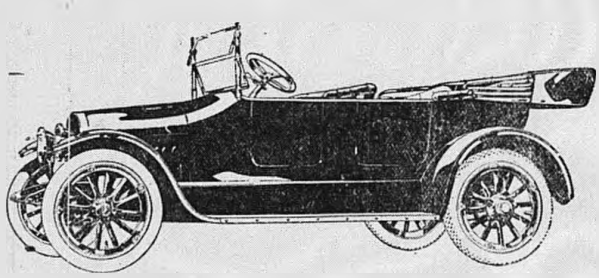
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Men's and Young Men's Overcoats

A full completement of the season's best styles and they're wonderfully dressy coats all of them.

The patterns and color effects include greys, browns, olive and blues and in price range from $10.00 to $27.50.

And while we're talking Overcoats we want to mention materials. You would have to go far to equal them, in fact we know that they're the best that can be bought. Belted styles for the young men and the ulster styles for more conservative.

Men's Fine Wool Sweaters

Conserve heat—keep warm with one of these All Wool Sweaters.

Perfect Knit Sweaters, a flat knit, close woven dressy line of sweaters in small checks or with plain bodies and fancy checked collar, fronts and pockets. Made of extra fine all wool yarns, roll collar and snug knit cuffs. Colors navy, brown, maroon, grey and black and white. Extra values at $6.50 to $8.50.

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Boys' Suits

4 to 17 years. Neat tweed effects in greys and browns. Particularly attractive in style, $5.00, $6.50, $8.00 to $13.50.

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Splendid assortment of patterns in Tweeds and worsteds, Navy, Cheviot and Botany Serge. Suits at $12.00, $14.50, $18.00 to $27.50.

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OCTOBER OPPORTUNITIES!

Our Autumn Assortment of goods is very complete now and you will have a chance to buy what you need at values we cannot repeat later on.

Special Values in Woolen Wear

Special values in Woolen Wear. Boys' Wool Pullovers and Sweater Coats all sizes and Combination Colors—$1.00, $1.25, $1 50, $2.00 to $5.00.

Now is your time to buy Wool Hose. All sizes at 50c., 60c., 75, $1.00, $1.25, $1.50.

Ladies Knitted Undershirts at $1.50, $2.00, and $3.00.

A special in the white wool Toques at 50c. each.

Cashmere hose at 60c., 75c. 85c., $1.25 and $1.50.

We have the best selection in Ladies Wool Coat Sweaters we have ever shown.

Wool sets for Ladies, Misses and Children at $2.00 to $3.50 each, beautiful color combinations.

Another item of interest to the Ladies is our new arrivals this week of up-to-the-minute styles in Ladies' Fall Coats. They must be seen to be appreciated.

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NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Miss Ethel Petteplace is ill with the grippe this week.

Mr. George Lambertus was laid up with the grippe several days last week.

Mr. Arch. Tolton shipped to the West last week about 100 bbls. of No. 1 apples grown in his own orchards. They are mostly Northern Spies.

Mr. Clarence Oberle was able to be out this week for the first time after his serious illness. He is doing fine and begins to feel like his old self again.

Mr. Chas. Huether, the well-known Hanover insurance man, died last week of the Flu. Charlie had many friends in Walkerton and was a frequent visitor to the local Bowling Green.

Coming To Town

Mr. James Whitehead has sold the former Skelton property near the G. T. R. Station to Mr. Sandy Carr of Pinkerton who will remove to town shortly.

Appreciated In France

Milt McCarter writes his parents, Ex Coun. and Mrs. Alex McCarter, from France;— The Telescope is getting newsier all the time. It is like a letter from home.

Died Of The Flu

Mr. James McWhinney of Brant received a telegram announcing the death at Regina on Friday, Oct. 18th. of his nephew, Ivan McWhinney, son of Mr. John McWhinney, who lived on concession 7, Brant, before removing to the West several years ago. The young man, who leaves a wife and small family, was a victim of Spanish Influenza.

Death of Wm. Wilkin

William Wilkin, Con. 9, Brant, son of Mr. John Wilkin, passed away on the 9th. inst. following several days illness with Spanish Influenza. The deceased who was 42 years of age, was a bachelor, and lived with his father. Mrs. Leifso, of Hanover, and Mrs. Wm. Engel, Con. 9 Brant, are sisters, and John Wilkin, Con. 9 Brant is a brother. The funeral which was held on Sunday, was largely attended. Rev. Ernest Denef, pastor of the Lutheran Church, 4th. Con. conducting the funeral.

Death of Mrs. Gray

The death occurred at her home at Darel, Chatham Township, on Sunday, October 13th., of Mrs. Andrew Gray, [illegible] daughter of the late James Rae of Brant. Mrs. Gray, who was [illegible] seventy years old, had a bout [illegible] of pneumonia last Spring from the effects of which she [illegible] never recovered, death resulting from heart weakness. She was born in Berwickshire Scotland coming to this country [illegible] with her parents. She leaves a family of five sons. James and Alex Rae of North Brant North Brant are brothers, and her sisters are:—Mrs. Little and Miss Rae of Brant, Mrs. Young of Sullivan, and Mrs. Christopher Burrell of Meaford. The funeral took place at Chatham on Tuesday, Oct. 15th.

Mrs. O'Gorman is spending a few days at the home of her sister, Mrs. Lindsay at Moscow.

Cadet Crawford Skelton of the R. A. F. has been spending ten days' leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs E. J Skelton following an attack of the Flu.

Mrs. A. S. Royce received the sad news of her nephew, Cpl. Herb Crampsin, being killed in action on September, 20th. His mother (nee Miss Hattie Stevens) will be remembered by many of her old friends here, where she was well known.

SCOUTS "ALERT"!

The Scouts have been busy working on the roll and I heard a whisper that there is a likelihood of a Bugle coming their way. That's fine, earn what you get and you will appreciate it all the more.

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The second Scout Law:—A Scout is loyal to the King, his Officers, his Country, his Parents and to his Employers. You will remember the big Naval Battle of this war "The Battle of Jutland." In the Jutland Honours there were 3 V. C. medals presented and the leading one was presented to Mrs. Cornwell in recognition of her boy's devotion to duty. It reads as follows:—Mortally wounded, early in the action. Boy, 1st. Class: John Travers Cornwell remained standing alone at a most exposed post, quietly awaiting orders, until the end of the action, with the gun crew dead and wounded all round him. His age was under 16½ yrs. It does not look much in cold print but the lad's memory will live on as an example to the coming generation of children in the Old Country. In every Public School there is a framed picture of the lad with the above explanation. This boy was an enthusiastic Boy Scout and belonged to a troop in Essex. His mother states he took to Scouting serious. Evidently he showed in his life a splendid example of the 2nd. law of the Scouts. I could tell you lots of what the Scouts have done and doing at the present time in the Old Land.

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I do not think there is any possibility of any meetings this week, so practice up your knots and learn the Scout Law off by heart.

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Cubs, do not forget your breathing exercises every morning, just 6 deep breaths through the nose. Let your ribs come right up till you almost feel them hit your shoulders, a good prevention for the Flu. Your nose is a filter or purifier and a heater all in one. It warms the air, cleans it, stopping microbes getting into your lungs. Make it a habit, Scouts and Cubs, to breathe through your nose, good long deep breaths at that.

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Ladie's Chamois Lisle Gloves in 500 yds. Heavy Terchon Lace, Grey, Black and Fawn at $1.00 pr. special 6 yds. for 25c.

It will pay you to look over our assortment of Fall goods, it will give your eyes a feast and your thoughts food for satisfaction and will show you an easy way to procure just what you want and need for a trifling outlay.

Men's Underwear
Woolen Underwear, special clearance for this week at $1.25 each.

Children's Underwear
Specials in Fleece lined Underwear at 69c. per garment.

Plaid Dressgoods
New Ranges of Plaid Dressgoods just in, Ranging from 65c. to $1.75 per yd.

Ladies' Underwear
Ladies' Fall Underwear, special at 59c. each.

Ladies Silk Crepe DeChene waists in Maize, Pink and White, made in the latest styles with Bead trimming, special at $4.75.

Pure Food Grocery

Our Stock is always fresh and good, which enables us to give you Better service. Below we quote some of the many specials for this week.

Fresh Stock of Raisins just in, Seeded or Seedless, in Bulk or Package.

Try a can of Carnation Milk, it's Fresh.

Specials in Tea, Black, Mixed or Green.

Fresh Cured Meats—Ham 42c., Bacon 45c., Cottage Rolls 40c., Bologna 22c. lb.

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AMNING EVIDENCE GIVEN

Mrs. (Capt.) Roy Kain At Investigation Into Death of Walkerton Soldier At Toronto Base Hospital. Medical Officer In Charge Denies Everything.

An investigation into the circumstances of Capt. (Rev.) Roy Kain's death at the Base Hospital, Toronto last day night. Mrs. Kain, the principal witness, gave damning evidence as to the treatment received by her husband. The medical officer in charge sought to upset her evidence by declaring it to be "absolutely false" and by meanly reflecting upon her husband by innuendo, for which he was deservedly rebuked by the presiding officer. The outcome of the investigation will be watched with interest. If it results in the removal of the officials responsible for the bettering of conditions for others, the protest registered by Mrs. Kain will hav beene well worth while.

Mrs. Kain told her story of the treatment accorded her husband in a simple, straightforward language.

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PTE. FRED KENNY

Son of Mr. and Mrs. P. Kenny, of Walkerton, killed in action, Oct. 18th, 1918.

"Killed in action, Oct. 18th," was the sad news that came to Mr. and Mrs. P. Kenny, parents of Pte. Fred Kenny on Sunday. Two letters had just been received from Fred both written while he was out on rest after a hard turn in the trenches. Fred wrote often, not only to his parents but to some of his many friends in town and elsewhere and frequently spoke about his home coming after the war, but Fate decreed otherwise. Fred was born in Walkerton and spent his boyhood here. He was a favorite with everybody and the news of his death on Sunday was received with deep regret throughout the town. It is six is six or seven years ago since Fred left Walkerton for London, where he was at first employed by the Grafton Co. and latterly by R. J. Young & Co., Clothiers and Furnishers. He was 25 years of age and went Overseas last winter. In France he was with the 47th. Batt'n. along with several other Walkerton boys, one of whom, Frank Schefter, was previously killed in action.

Down With Pneumonia

Mr. S. A. Rife had a telegram last week from Saskatoon stating that his son Harris, was dangerously ill with pneumonia. On Monday a wire from from Mr. Rife's brother, Ed, contained the reassuring news that Harris was now out of danger and his condition much improved.

CHURCHES OPEN SUNDAY

Town Schools Will Be Going Full Swing Again On Monday After A Month's Enforced Holiday—Keeping the Lid On Has Probably Kept Flu Out Of Walkerton.

The ban placed upon the Churches, public schools, public library, etc. by the Board of Health will be raised on Saturday, and unless the situation takes a decided change for the worse, which is unlikely, there will be Church service on Sunday and the Schools will open again Monday.

While Walkerton has practically escaped the Flu, the action of the Board of Health in putting the lid on four weeks ago is generally commended. It is quite possible that the precautions taken by the Board of Health, were responsible in a large measure for the way that Walkerton has escaped the Flu while most neighboring towns have been in the throes of it.

The closing of the Churches has been a matter of no small importance to the Churches. While the buildings have been closed, and revenue cut off, overhead expenses have been going on the same as ever, and members will have to dig a bit deeper into their pockets in November to make up October's deficits. Closing up has meant disorganizing the various activities of the churches and some spurring up will be required to catch up to where the work has left off last month. On the other hand the members after four dull and quiet Sundays may be able the better to enjoy a good sermon next Sunday morning from the lips of a preacher, who has had a month's rest from sermonizing.

In the schools especially the High School, where a full year's work is outlined in the curriculum, there will have to be some tall stepping to make up for the last month. It may mean a lower standard of proficiency at the Department Exams next summer. So far as the boys and girls are concerned though, we haven't heard any of them crying about losing a month of school.

The Board of Health ban has also been responsible for the cessation of all social, and patriotic activities. The I. O. D. E., Women's Institute, Tea Room Girls, the Country Patriotic Societies etc., have had to suspend work temporarily but will all, we have no doubt, burst forth with renewed energy soon, and make up for lost time.

For Sale

Coal kitchen range. Good as new. Apply—Telescope.

VICTORY BONDS

(By former Walkerton girl.)

VICTORY must come, you say,
If God and Right prevail.
Can you dare to hope it may
Though you in duty fail?
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Rest not till their task is done,
Yet they never quail!

BONDS will help to pay your way
On the road to Victory,
Needs are pressing! Don't delay!
Duty's path is plain to see.
Show your colours, bold and free!

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Axes and axe-handles at Sandy McCarters.

Onions for sale. 2½c. a lb., 75 lbs. for $1.50. A. E. Wahn, Walkerton.

Everything for the farmer at Sandy McCarters. Try us for axes, axe-handles, step-ladders, extension ladders, bake-boards, ironing-boards, coal-scuttles, ash-shifters, etc. etc.

Fresh Lime

35 bushels of fresh lime for sale. J. P. Becker, east of river.

Making Progress

Mr. C. A. Fox is making slow but steady progress. He is now able to walk about the house with a little assistance and enjoys an occasional chat with old friends.

New Hours At Freight Sheds

Starting next Monday, hours at the local freight sheds will be 7.30 a. m to 5 p. m, closing at 1 p. m. on Saturdays. This in accordance with Canada Railway Board Regulations.

This Week's Telescopes

Readers who wish extra copies of this week's Telescope containing pictures of the soldiers to send to their friends, may obtain them at the Telescope office while our limited supply lasts, at the regular price of 5 cents each, 6 for 25c.

Blackwell—Long

The marriage took place quietly at the Methodist Parsonage Walkerton, on Wednesday, November 5th, at 3 p. m. of Miss Ana C. D. Long, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Long of Brant, to Mr. Walter Blackwell of the Walkerton Egg & Dairy Staff. After the ceremony the young couple left on a wedding trip to Toronto and other points. Mr. and Mrs. Blackwell have the best wishes of their many friends for a long and prosperous wedded life. On their return they will reside in the double house on Jackson St. opposite Goode & McKay's.

MISSING SINCE OCTOBER 1ST.



PTE. ARCHIE FERGUSON

Youngest son of Chief and Mrs. R. H. Ferguson of Walkerton.

"Missing"—that word so dreaded by anxious hearts at home,—is the news that has come to Chief and Mrs. R. H. Ferguson regarding Archie, the youngest of their three sons, who has been serving in France. It is now over five weeks since it happened, but by some oversight, no official word reached the parents until Tuesday. The first intimation was received in a Cable from their daughter, Nursing Sister Annie Ferguson, last week. Archie's brother, Jack, who was in the same Machine Gun Company with him, wrote his parents all about it, but the latter has not yet arrived. For this reason certain portions of a second letter from Jack, proved mystifying to the anxious parents. "I have heard nothing more than I told you in my last letter about Archie", he writes. "He was posted as missing in the Battalion orders. Of course he may not be reported from the Hospital he was taken to if he got out alright. Still in the fighting zone but not nearly so hot a place as it was when Archie was wounded. Had I been with him would have got him out if I had died in the attempt." Jack's first letter will no doubt bring full particulars. Archie was only 18 years of age when he enlisted with the 160th. Bruce Batt'n. the baby of the family. He is a fine, steady, likable chap, and it is the earnest hope of all that better news will come. Archie and Jack both took the Machine Gun Course at Seaford, Eng., and were then transferred to the 1st. Can. Machine Gun Section. They were very close together are being in Battery J. and the other in Battery K. They went to France in Aug. 18th., in time, to participate in much of the heaviest fighting.

For Sale

A bay mare, good driver, will be sold at a bargain as owner has no further use for her. Apply C. Patrick.

Alex Fehrenback Dead.

Just as we go to press, we learn that Alex Fehrenback, rural mail carrier, has just died (Wednesday evening.) Obituary notice next week.

Auction Sale Next Tuesday

Joseph B. Taylor, is having his auction sale of farm stock and implements, and registered shorthorns, on lot 16, Con. B, Brant, next Tuesday, Nov. 12. See his list on page 9 of this week's Telescope.

Knox Church Notice

On account of epidemic, Committee would ask for shower of money (only) for Christmas parcels for our boys Overseas, to be held in Vestry Saturday afternoon, Nov. 9th from 1 to 6. Contributions may also be brought on Sunday.

Annual Meeting

The Annual Meeting of the Walkerton Horticultural Society will be held in the Department of Agriculture on Thursday the 7th. Nov. at 4 o'clock p. m. For the election of officers and other business.

Jas. Tolton, Sec.

Goes To Woodstock

Miss Mabel M. Goodfellow has received a good appointment on the staff of the Woodstock-Ingersoll Sentinel-Review and Rod & Gun Magazine. She is to take an important post in the Advertising Dept. where her experience and proven ability in this line should prove most valuable.

WALKERTON WINS A FLAG

County Town Passes Its Objective At Half Time and Is Going Strong—Port Elgin has wonderful record. With Five Crowns On Flag—Rural Sections Are Lagging.

With the Victory Loan campaign just half over, Walkerton passed its objective last night and wins the honor flag. $60,000 was asked of this town and $43,500 has so far been subscribed. Every additional fifteen thousand now will mean a crown added to the flag. That Walkerton's flag will have a few crowns is now practically certain.

The Victory Loan objectives in all Ontario units have been increased twenty per cent. This means that Bruce County is asked to raise $2,400,000. To date the applications received total $850,450. There remain nine canvassing days to complete the job. Every canvassing district will now have to do its full share if old Bruce is to make good.

"The towns and villages are doing pretty well but the townships are not coming up to the mark," is the way one of the Victory loan officials sized up the situation yesterday in conversation with the Telescope. It is pointed out that the Northern District of Ontario the most sparsely settled and inaccessible section of all, is leading the whole province. This should be an incentive to Bruce to show what she really can do. Every one of the next nine days should be made to count big in the piling up a total that will put Bruce in the lead where she belongs.

RANDOM SHOTS

Two Millions from Bruce.

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Can it be done? It Can.

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Let's do it, folks!

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Let's put Bruce in the lead once more.

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Come on, now, all together!

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Now all together and over the Top!

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Wiarton has one crown already on its honor flag.

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Good morning, have you bought your Victory Bonds?

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Help make it two millions for Bruce—Buy Victory Bonds.

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What have YOU done to make the Victory Loan Campaign a success?

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Two million dollars from Bruce. Can it be done? It can and must be done.

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Walkerton should reach its $60,000 objective to-day. Now for the $100,000.

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Port Elgin, has already doubled its objective, winning the Honor Flag with four crowns.

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$9,000 from R. Truax & Son and employees, gave the Walkerton figures a nice boost yesterday.

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If Bruce's two million is to be raised, it won't be done by spectators. Are you doing your part?

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Three new ocean-going boats are to be named after the Counties or units that exceed their objectives by the biggest percentage. "Bruce" would be a dandy name for a boat.

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Some of the local factories are trying for the Banner, offered to concerns where at least 75 per cent. of the staff subscribe an amount equal to ten per cent of the amount of the annual pay roll.

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Nearly anyone can manage to purchase a $50 Bond. If you can't pay for it all at once, you can pay $5 down, $10 on December 6th, $10 on January 6th, $10 on February 6th, and $15.50 on March 6th. (this last covering balance of principal and .50 accrued interest.) Or if you want even longer time, you can arrange with any Bank to buy your Bond, extending the payments over nearly a year. You can buy a $100 Bond in the same way. Or a Bond for a larger amount in any of these ways. Interest at 5½ per cent. will be paid to you. You will get the interest each May and November.

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IF YOU CAN'T FIGHT
YOUR MONEY CAN
BUY VICTORY BONDS!

Hunter's Drug Store
Drugs and Kodaks Phone 35 C. P. R. Ticket Agency

THE LEAST WE CAN DO
BUT THAT WE MUST DO
BUY VICTORY BONDS!

This space donated by

A. P. SIEVERIGHT
Drugs - Kodaks

PAPER CONTROLLER ABOUT TO "ORDER CUTTING OFF"

OF

UNPAID SUBSCRIPTIONS

At a public hearing in Ottawa the other day in connection with paper conservation, the Paper Controller for Canada intimated that regulations about to be issued would include one of the effects that:

> Publishers of newspapers must cease sending their newspapers to subscribers three months in arrears, unless subscriptions be definitely renewed, and all arrears fully paid.

The reason for this regulation of the Paper Controller is that it is the practice of some publishers to send their newspapers until ordered stopped. It is to prevent paper waste that the new regulation has been decided on.

The manufacture of paper consumes labor, wood, coal, chemicals and transportation facilities, and every ton of paper saved means just so much more labor, raw materials, chemicals, fuel and transportation available for urgent war needs. For these reasons the Government insists that paper shall be saved and proposes that only those who pay for their publications shall receive them.

Under these regulations The Telescope will have no choice in the matter of dealing with "subscriptions in arrears for over three months.

"You need The Telescope, and we want to continue sending it to you. So, if your subscription is in arrears, please pay up at once to prevent a discontinuance of your subscription.

THAT BASE HOSPITAL

Cadet Tells Just How He Was Treated At Institution Where Capt. Roy Kain Died

"How I contracted the Spanish influenza—its symptoms—and the subsequent treatment received at the Base Hospital, Toronto.

"Long Branch Camp, Monday, Oct. 7th, 1918.

"At 4.30 p.m. I complain to the orderly at camp hospital that my throat feels a little raw. The orderly sprays my throat. I go back to quarters. At 7.30 I am in bed in tent, feet are terribly cold, bones and muscles all stiff and sore. The rawness from throat has extended down through the chest. I begin to cough and expectorate; no sleep; cough and expectorate all night.

"Tuesday, the 8th, still in bed in tent, coughing and expectorating. Fever not high, probably about 100. I keep drinking cold water. Some comrades bring in some tea and toast, cannot touch nor look at food. Bad night in tent, temperature probably goes a degree higher.

ORDERED TO BASE . . . .

"Wednesday, the 9th, at 9 a.m. I send for medical officers, who sends orderly, who takes temperature, orders my removal to Base Hospital. I get dressed and lie upon bed awaiting conveyance, which arrives at 10.30 a.m. Arrive at Base Hospital room. Here the affected patients' bundles, and the patients arriving, having no easier nor better place to rest, throw themselves up on these bundles, coughing and expectorating. We loll around altering our position for hours, some lying prone upon the hard barrack room forms that adorn the reception room. At 4.30 p.m. we get orders to change into hospital attire. At 6 p.m. I am in bed, after having climbed, in my then weak state, from the ground floor to the attic room in the building.

"The roof of attic room is low, the walls dirty and fly blown—marked by numerous spider webs. The bed clothing is clean, the white frame work of bed is greasy, and black; dirty hand marks cover it. No attendance is given me until around 8 p.m.; a medical officer then comes and sounds my chest and lungs back and front. A nurse or sister comes and I receive three little white pills, which I learn is calomel. I continue during the night to make excursions to the wash house, imbibing cold water in large quantities. No sleep—cough all night.

COLD WATER FOR FEVER

"Thursday, Oct. 10th. This morning my temperature is normal. I am given some cough mixture. At 3.30 p.m. my temperature rises to 102. I call for sister. I ask for a hot water bottle for my feet. She brings it, also some brandy (weak). I still continue drinking cold water, walking to wash room to get it. My idea for drinking such large quantities of cold water was to cool the fire raging inside me.

"Friday, Oct. 11th. This morning my temperature is 99. I try drinking some cold milk which has been placed at bedside. On a plate lies a piece of bread and some butter roughly spread thereon. This, then, was the patient's nourishment—take it or leave it. I began wondering if I had committed some crime; was this not some prison? Surely, it was not, could not be a hospital. At 4 p.m. my temperature rises to 103. I am given a little more weak brandy. I still keep up the practice of drinking cold water. I put in a very bad night—cough incessantly.

"Saturday, Oct. 12th. Temperature normal, same food, cup of cold milk and piece of bread and butter—cannot eat; the sight of food makes me feel sick.

NATURE'S CURE

Sunday, Oct. 13th. Temperature still normal—poison must have been driven out of system by cold water. The medical authorities here seem to allow nature to play great part in the curing of Spanish influenza. It appeared to me from the first that they were ignorant of any treatment for the disease.

"Monday, Oct. 14th. Still normal temperature—very weak—no suitable nourishment given yet—the same cold cup of milk, the same piece of bread and butter. I crave for some small appetizing thing. No one consulted me on this. I asked an orderly to bring me, if he could at all manage it, just half an orange. His retort was: 'Did I think I was in the King Edward Hotel?' I said 'No,' but I thought all the hotels should have everything the King Edward had.

REMOVED IN ARMY TRUCK

"Tuesday, Oct. 15th. Weak, can scarcely stand on my feet. I am discharged, with about 39 others, to proceed to Burwash Hall. After waiting around the grounds from 2 o'clock until 5 o'clock, the conveyance arrives to take us to Burwash Hall. It was a large Packard army truck used mainly for rations and kits, there were no seat in it—into this we were told to scramble. We had to stand upright, crowded together, holding on to each other. When I saw this arrangement I immediately lodged a complaint with the receiving officer. That gentleman just sat there looking at me—he could suggest no better means of conveyance. Of course, after this, there was nothing for me to do but climb in amongst that emaciated, weak, trembling crowd. The ride was rough.

"Wednesday, Oct. 16th. Burwash Hall. We are here I believe, for three days. The food is just simply barrack room rations—nothing nourishing or appetizing. Is the Canadian Government bankrupt—has Germany defeated us? I suppose we may look for some such similar treatment after the war.

"I withhold my name for Military purposes. Would like Mayor Church to see this.

(Sgd.,) "SUFFERER."

A HOUSE-CLEANING NEEDED

(The Globe.)

"Did anybody suffer from it (the condition and the overcrowding of the Base Military Hospital?")—Surgeon General Guy Carleton Jones, in charge of hospitalization in Canada.

"A lot of people died from it. That is just what we are here to investigate."—Crown Attorney R. H. Greer.

The ignorance and unconcern of Surgeon-General Jones and the insolence and unconcern of Surgeon-General Fetheringham as to the care and treatment of Canada's soldier sons in sickness at the Base Hospital place upon the Minister of Militia and the Government of the Dominion an unpleasant but imperative duty. The service of these two officers, specially entrusted with that branch of service, will doubtless be dispensed with. Any usefulness they may have had is at an end. But administrative action ought not to terminate with their dismissal. The Government, if it is well advised, will, without further delay, institute a thorough house-cleaning of this whole department of official "Ottawa."

The evidence of General Jones is an amazing revelation of the manner in which he regarded the responsibility of the office he holds. In charge of military hospitalization in Canada, and within a stone's throw of an institution which had been repeatedly the subject of criticism, protest, and recommendation on the part of the General Officer Commanding the district, General Jones testified that, at the time of the steady oncoming of the influenza epidemic, he had reported favorably on the situation without even taking the trouble to visit the Base Hospital or the east residence of Burwash Hall. On the statement of a subordinate he had undertaken to give them a clean bill. A medical officer with this notion of his duty toward young Canadians in khaki has no longer place in the public service of the Dominion. His conduct on the witness stand caused the Crown Attorney on one occasion to ask him sharply whether it was his wilful purpose to misunderstand the matters upon which he was being examined.

The evidence of Colonel F. W. Marlow formerly Assistant Director of Medical Services in this military district, is an illuminating revelation of the unconcern as to conditions regarding military hospitalization which prevails in that branch of officialdom at Ottawa which is entrusted with its control. Dr. Marlow testified that he found there was not sufficient hospital accommodation in the early part of 1917, when there was no large R.A.F. units in Canada, no draftees, and not so many returned soldiers to care for. He had repeatedly made urgent recommendations to "Ottawa," and he described the condition of the hospital accommodation and the refusals of "Ottawa" to pay any attention to his appeals as "one of the most potent reasons" for his subsequent resignation.

The Government cannot afford to "pussy-foot" with this situation. The lives of young soldiers have been the ghastly penalty already paid for tolerating the breed of arrogant and unconcerned officialdom represented by the Fetheringhams and Joneses. These men must go, and all others who stand for the system they created or perpetuated. Canada must forthwith be supplied with a military medical service which is active, competent, and humanitarian—with officers who are really concerned with the welfare and well-being of the boys whom mothers, fathers, wives, and sisters hold dear.

SUNDAY SCHOOLS OF CANADA

UNITE TO HELP

VICTORY LOAN

BY

WAR MEMORIAL



ONE MILLION SCHOLARS! ONE MILLION DOLLARS!

BILLY AND BUM AND I

No secrets are held between us three—
Billy and Bum and I;
For Billy's a dog with a silver cup,
And Bum is a cross-grained mongrel pup,
And I—Well, I'd just a boy grown up
We're friends, so why should there secrets be?
Billy and Bum and I;

We're known to the vales and winding stream,
Billy and Bum and I;

To the open plain and the wooded hill,
To the haunts of the lark and the whip-o'-will,
Where solitude peace in our minds instill;
While strolling, the mysteries of nature glean,
Billy and Bum and I;
As 'long through the moss-banked paths we stray,
Billy and Bum and I;

In my confidence those two dogs I take,
I tell of the hopes and the dreams I make,
Of the fight to win and the prize at stake,
We drink at the pool to speed the day,
Billy and Bum and I;
We often find time for a romp and a play,
Billy and Bum and I;

We leap o'er the rills; in green grass lie;
Too swiftly the hours of day flash by.
Till we know how the sun in the sun in the western sky
We've reached the end of a perfect day,
Billy and Bum and I.

THE STRANGER

"Who's the stranger, mother dear?
Look, he knows us—ain't he queer
"Hush, my own, don't talk so wild;
He's your father, dearest child."
"He's my father! No such thing!
Father passed away last Spring."
"Father didn't die, you dub,
Father joined a golfing club.
But they've closed the club, so he
Has no place to go, you see—
No place left for him to roam—
That is why he's coming home.
Kiss him — he won't bite you, chi
All them golfing guys look wild!"

One Kind of Grace.—

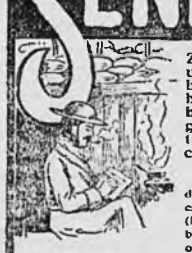
"Tom—My pa is very relig
He always bows his head and
something before meals.

Dick—Mine always says
thing when he sits down to ea
he don't bow his head.

Tom—What does he say?

Dick—Go easy on the butter.
It's 50 cents a pound.

SEND US MORE

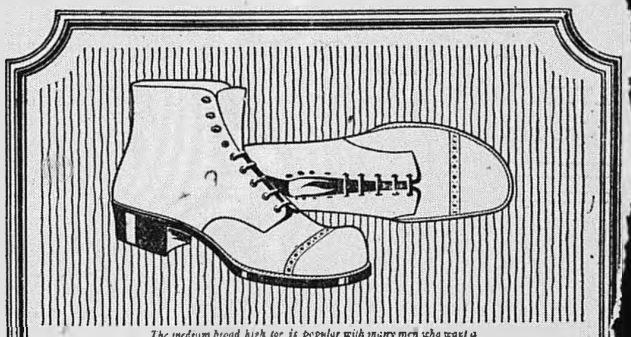


Zam-Buk! This is the appeal that is constantly reaching us from the front, and we pass it on in case there may yet be some who do not know how necessary Zam-Buk is to the boys in France. Amongst the many letters that have been brought to our notice, is one which reads: "I wish we could get more Zam-Buk sent out from home instead of so much tobacco. We can get tobacco here, but unfortunately we cannot always get Zam-Buk, and we need it badly."

Zam-Buk is used by the soldiers for sore hands, frostbite, cold cracks, cuts, sores of all kinds (including gas sores), and sore and blistered feet. It is put up in tins of convenient size for carrying in the pocket so that a man can have it handy to apply at the right moment. When an injury is treated immediately with Zam-Buk, there is no danger of festering or blood-poisoning.

Zam-Buk is just as necessary, too, at home for injuries and skin troubles of all kinds. All dealers or Zam-Buk Co., Toronto, 50c box, 3 for $1.25. Send this advertisement and 1c stamp (for return postage) to Zam-Buk Co., Toronto, and receive FREE SAMPLE.

Zam-Buk



The medium broad high toe is popular with many men who want a roomy wide-fitting shoe. Blucher: black or brown leathers, $6 to $10

The High Cost of Whims

THE United States Government has found it necessary to issue strict orders regulating the styles of shoes. Why? Because the high cost of fads imposes a burden all along the line—upon manufacturer, dealer and consumer, and upon the Government itself.

Such action may be avoided in Canada, if you—the consumer—will co-operate with the manufacturer in reducing the demand for extravagant styles—if you will buy prudently, for service rather than for effect.

To do this will be a direct benefit to you. You will get better and longer service, more comfort, and your shoes will be quite as neat and attractive. You will need fewer pairs of shoes in the course of a year.

More than that: you will help to cut down needless extravagance, to reduce superfluous stocks on the dealers' shelves, to keep prices down, and to release essential supplies of leather for our forces overseas.

A.H.M. War-Time Selections offer Special Service Value for Men, Women and Children. Ask your dealer for them.

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When you buy Shoes look for— AHM —this Trade-mark on every sole

The Telephone Service and Spanish "Flu"

In common with the general community the operating staff has been affected by the present epidemic of colds and influenza and has been seriously depleted in consequence. At the same time the volume of telephone calls is greatly increased. So many people are ill at home that the telephone has been used continuously and the load of extra calls on our depleted operating force has been very heavy. Please keep this extraordinary situation in mind and USE YOUR TELEPHONE ONLY WHEN ABSOLUTELY NECESSARY. You will thus be helping to keep the service intact to meet the urgent needs of the community in the present emergency:

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Late Graduate in Arts and Medicine Queen's University. Member of the College of Physicians and Surgeons. Office and residence on corner of Bruce and Cayley Streets.

SPANISH INFLUENZA RAGES IN CANADA

Thousands of Cases Reported With Many Deaths.

THOSE WHO ARE MOST SUSCEPTIBLE TO IT

"FRUIT-A-TIVES"—The Wonderful Fruit Medicine—Gives the Power To Resist This Disease.

The epidemic of Spanish Influenza which played such havoc in Europe, has reached this continent. Thousands of cases of the strange malady have appeared and many deaths are already reported; Surgeon-General Blue of the United States Public Health Service having stated that "Spanish Influenza will probably spread all over the country in six weeks".

Practically every ship which touches our shores from abroad, brings those infected with the disease.

Surgeon-General Blue urges that "the individual take all the precautions he can against contracting the disease by care and personal hygiene". Plenty of exercise should be taken; the diet should be regulated, etc.

Spanish Influenza affects most severely elderly persons and others whose powers of resistance are weakened by illness, work or worry, especially those who are "run-down" or "not feeling up to the mark."

The really great danger from the disease is not so much in the disease itself, as that it often develops into pneumonia.

What everyone needs now is a general tonic like "Fruit-a-tives". This wonderful fruit medicine is not a germ-killer. It is a body-builder; a strength-maker; a blood-purifier; a power in protecting against the ravages of disease.

"Fruit-a-tives" regulates the kidneys and bowels, causing these organs to eliminate waste regularly and naturally as nature intended. "Fruit-a-tives" Keeps the skin active, and purifies and enriches the blood. "Fruit-a-tives" tones up and strengthens the organs of digestion, insuring food being properly digested and assimilated.

Everyone can take ordinary precautions, avoid crowded places, and use "Fruit-a-tives" regularly to insure sound digestion, to keep the bowels and kidneys regular and the whole system in the best possible condition. Then we are safe from disease.

"Fruit-a-tives" is sold by dealers everywhere at 50c a box, 6 for $2.50, trial size 25c or sent postpaid on receipt of price by Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa, Ont.

NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Mr. Ben Whitehead of Brant is able to be out again after his recent operation.

Down With Pneumonia

Miss Jeane Miller, who was taken ill with influenza last week, has developed pneumonia and her condition is causing anxiety. Her sisters Misses Rose and Marie Miller, are very much improved.

Read the Home Paper

The Telescope gives you the reading matter in which you are most interested—the home news. Its every issue will prove a welcome visitor to every member of the family. It should head the list of your newspaper and periodical subscriptions.

Caught Flu In Mexico

Mrs. Adam Wilson had word from her husband recently that he had been down with the influenza at Mexico City. Mr. Wilson, who went to Mexico last month on a business trip for the Canadian Bank of Commerce, is expected home next week.

Publisher and Hog Raiser

Chas. Ramage of the Durham Review is experimenting this year on the profits in raising hogs. He has two of the Yorkshire White breed, and he has two strings with a lot of knots on them which have been made by experimenting on the weekly gain in girth of his hogs. Charlie Ramage was a man of the people at one time, but his democratic notions may change when his hogs bring him into influence as it did Flavelle—Chesley Enterprise.

Mr. Con. B. Schnurr expects to ship a carload of apples, most Northern Spies, in a few days to Plum Coulee, Man.

Wounded In Arm

Pte. John M. Woelfle, son of Mr. And. Woelfle, of Greenock, was admitted to a hospital on Oct. 3rd. with gunshot wound in right arm.

A Quiet Hallowe'en

Hallowe'en was more than usually quiet this year, a chilling rain dampening the ardor of most of the younger code of pranksters. A juvenile darky band serenaded some of the residents near the Biscuit factory corner and had lots of fun without playing pranks on the neighbours.

Letters From Soldiers.

Letters from soldiers in France are read with a great deal of interest by other persons beside the immediate relatives. The Telescope will be glad to get such letters. We will extract only such parts as are of public interest and return the letters intact. Phone us, No. 48, Walkerton.

A Good Work is This

A dentist examined pupils in ten schools in the Bruce Peninsula, under the auspices of the Women's Institute of Wiarton, and reports 73 per cent. with decayed teeth, and 65 per cent. requiring medical attention and 75 per cent. dental attention. Only two per cent. of the pupils showed normal condition. This goes to show the great need of dental inspection and attention to the teeth of the boys and girls attending school in rural sections if they are to be kept in good health.



WHEN a child starts coughing mother's duty is to give the little sufferer a Peps tablet, and thus prevent any weakening of the lungs. As the tablet dissolves in the child's mouth, the soothing medicinal fumes given off pass through the tender breathing passages straight to the lungs and bring immediate comfort and relief.

Peps contain no opium or other harmful drugs, and can be given to a child of either whole or crushed to powder with the assurance of absolute benefit.

One Little Pep at night will clear the respiratory passages and let the little one's sleep be unbroken by coughing fits. A Pep before starting out on a cold or inclement day is also an unfailing safeguard for the children against colds and chests.

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CHIEF FERGUSON'S THREE GALLANT SOLDIER SONS



PTE. JACK, PTE. ARCHIE, AND SERGT. BOB FERGUSON

The recent heavy fighting in France, has taken heavy toll of Chief Ferguson's family. Archie, the youngest has been reported missing since Oct. 1st. Sergt. Bob has been severely wounded, his leg requiring to be amputated, and is now being nursed at Brighton Hospital, England, by his sister, Nursing Sister Annie Ferguson.

Off To Russia

Bombardier Louis Dippel, M. M. son of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Dippell, who has been recuperating from typhoid fever in England after two years' service on the West Front, sailed last month from Dundee, Scotland, on a military expedition to Russia.

A Youthful Knitter

Dorothy Harley of Hanover, a clever little girl of six years, and a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. John McKinnon, is a great little war-worker. She is now knitting her third pair of socks for the soldiers and is making a good job of them. Dorothy knows the difference between good and bad knitting and hers has to be just so. She had a pair nearly finished for her cousin, Chester Cunningham last Spring, when news came that he had been killed in action.

Three of Family Died

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bradshaw, of 8th. con. Elderslie, have lost three of their children within two weeks from pneumonia following influenza. Their eldest daughter Maggie, about 14 years of age, succumbed on Oct. 16th, at the home of Mr. Wm. Herron, where she had been working. Harry, 10 years old, died on Wednesday last at the home of Mr. Jas. Thompson, where he had been removed to, and on Monday Jerry, 8 years old, died at home. The eldest son, John, who is a drafted soldier, is also very ill, and was taken to Walkerton hospital on Monday. The deepest sympathy is felt for the bereaved family.—Port Arthur Advocate.

Quick Word From Son.

Mr. Amos Hoover had quick news from his son, Pte. Bert Hoover, who was officially reported admitted to Hospital on Oct. 17th., with gunshot wound in right arm. Two weeks from the day he was reported wounded Mr. Hoover had a letter from Bert, written from a Military Hospital, at Edmonton, London, Eng. telling how he was getting on. He wrote, "Am writing with my left hand as I was hit in right arm by rifle bullet. Bone isn't mashed much so don't worry as I am alright here. This place is like Heaven to some places I could mention". Bert's address is, Sec. 3, Ward 12, Military Hospital, Silver St. Edmonton, England.

Grinder Blown Up

Monday evening the grinder in the Feversham Oppen furrier's mill blew up, scattering pieces of metal about the mill and sending some of it up into the second story. In fact it went flying in all directions about the miller and his helper escaped being hurt by the flying pieces. The grinder is a mass of scrap iron. A span of horses belonging to Mr. Wiseman of Gibralter was standing at the door while he was loading his chop and ran away when the noise of the crash came and ran around the mill shed, hitting Will Alexander knocking him down and running over him. His collar bone was broken and he was otherwise injured. We understand Mr. Alexander is seriously injured.—Flesherton Advance.

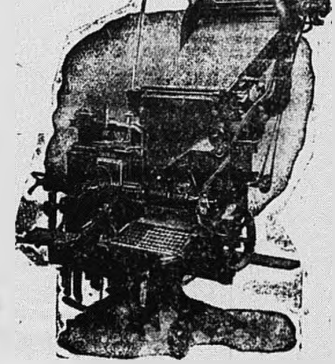


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Damning Evidence

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It was that her husband had died because of the unsatisfactory conditions at the Base Hospital. Mrs. Kain said her husband was placed in a ward with five other patients who were dying, and that during the times she visited him there she had seen two men die before her husband passed away. He died in her presence and was the third she had seen cross the great divide, and a fourth man was dying at the time her husband breathed his last. Her husband was conscious and rational until within two hours of his death. He had complained that the medical officers had not examined his chest from the time of his admission on Monday, October 7, to the following Friday. She had called the attention of the nurses to this, but did not speak to the doctors on the matter. Each time she had visited the hospital her husband expressed great dissatisfaction with the treatment he was receiving and desired to have a special nurse. Mrs. Kain said she was convinced from what she saw at the hospital her husband would have had a much better chance of recovery if he had received more careful attention. She did not blame the nurses, because they tried to be kind, but they were overworked. They had too many patients to look after. She was unable to make any specific charge of neglect against anyone, but she felt that "no special interest was taken in the patients."

Air of Carelessness

"There was an air of carelessness about the place." Her husband was conscious that the men around him were dying and that alone was not conducive to his recovery. In reply to Lieut.-Col. J. A. MacDonald, A.J.A.G., Mrs. Kain said she realized the seriousness of her complaints. She had no desire to injure the reputation of anyone, but was anxious that the truth should be known. "The conditions in that room where my husband was placed were not helpful to a man getting better." She had called the attention of the nursing sister to the very bad smells her husband had, while she was there, but the nurse made light of them, and made no attempt to call the doctors or to do anything to afford her husband relief. She explained that she had been told that her husband was getting better and would recover. Then she had a message saying that his condition was most serious, and she had better come at once. She responded to that call, and was with him almost constantly until he died. Several times during those last days he referred to the lack of consideration shown the patients. When he entered the hospital his condition was not serious. He had a mild attack of influenza, and should not have been placed in a ward with serious cases.

Alleges Neglect

Asked by Col. MacDonald if she would go as far as to say her husband's death was the result of neglect, Mrs. Kain promptly answered, "Yes, according to his statements." Mr. Macdonald retorted sharply, "I don't want that, I want your own opinion." Mrs. Kain replied, "I can only say that if conditions had been different he would have recovered." This answer displeased Mr. Macdonald, and he began to cross-examine the witness in a very severe manner, which caused Crown Attorney Greer to protest. Mrs. Kain, continuing, said it was very hard for her to explain just what she desired to convey of carelessness about the place. It was not until the night prior to her husband's death that he was told he might call in a private physician.

Broke His Leg.

One of the G.T.R. gang of painters, named Dalrymple sustained a fracture of the big bone of his right leg yesterday afternoon. He was knocked off a scaffolding at the station by some of the passengers knocking against the ladder with the above result.

Quite Unnecessary Waste

With half the people of Walkerton wondering where their winter's fuel is going to come from, the burning of an enormous quantity of boxes and barrels to make a bonfire at the post office corner Monday night ought not to have been permitted. At a time when government, press, and pulpit are calling for thrift such wanton wastefulness should not be tolerated. People could have celebrated with a good deal more zest without the spectacle of whole cartloads of good fuel going up in smoke to provide entertainment for a few silly numbskulls with long pants but short brains. One doesn't need to be told that those who piled on the fuel were were not paying the shot. The boxes were purloined from private premises. The door of one merchant's shed was broken open and no less than forty packing cases taken. This is only one instance. The Town Council will likely be asked to foot the bill.

Old Timer Revisits Town

Mr. John Reid, an old former citizen of Walkerton, paid a short visit to the town last week while in the East to attend the funeral of his brother, James, in Huron County. Mr. Reid was employed with the Noxons here in the Flour mill and later with the late David Moore, leaving here upwards of thirty years ago. He is now with the Ogilvie Milling Co. out West.

Drowned In Wreck

Mrs. Fred J. Wilton of Carrick, had a telegram last week announcing the death of her sister, Mrs. Norman McLeod (nee Mary A. Dickison) who with her husband was one of the 346 souls who perished in the wreck of the C.P.R. steamship Princess Sophia on the Pacific Coast on Oct. 27th. Mrs. McLeod went West a number of years ago and kept a store at Atlin, B. C. near the Alaskan border. A few years ago she married Mr. McLeod, a prosperous mining man. When they met their death they were on their way from Atlin to Vancouver to spend the winter.

Stop The Hoarding

If half the reports are true, there is urgent need for the local fuel commissioner to visit some of the cellars of the town and see to it that our meagre supply of anthracite be distributed fairly. A shipment of coal that came to one of our local dealers last week is reported to have gone mostly to the people who were already well provided for, while less fortunate citizens have been unable even to get the beginning of their winter's supply. At one place the waggon called, two big hins were nearly full. After heaping both bins up high the driver, perhaps to emphasize his disgust at the customer's hoggish propensities, scooped the balance of the load into a small outhouse where it remained heaped up —a fitting monument to the owner.

Died in B. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Wehengel received the sad news by wire on Monday that their second son, Peter, had died of pneumonia the previous day at Fernie, B. C. It was the first intimation they had received that he had been sick and it came as a shocking blow. Peter owned a farm at Edgerton, Alta., and as the crop was a failure this year, he went to British Columbia a few weeks ago to look for work for the winter. It is thought he was ill but a few days. The remains were interred at Fernie on Wednesday, Nov. 6th. Peter was in his twenty-eighth year and leaves beside his parents, four brothers and five sisters. They are: Capt. (Dr.) Wehengel, now on duty at New Haven, Conn., Will and Frank of Brant; Jos. of the U. S. Army, Detroit, Mich.; Mrs. Monahan, of Yale, Mich.; Mrs. Will Ryan of Brant; Miss Adeline of Detroit.

Walkerton Jubilates

Walkerton took a night off on Monday to celebrate the downfall of Kaiser Bill's right bower, the Hapsburgs. At 7.30 p. m. a torch light and auto procession was formed in front of the Town Hall and paraded around the Town. A big bonfire was lighted at the post office corner and the church bells and factory whistles added to the general jubilation. After the procession had gone the rounds, Mayor Johnston addressed the the crowd from the Town Hall steps, and called upon other speakers including D. Robertson K. C., John A. Rowland, Frank Rennie, Rev. C. W. Cosens, and Rev. R. Perdue. The speeches took a serious note of gratefulness for the good things that were now coming to Canada and Allies, and pride in the brave deeds of our boys Overseas, so many of whom have given their lives. Every speaker put in a good word for Victory Bonds, urging the people to finish the job right by subscribing liberally.

Had Leg Amputated

Chief Ferguson had further word this week from his daughter, Nursing Sister Annie Ferguson, regarding his son, Sergt. Bob Ferguson, who was so seriously wounded a few weeks ago. Bob is now in England and in charge of his sister, so that he is bound to receive the very best attention. One point in her letter was that the cable was wrong in stating that Bob had lost an arm. It was his leg that required amputation. She writes:—

"The wound on the arm is only slight and as you know his left leg is amputated above the knee but his most serious wound is the right side. The wound itself is not much, but it involves a lot. The shrapnel ball entered the side and passed downwards causing partial paralysis. Now his condition is very good, considering all that he has passed through, and they tell me here he has improved wonderfully during the few days he has been in here. He has a lot of pain at times but he is wonderfully cheerfully and patient. He will have to have an operation for the removal of the shrapnel but that will have to be done in England so I am going back with him and am trying to have him sent to Brighton so that can be near him all the time."

NEWS ABOUT TOWN

November.

Christmas next.

Twelve local pages.

Read the ads. It will pay you.

Special—Bakers Cocoa per lb. 35c. at C. Patrick's.

Mr. John Clancy of Cargill was a visitor in town Friday.

Mr. Robert Irwin arrived home last week from a trip to the West.

Christie's fancy broken biscuits, 2 lbs. for 25c. at C. Patrick's.

Mrs. Fred Bannister has recovered from a bad attack of the grippe.

East Bruce Sunday School Convention will be held at Mildmay Friday.

Miss Minnie Denny arrived home Saturday on a visit to her home here.

Miss Carrie Mossack of Preston, visited old friends in town this week.

A gang of G. T. R. painters are giving the Station a fresh coat this week.

Mr. Albert Miller, engineer at Truax's mill, is laid up with pleurisy and influenza.

Mrs. Rochett of Hickson and Mr. Alex Patterson of Ripley spent Sunday at Mr. Dan Ernest's in Brant.

Mrs. M. J. Parsons and little daughter of Montreal are visiting her sister, Mrs. John H. Appel.

Mr. Guy Kinahan of St. Augustin, spent Sunday at the residence of Mr. John Scanlon, Beaver Glen Farm.

Mrs. Eugene Griffin of Toronto who has been visiting at Mr. John Scanlon's, Brant, is returning home on Friday.

Mrs. Shadwick, of Detroit, Mich. accompanied by her son Clare visited her sister Mrs. Dan Ernest in Brant this week.

Mr. William Kappler's house on Victoria St. has been greatly improved by being veneered with white brick, the job being done by Mr. John Becker.

A San Francisco girl wears a pin with nine service stars. Not nine brothers—nine sweethearts. The real war will start when this one is over.

Mr. Frank Antonio returned from St. Thomas last Thursday, where he attended the funeral of his nine months' old infant daughter, who died of bronchitis after three weeks' sickness.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hodgson, and family who have been spending the summer with Mrs. Hodgson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James White, East Ward, returned to Mount Dora on Monday.

Capt. Harry Robertson of Charleston, West Virginia, spent a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Robertson this week before reporting for duty with the Canadian Army Medical Corps.

It is reported that both the father and mother of Mr. A. D. Lamont B. A. formerly mathematics master at the High School, have died recently. We were unable to confirm the report before going to press.

Mr. Joe Wehengel, of Detroit, who recently joined the U. S. Army, came over this week to spend a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Wehengel, on learning of the death of his brother, Peter, at Fernie, B. C. on Sunday.

The way of the present age: Daughter—I'll put on my raincoat and run over to the postoffice to see whether there is any mail for us. Mother—Do not go, Daughter! It rains so hard that it would really be a crime to chase a dog out of the house. Let father go.

From the first of November next, the McLaughlin Motor interests will be amalgamated with the General Motors Corporated, which manufacture, among others, the Buick and the Chevrolet across the border. The McLaughlin interests thus consolidated comprise the McLaughlin Motor Car Co., Ltd. Chevrolet Motor Co. of Canada Ltd., and McLaughlin Carriage Co.

Robathan — O'Neill

The wedding took place at a R. C. Church, Toronto, on Wednesday, October, 30th. of Miss Loretta Stella O'Neill, fourth daughter of Mr. Hugh John O'Neill of Walkerton, to Mr. Ernest Robathan, of Toronto. There were no attendants. The happy young couple will reside in Toronto where the groom has a position as motorman with the Toronto Street Railway.

Expected Home Soon

Sergt. John Clancy, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Clancy of Cargill is at present in England and expects to be invalided home to Canada shortly. Jack went to England with 160th. Bruce Batt'n. In 1916 but was transferred very shortly afterwards to a Pioneer Batt'n. and has been nearly two years' service in France. A letter received from Jack last week stated he did not know definitely when he would be billed for Canada.

Read the ads.

Twelve local pages.

Load of Hay wanted. Patrick.

Mr. Jos. Lippert paid a visit to Toronto this week.

Overseas booklets, Xmas stickers and tags at Hunter's.

Miss Olive Weiler has taken a position at the post office.

Miss Ethel Petteplace has recovered after an attack of grippe.

The town teamster has resigned his job and is removing to Stratford.

Mr. W. A. Tolton of Brant shipped a car of apples to Kelfield, Sask., on Tuesday.

Miss Gladys Rife was out this week for the first time after a serious attack of grippe.

Mrs. Robert Armstrong of Glengarry, Man., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Jas. Tolton.

Mr. Charles Petteplace jr. who has been home sick with the grippe returned to his duties at St. Catherines on Monday.

Mrs. (Dr.) Shaw and Mrs. Goodheart, who were here with their father, Mr. William Webber during his last illness, left for their homes at Shaunavon, Sask., yesterday.

The Fire Brigade had a run to Mrs. Frank Ernest's West Ward at 12.45 noon on Tuesday. A chimney caught fire but was put out before the Firemen were able to rush to the scene.

Patient: "Doctor, why does a small cavity seem so large to the tongue?"

Dentist: "Just the natural tendency of the tongue to exaggerate, I suppose."

Condition Improved

A telegram from Ottawa on Monday stated that Pte. John H. Erickson of Cargill, was no longer dangerously ill.

Diamond Cut Diamond

Butcher: This pound of butter you sent me is three ounces short.

Grocer: Well, I mislaid the pound weight, so I weighed it by the pound of chops you sent me yesterday.—Boston Transcript.

Amputated His Own Leg

"Another man, Dobson of Paisley, whose leg was shattered with a shell completed the amputation with his own jack-knife and dressed his own wound. He thought his other foot was gone, but when the doctor told him it was only broken he said, "I'm glad, that's Jack-a-loo." The above is a paragraph written in his special correspondence to the Saskatoon Daily Star and Chicago Daily News by Capt. R. L. Renison, Canadian Chaplain.

Salvation Army Campaign

Adjutant Martin of the Salvation Army, London, and Dr. Hugh A. Knowles, Campaign director and speaker for the Western Ontario Division, were in town for a short while yesterday morning, arranging for the County organization meeting for the Salvation Army Million Dollar Campaign which is to be launched shortly. The Campaign in Bruce for this worthy work is to be conducted by Mr. C. J. Mickle, K. C. of Chesley and a committee of representative men from the various municipalities.

Death of Wm. Webber

William Webber, an old resident of the town, who had been ill for some time with bladder and kidney trouble, passed away at his home over the West end bridge on Sunday. His wife predeceased him on the 16th of last month, succumbing to a paralytic stroke followed by the flu. Mr. Webber was in his 77th. year. He came to Walkerton from Dallinafad about twenty years ago. A grown up family of one son and five daughters survive. They are: — Wesley of Eyebrow, Sask; Mrs. Erickson of Vancouver, B. C.; Mrs. Huycke, Mrs. (Dr.) Shaw and Mrs. Goodheart of Shaunavon, Sask., and Miss Louisa of Detroit.

"Keep Home Fires Burning."

Isaac had been drafted and sent to France.

Jacob, his partner, distracted, had hanged Isaac to cable when he got over.

Three weeks elapse. No cable.

Jacob cables Isaac: "Isaac! Woe is us! Our factory burned down ten days ago. Settled with insurance company for $60,000. Why don't you cable or write?"

Three weeks more. No reply.

Jacob cables again: "Isaac! Woe is us! Our storage warehouse burned down last week. Total loss. Settled for $75,000. I am nearly crazy from grief. Why don't you cable? Are you dead?"

Three weeks more. No reply.

Jacob cables again: "Isaac! Woe is us! Our main office burned last week. Settled insurance for $90,000 I will die if you don't cable. Haven't heard from you at all. Where are you? Are you alive?"

Answer comes next day:

"Jacob stop that nonsense—spending all your money for cables! I'm all right. You just keep the home fires burning!"

A YEAR IN ITALY

Lieut. Les Hunther Flew Over Mediterranean In Search of German "Tin Fish"

Lieut. Les Hunther, whose visit to town was reported in last week's Telescope, has had an interesting experience since he last saw Walkerton. During the past year he was with the British Flying Forces in Italy. He was stationed near the mouth of the Adriatic, just at the heel of the boot as the map shows it. The Flyers' job was to get the Austrian and German submarines that were constantly slipping out to infest the Mediterranean. In this work they were assisted by British, French and Italian torpedo-boat destroyers and other small craft. During the year they managed to bag a number of the "tin fish", although it was a difficult proposition. Out in the Mediterranean the flyers can see a long distance under water, not so in the Adriatic.

The Southern part of Italy, which Leslie saw most of, struck him as being very barren and rocky and poverty appeared to be general. The Italians did some great work on the Austrian front the past year, and the presence of the British and Allied fighters side by side with them had a very heartening influence. Les had several weeks in Rome and did not miss the opportunity of a lifetime to view some of the world's grandest architectural and artistic sights in that wonderful old metropolis.

Geo. D. McKay III

The Victory Loan organization has been handicapped the past week by the absence of the Secretary, Geo. D. McKay, who was an important factor in the success of last year's campaign. Mr. McKay, who caught cold while on his organizing tour through the County a few weeks ago. In his anxiety to resume the organization work he came out too quickly, took a relapse, and for nearly a week, has been in a very serious condition with bronchitis and pneumonia. His doctor reported a distinctly favorable turn yesterday and his many friends throughout the length and breadth of Bruce will be pleased to know that he is now quite out of danger.

Back From West

Mr. Robert Irwin, who returned last week from a business trip to the Saskatoon district, says that the Flu epidemic has been very bad up there, although the proportion of deaths has been small. Crops were poor in the neighborhood where his farms are located, running from 6 to 10 bushels to the acre but most of the farmers cleared expenses which means a good deal those times when it is considered that harvest help cost as high as $8 a day this summer. Western optimism is proof against all kinds of failure though, and even those who get hit the hardest take it with a smile and "better luck next year" is the cry.

PUBLIC NOTICE

I HEREBY GIVE PUBLIC NOTICE that I will not be responsible for or pay any debts or other liabilities which may be incurred by my wife, or any one on her behalf, she having left my bed and board without any just cause or reason.

Dated November 6th. 1918.

John Voelzing

Township of Brant.

THIS WEEK'S CASUALTIES

DIED OF WOUNDS

R. Keating, Mildmay.
Corp. N. Kaufman, Mildmay.
C. B. Millar, Wiarton.
W. Jewitt, Lucknow.
Pte. S. Cook, Lucknow.
Pte. Bert Blackman, Warton.

KILLED IN ACTION

S. McPherson, Tiverton.
C. Nickel, Southampton.
W. Ottwell, Wiarton.
A. A. Sinclair, Wiarton.
Pte. Wilfred Ottwell, Wiarton.

WOUNDED AND MISSING

G. McGillivray, Port Elgin.

MISSING

Archie Ferguson, Walkerton
S. McPherson, Tiverton.
H. Marshall, Southampton.

WOUNDED

Pte. J. Thompson, Mildmay.
Sergt. G. Sendamore, Mildmay.
Pte. W. Harmon, Port Elgin.
W. Lawrence, Wiarton.
W. Wright, Ripley.
T. G. Burgman, Chesley.
B. Lavalley, Cape Croker.
H. H. Keating, Mildmay.
R. Dean, Tobermory.
A. McKinnon, Paisley.

GASSED

J. McLeod, Tiverton.

ILL

J. H. Ereckson.

James Fallis, of Brampton, sold 000 worth of dual purpose cat Thursday, Oct. 24th. A choice Right Sort, and her calf sold for Hawthorne Blossom brought Golden Drop went for $800, w other cow and her calf sold for

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NOTICE

Military Service Act, 1917.

EMPLOYMENT OF MEN IN DEFAULT UNDER THE MILITARY SERVICE ACT.

The following Regulations, recently approved by the Governor General in Council, impose strict obligations upon every employer TO ASSURE HIMSELF THAT EACH OF HIS EMPLOYEES OF MILITARY AGE AND DESCRIPTION IS IN POSSESSION OF DOCUMENTS PROVING THAT HE IS NOT IN ANY WAY IN DEFAULT UNDER THE MILITARY SERVICE ACT.

Any employer who is charged with having a man in his employ must be able to prove THAT THE MILITARY SERVICE PAPERS ISSUED BY THE REGISTRAR OR MILITARY AUTHORITIES TO THE EMPLOYEE IN QUESTION WERE PRODUCED FOR HIS INSPECTION at the time when the employee was taken into employment, and that it was reasonably established to his satisfaction that the man was not in default under the Military Service Act. It should be clearly understood that the Canadian Registration Certificates given on June 22, 1918, at the time of general registration, in no way define the status of a man under the Military Service Act.

REGULATIONS.

106. Every person who employs or retains in his service any man who has deserted or been absent without leave from the Canadian Expeditionary Force, or who is in default in the performance of any obligation or requirement for reporting or for military service, imposed upon him by the Act or Regulations, or any proclamation thereunder, shall be guilty of an offence punishable on summary conviction by imprisonment not exceeding six months, or by a penalty of not less than One Hundred Dollars, and of not more than Five Hundred Dollars, or by both such imprisonment and fine, unless such person prove that he made due inquiry and that THE MILITARY SERVICE PAPERS ISSUED BY THE REGISTRAR OR THE MILITARY AUTHORITIES TO THE MAN SO EMPLOYED OR RETAINED IN HIS SERVICE WERE PRODUCED FOR HIS INSPECTION, and that it was reasonably established to his satisfaction by such inquiry and papers that the man was not a deserter or absent from the force without leave, or in default in respect of any of the obligations or requirements aforesaid.

"106a. Every person who HARBOURS OR CONCEALS OR IN ANY WAY ASSISTS ANY MAN WHO IS A DESERTER OR ABSENT WITHOUT LEAVE FROM THE CANADIAN EXPEDITIONARY FORCE, or who is in default in the performance of any obligation or requirement for reporting or for military service imposed upon him by the Act or Regulations or any proclamation thereunder, shall be guilty of an offence punishable upon summary conviction by imprisonment not exceeding six months, or by a penalty of not less than One Hundred Dollars and of not more than Five Hundred Dollars, or by both such imprisonment and fine, unless such person prove that he was not aware and had no reasonable ground to suspect that the man so harboured, concealed, or assisted was a deserter or absent from the forces without leave or in default in respect of any of the obligations or requirements aforesaid."

MILITARY SERVICE BRANCH.

NOTICE TO SOLDIERS ON HARVEST LEAVE.

Attention is directed to a recent announcement published in the Press by the Military Service Branch, Department of Justice, regarding extensions to be granted to men EXEMPTED AS FARMERS.

It is pointed out that this DOES NOT IN ANY WAY AFFECT MEN WHO HAVE BEEN ORDERED BY THE REGISTRAR TO REPORT to Depot Battalions and who have thereafter received leave of absence from the Military Authorities.

Where a man has been ordered to report for duty by the Registrar he leaves the jurisdiction of the Registrar and comes under that of the Department of Militia and Defence, and is to be considered as a soldier. This applies to men of the 20 to 22 years who have been ordered to report by the Registrar in consequence of the cancellation of exemptions by Order-in-Council of the 10th April last, as well as to those ordered to report in the event of an appeal on refusal of claim for exemption, or on expiration of exemption granted.

All men, accordingly, who have been ordered to report, and therefore SOLDIERS, and who have subsequently been granted harvest leave by the military authorities, MUST, NOTWITHSTANDING THE NOTICE ABOVE REFERRED TO, REPORT ON THE EXPIRATION OF THEIR LEAVE, unless they are notified to the contrary by their Commanding Officer or by general notice published by the Department of Militia and Defence.

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA AND DEFENCE.

BRUCE BOY'S EXPERIENCE

Tells of Thrilling Time In Last Big Push—Words Are Quite Inadequate To Tell What The Boys Are Passing Through, So It Goes Undescribed.

The following interesting bit from the Front is taken from a letter written home by Will Clark at Port Elgin:—We are living in a barn. Wire bunks were put in a row. They are three bunks high and 15 long. That is there are 15 bunks side by side and the ends are toward the passage. This whole structure is supposed to be self-supporting. There are, of course, a couple of bits of wire fastening it to the wall. I was one of the fellows who preferred to take a top bunk. It is about 7 feet from the floor—or the ground really. The ground is the floor. The whole bunk structure is perilously unstable. The first day I felt sure it was going to collapse. Once the fellows begin crawling in for the night and spreading out ground sheets, etc., writing becomes an almost impossibility.

I don't think I told you about my experience of being in the first party to enter a German dugout. I never had that experience until the last push. Our fellows pushed the front line six hundred yards forward in the afternoon. We went through a German artillery barrage without a casualty, not a scratch. We did no ducking, just walked straight on—people watching us from away back through glasses, thought we would be wiped out—It's wonderful—the things which we have been used all our lives to seeing and describing and hearing described, the words we use for these things are quite inadequate for these new things and they go undescribed. But that dugout! We set our Lewis gun at its mouth pointing over No Man's land The treacherous traps that the Germans leave is amazing and we would look carefully. First of all there might be Germans still in there. I can remember enough German for such occasions and I shouted down "Kommen sie die Treppe herauf," but no answer came, not a sound. It's a safe general rule that when a German's case is hopeless he gives up. Every step has to be suspected, any tools must be suspected. Pressure on a step may put off a bomb, picking up a hammer or a shovel may pull a wire and set off a bomb—the traps are legion. There may be a very fine wire across the entrance or may be a nice looking souvenir is lying there. Everything is dangerous.

Well, with great care we began to make our way downwards step by step. One went ahead, revolver in one hand with finger on the trigger, and a hand grenade in the other hand. I came next close by him, rifle loaded, bayonet fixed with point well in advance of the leading man. A third followed close with a searchlight. All the way down we were watching for traps but still we could not forget that there might be some Fritzies below. Now and again we hear of a single German fighting until death. Here is a case. One was alone at a machine gun. Other means failing to locate the gun and put it out of action a tank went in. It was in some low undergrowth shrubbery. The man kept his gun in action till the tank passed over him. We got to the bottom. The place was deserted. But there was a lamp with a chimney unbroken and some oil in it. Of course, we looked around the lamp and poured out some of the oil and tried it to see that it was not some explosive. But everything was O. K. We stayed there that night, and were relieved, much to our pleasure the following day.

HOW VICTORY LOAN HELPS CANADIAN INDUSTRIES

The Imperial Munitions Board receives advances of nearly $35,000,000 a month from the Dominion Government.

It has placed over $650,000,000 in advances from the Dominion Government and the Canadian banks.

It has placed $1,200,000,000 worth of war orders in Canada for the British and other Allied Governments.

An advance of $10,000,000 enabled it to give orders of Canadian shipyards for 44 wooden ships. To this programme 46 steel ships were added. Total value over $60,000,000.

An advance of $1,000,000 enabled the Board to begin the manufacture of airplanes in Canada; 3,000 have been built to date of a value of $30,000,000.

Between 250,000 and 300,000 people are working in Canada on war orders obtained through the Board.

To carry out this programme will require millions in advances which must come from the Victory [illegible]

OFFICIAL PROSPECTUS

The proceeds of this Loan will be used for War purposes only, and will be spent wholly in Canada

THE MINISTER OF FINANCE OF THE DOMINION OF CANADA offers for Public Subscription the

Victory Loan 1918

$300,000,000. 5½% Gold Bonds

Bearing interest from November 1st, 1918, and offered in two maturities, the choice of which is optional with the subscriber as follows:

8 year Bonds due November 1st, 1923
15 year Bonds due November 1st, 1933

Principal payable without charge at the Office of the Minister of Finance and Receiver General at Ottawa, or at the Office of the Assistant Receiver General at Halifax, St. John, Charlottetown, Montreal, Toronto, Winnipeg, Regina, Calgary and Victoria.

Bonds may be registered as to principal or as to principal and interest, at any of the above-mentioned offices.

Interest payable, without charge, half-yearly, May 1st and November 1st, at any branch in Canada of any Chartered Bank.

Principal and interest payable in Gold
Denominations: $50, $100, $500 and $1,000

Issue Price: 100 and Accrued Interest

Income Return 5½% per Annum

Free from taxes—including any income tax—imposed in pursuance of legislation enacted by the Parliament of Canada.

The proceeds of the Loan will be used for war purposes only, including the purchase of grain, foodstuffs, munitions and other supplies, and will be spent wholly in Canada.

Payment to be made as follows:

10% on application;	20% January 6th, 1919;
20% December 6th, 1918;	30% February 6th, 1919;
	31.18% March 6th, 1919.

The last payment of 31.18% covers 30% balance of principal and 1.18% representing accrued interest at 5½% from November 1st to due dates of the respective instalments.

A full half year's interest will be paid on May 1st, 1919, making the cost of the bonds 100 and interest.

Subscriptions may be paid in full at the time of application at 100 without interest; or on any instalment due date thereafter together with accrued interest at the rate of 5½% per annum.

This Loan is authorized under Act of the Parliament of Canada, and both principal and interest are a charge upon the Consolidated Revenue Fund.

The Amount of this issue is $300,000,000, exclusive of the amount (if any) paid for by the surrender of bonds of previous issues. The Minister of Finance, however, reserves the right to allot the whole or any part of the amount subscribed in excess of $300,000,000.

Conversion Privileges

Bonds of this issue will, in the event of future issues of like maturity, or longer, made by the Government, during the remaining period of the War, other than issues made abroad, be accepted at 100 and accrued interest, as the equivalent of cash for the purpose of subscription to such issues.

Payments

All cheques, drafts, etc., covering instalments, are to be made payable to the Credit of the Minister of Finance. Failure to pay any instalment when due will render previous payments liable to forfeiture, and the allotment to cancellation. Subscriptions must be accompanied by a deposit of 10% of the amount subscribed. Official Canvassers will forward subscriptions or any branch in Canada of any Chartered Bank will accept subscription and issue receipts.

Subscriptions may be paid in full at time of application at 100 without interest; or on any instalment due date thereafter together with accrued interest to time of making payment in full. Under this provision, payment of subscriptions may be made as follows:

If paid in full on or before Nov. 16th, 1918, par without interest, or 100%.
If remaining instalments paid on Dec. 6th, 1918, balance of 90% and interest, ($90.46 per $100.)
If remaining instalments paid on Jan. 6th, 1919, balance of 70% and interest, ($70.80 per $100.)
If remaining instalments paid on Feb. 6th, 1919, balance of 50% and interest, ($51.04 per $100.)
If remaining instalment paid on Mar. 6th, 1919, balance of 30% and interest, ($31.14 per $100.)

Denomination and Registration

Bearer bonds, with coupons, will be issued in denominations of $50., $100., $500., and $1,000., and may be registered as to principal. The five coupons attached to these bonds will be due on May 1st, 1919.

Fully registered bonds, the interest on which is paid direct to the owner by Government cheque, will be issued in denominations of $50., $100., $500., $1,000., $5,000., $10,000., $25,000., $50,000., $100,000., or any multiple of $100,000.

Payment of Interest

A full half year's interest at the rate of 5½% per annum will be paid May 1st, 1919.

Form of Bond and Delivery

Subscribers must indicate on their application the form of bond and the denominations required, and the securities as indicated will be delivered by the bank upon payment of the subscription in full.

Bearer bonds of this issue will be available for delivery at the time of application to subscribers desirous of making payment in full. Bonds registered as to principal only, or fully registered as to principal and interest, will be delivered to subscribers making payment in full, as soon as the required registration can be made.

Payment of all instalments must be made at the bank originally named by the subscriber.

Non-negotiable receipts will be furnished to all subscribers who desire to pay by instalments. These receipts will be exchangeable at subscriber's bank for bonds on any instalment date when subscription is paid in full.

Form of Bonds Interchangeable

Subject to the payment of 25 cents for each new bond issued, holders of fully registered bonds without coupons, will have the right to convert into bonds with coupons and holders of bonds with coupons will have the right to convert into fully registered bonds without coupons, at any time, on application to the Minister of Finance or any Assistant Receiver General.

Forms of application may be obtained from any Official Canvasser, from any Victory Loan Committee, or member thereof, or from any branch in Canada of any Chartered Bank.

Subscription Lists will close on or before November 16th, 1918

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
OTTAWA, October 28th, 1918.

Behind the Gun the Man • Behind the Man the Dollar
Make Your Dollars Fight the Hun 143

HERE IS YOUR CAR!



McLaughlin, Dodge or Chevrolet:- Three well known cars that have proved their superior quality. Buy your auto supplies here.

All Repair Work guaranteed at the Walkerton Garage.

KOLPIN & ERMEL, Agents

PHONE 87 Garage and Sales Department WALKERTON.

Have YOU Bought a Victory Bond?

OUR SOLDIER HEROES: A Few Out of

KILLED IN ACTION



PTE. LEITH RUSSELL

Son of Ex-Reeve and Mrs. Robt. Russell, killed in action Feb. 10th. 1917.

KILLED IN ACTION



CAPT. ERIC ROBERTSON
Son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Robertson, Killed while leading British Planes in Action, July 12th., 1917.

DIED OF WOUNDS



PTE. EFFIE REICHENBACH

Son of Mr. Joseph Reichenbach, Victoria B. C. died of wounds, May, 1917.

KILLED IN ACTION



PTE. ALVIN E. WILTON

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Wilton, killed in action, Jan. 5th., 1917.

CAPT. MALCOLM McKECHNIE M.C



Son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald McKechnie, died of wounds, Aug. 8th., 1918.

GAVE HIS LIFE FOR COUNTRY



SERGT. MICHAEL McNAB

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael McNab, of Chepstow, died of Meningitis, at Whitley Camp, England, July 8th., 1917.

KILLED AT VIMY RIDGE



PTE GEORGE CUNNINGHAM

Walkerton Soldier who Fell at Famous Charge at Vimy Ridge, April 9th., 1917.

KILLED IN ACTION



HENRY VANHATTEN

Son of Mrs. Beechie, Walkerton, killed in action, Sept. 2nd. 1918.

DIED OF WOUNDS

IN FLANDERS FIELDS

"In Flanders fields the poppies blow
Between the Crosses, row on row,
That mark our place, and in the sky
The larks still bravely singing fly,
Scarce heard amidst the guns below.

We are the dead.
Short days ago we lived, felt dawn,
Saw sunset glow,
Loved and were loved, and now we lie
In Flanders fields.

Take up our quarrel with the foe,
To you from failing hands we throw the Torch—
be yours to hold it high;
If ye break faith with us who die,
We shall not sleep,
though poppies grow
In Flanders fields."



KILLED IN ACTION



REGINALD McCARTER

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Alex McCarter, killed in action, June 27th., 1916.

THE FIRST TO FALL



PTE. RAY HYSLOP

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hyslop, killed in action, June 2nd., 1916. First Walkerton boy to make the Supreme Sacrifice.

KILLED IN ACTION



LANCE-CORP. GABE HAAS

Son of Contractor Alex Haas, killed in action, November, 14th., 1917.

KILLED IN ACTION



PTE. URBAN ZETTEL

Son of Mr. Joseph Zettel, killed in action, August 30th., 1918.

'Tis never the need of fears for you!
With your face set toward the foe,
While the clear Canadian bugles blew
Your last charge, lad—for your last adieu!
You went as you wished to go!

KILLED IN ACTION



CHESTER A. CUNNINGHAM

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cunningham, killed in action, Feb., 14th. 1918.

KILLED IN ACTION



DANIEL P. McGARITY

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick, McGarity, North Brant, killed in action, June 2, 1916.

KILLED IN ACTION



SERGT. WM. WOLFE

Son of Mrs. John Wolfe, killed in action, August 19th., 1917.

KILLED IN ACTION



PTE. GORDON H

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Joh
Carrick, killed in actio
ber 2nd. 1918.

Bruce's Hundreds Who Gave Their Lives

KILLED IN ACTION



LER COURTNEY KNEPFLAR

f Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Knepflar, led in action Sept. 2, 1918.

KILLED IN ACTION



CORP. EVERETT A. TRUAX

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Truax, killed in action, March 11th., 1917.

KILLED IN ACTION



W. CLARK OSTIC

W. D. Ostic, Toronto, the Canadians victorious 8 and 9, 1918.

LED IN ACTION



ALBERT W. GROVES

Son r. and Mrs. John Groves, Cl killed in action August, 31st. 1918.

KILLED IN ACTION



PTE. FRANK SCHEFTER

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Ignatz Schefter, killed in action, Oct. 1918.

KILLED IN ACTION



PTE. DAN DESMOND

Son of Mr. Thomas Desmond, Eden Grove, killed in action, Aug. 30th., 1918.

DIED OF WOUNDS



LIEUT. LEWIS HONEY, D.C.M. M.M

Graduate of Walkerton High School, died of wounds, October, 1918.

DIED OF WOUNDS



PTE. WILLIAM LINDSAY

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lindsay, Moscow, died of wounds June 12 th., 1917.

KILLED IN ACTION



PTE. HARVEY HUFFMAN

Formerly of the 160th., killed in action, Aug. 30th., 1918.

KILLED IN ACTION



HERBERT JARVIS

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Jarvis, killed in action, Oct. 21st., 1916.

DIED AT BASE HOSPITAL



CADET FRANK MOORE

Son of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Moore, Walkerton, died of pneumnia, Oct. 26th. 1918.

KILLED IN ACTION



LIEUT. LESLIE YOUNG

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Young, killed in action November 11th., 1918.

KILLED IN ACTION



PTE. DANIEL McPHAIL

Son of Mrs. John McPhail, Otter Creek, killed in action Sept. 20th. 1917.

KILLED IN ACTION



LIEUT. ERNIE REID D. S. O.

Son of Mr. Adam Reid, Pinkerton, Killed in action Sept. 16th., 1916.

DIED OF WOUNDS



CORP. WILL HANLEY

Son of Mr. Timothy Hanley, Chepstow, died of wounds, Sept. 4th., 1916.

KILLED IN ACTION



PTE. ERNEST H. CUNNINGHAM

Son of the late Joseph Cunningham of Glamis, killed in action, August 15th., 1917.

REPORTED MISSING



PTE. NEIL McNEIL

Of Brant, reported missing since August 30th., 1918.

KILLED IN ACTION



SERGT. BILL CRAIG

Son of Mr. and Mrs. John Craig, killed in action, Sept. 2nd., 1918.

KILLED IN ACTION



LANCE-CORP. GEO. A. HUGHES

Son of Mrs. Wm. Petteplace of Riversdale, killed in action July 25th, 1917.

KILLED IN ACTION



PTE. WILL CARSON

Former Walkerton Boy, killed in action, August 1918.

Canada's 'Scrap of Paper' Good as Guinea Gold

IN Canada, as in all right-thinking nations, *good faith* is the foundation of all our business dealings. Without a sound basis of credit our whole financial structure would crumble and decay.

Credit is the belief of the creditor in the borrower's intention and ability to pay.

You do not hesitate to exchange four silver quarters for a Dollar Bill, because you know that dollar is as good as Guinea Gold. Yet a *Dollar Bill* is only a "Scrap of Paper" bearing Canada's statement that it will pay *one hundred cents* for it.

You have read that statement so often that you have come to *accept* it without question.

And Canada has always *made good* its promises concerning every "scrap of paper" it has ever put on the market.

Canada is now offering to investors Dominion of Canada Bonds, bearing interest at 5½ per cent per annum. The interest is payable half-yearly, and the bonds are issued in denominations of $50, $100, $500, and $1000, making a most attractive and profitable investment.

It is Canada's desire that Bonds of the Victory Loan 1918 be distributed as widely as possible among private individuals.

The last Victory Loan, which was largely over-subscribed, had more than 800,000 subscribers, 1 in 9, of the entire population.

Every available dollar of private capital in Canada is urgently needed to surpass that record. *Buy Victory Bonds*—they are as good as Guinea Gold.

From the standpoint of Patriotism your duty is clear. But apart from any consideration of duty and patriotism, Canada's Victory Bonds represent the safest, surest and best investment in the world today.

This space donated to the Victory Loan 1918 Campaign by

Canada Furniture Mfrs. Ltd. Knechtel Furniture Co. Ltd.
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LIVE NEWS OF NEIGHBORING VILLAGES AND COUNTRYSIDE

:-: Happenings of the Week Collected for the Readers of The Telescope by a Staff of Wideawake Correspondents :-:

BRANT AVENUE

drs. Philip Lundy received word m London last word that her hus- d has had an attack of flu.

During the wet spell a lot of our mers have been gravelling their es and drive-ways.

The flu has about all disappeared this Avenue.

Mr. J. J. Ernest took a business p to near Cargill on Monday and ought back his colt from pasture.

Mr. Jack Lundy has built a new chen to the rear of his house.

Some of the members of the Dun- d Farmers Club on this Avenue ended the monthly meeting of the b Tuesday night.

DUNKELD

Since the outbreak of the Spanish u" in neighboring towns, our g has lapsed into a state of com- ative quiet, and altho no cases the epidemic are reported here as most of the inhabitants have mingly adopted "safety first" neiples by remaining in, near or ndabout the family domicile, perhaps, in straying therefrom motives other than absolute ne- dity, they come to contact with e germ-laden victim and finally prey to the scourge. The local centre of activity is ap- ly the Juice plant which is nning at full capacity and has thus far this season turn- ut enough moisture to float a ern Battle Cruiser.

hile Waechter Bros' big Gaso- threshing outfit was being mov- m here last week, one wheel s and finally dropped off the . After some heavy lifting by heavy weights passing by how- was easily slipped on again.

bells a.m. Monday, the scribe used by a pair of motorists d accidentally hunted each ff the road and were anxious some one to umpire an argu- t to who should be blamed apill. Not being any too to do any such officiating on oadside in a drenching rain we the squabblers to bury the and each take a different e the Co. Capital.

We'en was very quietly ob- ith year by the youths of this Not many of the old time were pulled off, which fierm- quently wound up in court. ding to recent despatches he fighting fronts the Great seems to be nearing a close. Bulgar's out, the Turks Austria's unconditionally the whole world now is abdication of the Hun mon- he resignation of his chan- ls. Then the celebration ory, and the return of the ighting lads.

PINKERTON

are Frank and Arthur Dun- turned to Toronto on Tues- resume their studies which Corrupted by the influenza

Mildred McLennan who is school in Toronto spent a last week with her aunts cKee and Mrs. Pinkerton. or. Prof. A. MacLennan ac- d his daughter remaining ort while.

vid Pinkerton is away on hunting trip in Muskoka.

Mrs. Cecil Garland (nee erite McFadden) return- from their wedding Garland's home in Trout

ndrews who has been pleurisy is much im- alth though still con- ouse.

HANOVER

ur Major Jackson, if you Word has been received allant young Hanover offi- been given another well romotion and was now in taking a course Lt. Clin- lso in England recovering nds and Major McFarland aking a staff course. To chuch the people of the e only too glad of the opp- of again offering congratu- nd they will hope for fur- notions and distinctions as or his uncrumpled gallan-

Hanover is on the down ch was the opinion ex- by Dr. Leonard, recently M.O.H. of Hanover. While ot state definitely just how there are now in Han- at taking it up with the al doctors, he considered mic situation vastly improved and he did not at the moment know of any serious cases.

Mr. R. M. Brant has sold his residence on Maple Ave. to Mr. John Brown of Elmwood and purposes moving to Toronto in a few weeks. We understand the Mr. Brown has sold the house to Mr. Sam Little.

Mr. David C. Plaus succumbed to pneumonia after a few days' illness the disease being preceded by influenza. He was only 31 years of age. His death is also a particularly sad one, as he leaves a young widow and baby son 13 months old. He was popular with a wide circle of friends and sincere sympathy is extended to the bereaved ones.

Pneumonia claimed another victim in Hanover on Tuesday night last week, when Mr. Albert Krueger passed away at the early age of 27 years. He had been ill about a week Deceased was a son of Mr. Charles Krueger of lot 5, con. 14, Carrick township, where he was raised. He had been a resident of Hanover for 5 or 8 years, and was employed in the table department of the Knechtel Furniture Co. Some years ago he married Miss Tilker of Hanover, who survives him with two children. Much sympathy is felt in town for the young widow and little children.

The old adage that sorrows rarely come singly was instanced in the sad death of Mr. Reuben Diebel., son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Diebel of Hentuck township, which occurred as a result of pneumonia last Saturday night. Had he lived he would have been 20 years of age next month. It will be remembered that his brother, Mr. Clarence Diebel, passed away recently. His mother is at present recovering from an attack of influenza. Deceased was the only boy at home. He was a popular young man in the vicinity and his death has cast a gloom over the neighborhood. He leaves to mourn his death, his parents, his brother Pte. Herman Diebel in France, and brothers Adam of Palmerston, and Hector of Allenford, and three sisters, Naomi, Minnie and Arnetta, all at home.

MILDMAY

Last Saturday a sorrel horse belonging to Tom Bennett while being chased by some of our young boys slipped on the sidewalk near the Evangelical church, and broke its leg. Magistrate Fischer had the animal killed putting an end to its life of misery. It is time that the village of Mildmay put an end to such cruelty to animals.

On Monday evening certain parties rang first the school bell and later the fire bell and this happening close to eleven o'clock brought many of our citizens out of their habitations to see what was the reason of such a disturbance and as yet no one apparently knows.

The local Ford agents' Fordson tractor is busy in this locality helping in food production by doing fall plowing for some of our farmers. Two of the farmers are John Coutts Jr. and Herb White.

Mrs. Jane Stewart returned home last Wednesday night Oct. 30th., after a month's visit at Hirr, Ont., with her niece Mrs. Thomas Morgan.

The Public and Separate Schools have re-opened but some of the rural schools will not re-open until next week.

CARGILL

Mrs. Levi Williams, and Messrs C. Thompson and L. Cliff went to Windsor on Thursday. Mrs. Williams has been here visiting and the boys having secured employment in Windsor accompanied her.

Miss Maud Martin has entered on her new duties at the Walkerville pea office.

Mrs. Powers and family moved to Brantford last week. Mr. Fred Grice and family are moving to Toronto this week. If this keeps up there will be more empty houses than occupied ones.

Mr. Jos. Schuett has just finished painting his store and it looks very much better.

Mrs. R. Green arrived home on Saturday from Toronto where she has been visiting.

Mrs. Thos. Grice is moving from Main to River Street this week.

WESTFORD

Peter Murray received a cable from his son Corp. Alphonsius who has been wounded in the cheek saying he has quite recovered and expects shortly to rejoin his unit.

Miss Madeline Cassidy who has been ill with tonsilitis is quite well again.

Miss Margaret Haldenby who has been spending the summer at her uncle's, Mr. M. S. Haldenby, has returned to her home in Aylmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Murray attended the golden wedding of the latter's uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. Con. Mullin of Chepstow.

Quite a number from here attended the funeral of the late Peter Kenney at Holyrood last week.

Staff Sergt. J. P. Murray of Chicago and his father Mr. Pat Murray of Chepstow spent the week-end with friends here.

Mr. John McGlynn attended the funeral of his aunt, Mrs John McGlynn of Turnberry, who died on Nov. 2nd.

MARRIED.—On Oct 14th. 1918 Pte. Charles Wall to Miss Verna Brown of Kincardine.

GLAMIS

Hallowe'en passed off very quietly in the village.

Miss Retta McKinnon returned to her school at Kitchener on Saturday.

Miss Mary McSween is home on a visit from Port Elgin.

Mrs. John Deehan received word last week of the death of her youngest brother Valentine Rowan at Saskatoon, Sask. from influenza. He leaves to mourn his loss, two brothers Nelson and Harry in Saskatchewan, and one sister, Mrs. John Deehan, to whom our deepest sympathy is extended

Miss Lydia Colwell returned to High School in Paisley on Monday.

Mrs. James Woodstock left her home in the village last week and will spend the winter with relatives on 5th. Con. Kincardine and Ripley.

Master J. D. McSween is under the Dr.'s care with an attack of influenza. We all hope for the little lad's speedy recovery.

Rev. P. Reith is able to be out and around again after his illness.

The death of Mrs. (Rev.) J. C. Tibb of Blackstock appeared in the papers last week. Mrs. Tibb was well known here her husband was pastor of St. Pauls Church here a few years ago. To the bereaved ones our sympathy is extended.

Misses Flossie McLennan and Margaret Symons, visited Walkerton friends last week.

Master Roy McSween who worked with his uncle Mr. McClarity, near Ripley for past few months is home again.

Miss Martha Downey has gone to Buffalo N. Y.

Miss Eliza Colwell of Kincardine visited her sister Mrs. J. D. Robertson, the end of the week.

Mr. John McKennet has purchased a new team from Messrs. A. Ross and C. McKinnon.

Auction Sale

OF

FARMSTOCK

(Registered Shorthorns)

AND IMPLEMENTS

The undersigned auctioneer has received instructions from Mr. Joseph B. Taylor, Lot 16, Con. B, Brant to sell by Public Auction on

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 12,

commencing at one o'clock p. m., the following:

Horses

1 span grey mares 4 and 6 years old, matched; 1 grey mare, 3 years old.

Registered Shorthorns

1 aged cow supposed to be in calf; 1 Heifer 3 years, supposed to be in calf; 1 Heifer 2 years, supposed to be in calf; 1 Heifer 1 year old.

5 Steers 2 years old. 5 Steers and Heifers 1 year old.

Implements

1 Massey-Harris Binder nearly new; 1 Massey-Harris Mower nearly new; 1 Massey-Harris Rake; 1 Massey-Harris Cultivator nearly new; 1 Massey-Harris Disk Harrow; 1 Massey-Harris Root Pulper new; 1 Land Roller, 1 Turnip sower, 1 Seed drill new; 1 Fanning Mill, 3 Walking Plows, 1 Waggon and Box, Hay and Stock Rack, 4 Set Bob Sleighs, 1 Cream Separator, 2 sets Team Harness 1 nearly new, 1 set single Harness, 2 Hay fork ropes, 1 Gravel Box, 1 Manure Spreader nearly new; 1 Home Comfort steel Range, 1 coal and wood heater, 2 Grind Stones, 1 Stone Boat, 2 set Iron Harrows, 2 Scufflers, 1 Cross cut Saw, 1 post auger.

3 acres of Turnips—cash; small quantity of Grain—cash—if not previously sold. And many other articles, too numerous to mention.

No reserve—Everything must go as the farm has been leased for a term of years.

Terms

All sums of $5.00 and under Cash, over that amount 12 months credit will be allowed on purchasers furnishing approved joint notes bearing interest at 6 per cent per annum.

Jos. Taylor, Pro., Jno. Parris Auct.

Auction Sale

JOHN WILSON

Will hold a sale of Cattle at Pinkerton Station

THURS. NOV. 14th.

At 1 o'clock p. m.

30 head of good young milch cows, some fresh.

Terms

12 months credit will be given on furnishing approved joint notes bearing 6 per cent. interest.

John Wilson, Carin & Hunter, Proprietor. Auctioneers.

BURN WATER 'STEAD OF COAL

Temperature recommended by the Ontario Fuel Administration for working and living rooms, 64 F.

(54 is the "optimum" temperature, or the degree of heat, at which science agrees man is at his best.)

Temperature recommended for sleeping-rooms, 50 F. or less.

"Make water warm you instead of burning an excessive amount of coal to do it." is the advice of the Ontario Fuel Administration in urging the importance of properly moistening the air in the home.

Dry air at 70 or 72 may feel cool or than moist air at 60 F., the Administration declares. Moist air holds the heat longer and saves coal.

There are ten per cent. more deaths at a given temperature if the relative humidity is below 40 per cent. than if it is above 70 per cent.

Give the air a drink out of a pan instead of off your skin. Evaporation from the skin renders one susceptible to colds, catarrh and other diseases of the respiratory organs.

As much, if not more, attention should be paid to the humidity reading as to thermometer reading. A hydrometer, as well as a thermometer, should be in the home.

The Department urges every householder to follow these simple rules for humidifying air in the homes:—

When the house is heated by steam have a pan of water or a boiling kettle always on top.

If by warm air, see that the water retainer in the hot-air jacket of the furnace is always well filled. Place open pans of water near the registers.

In cases where steam or hot water systems are employed, provide humidifiers, or pans of water, for every radiator.

The average room may require a quart of water per day. Change water frequently.

Norman Whitehead of Brant is able to be out again after two weeks' in his room with the Flu.

Victory Loan Notes

(Continued from page 1.)

"Dare you hoard your money, when your Country needs your aid?
Come, don't be a slacker, in these days of stress and strain,
Lend your every dollar and be surely well prepaid,
For you'll have an easy conscience when the Boys come home again."

(H. Estelle Scott.)

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The United States farmer who bought a bond in the Third Liberty Loan receives 4½ per cent. These bonds are now standing in the market at approximately 97.40. The Canadian farmer who bought a Victory Bond in 1917 receives 5½ per cent., and this bond, which cost him $98.46, is now quoted at $100 and interest. His investment is more profitable than that of his American neighbor, for he gets 25 per cent. more in interest return on the amount he invested than he does the latter.

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There was a young man of West Ham
Who said frankly, "I don't car a darn;
I'll invest all I own
In the Victory Loan
That's the kind of a hairpin I am."

* * *

Cadet Leslie Hibbert, writes home from Camp Borden about an unique advertising stunt to Boost Victory Bonds. "To-day has been rather rotten for flying", he writes, "but I put in over five hours in the air, and had rather a unique experience. The Victory Loan opened to-day and forty planes from here flew to Alliston, then to Barrie through Cookstown, then to Orillia, then through Coldwater to Midland, over to Collingwood, then through Stayner and Angus to Camp. They flew in a V shaped formation and dropped Victory Bond messages on every town. Twenty-four officers and 17 cadets flew the machines. I was one of the cadets chosen to go along. It was a wonderful sight from the air and one which I'll never forget. It must also have been awe-inspiring from the ground. Over Barrie, Collingwood and Orillia, the formation buckled up and the officers stunted while we fellows flew around them."

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CLEAR THE DECKS!

Get ready for action!
Forget each attraction
That lands you away from your part!
What part'll you have shown
In this VICTORY LOAN?
Will you back it with all of your heart?
Canadians fighting
Are daily delighting
Their Allies with proof of their skill!
The foe they're pursuing
How much are YOU doing
To give the mad Kaiser his GIT
You know of a way
You can help win the fray—
Quite clearly this way has been shown.
Canadians all;
Arise at the call
AND CARRY THIS VICTORY LOAN.

A well-known Indian man,
One dark night last week,
Went to the cellar with a match
In search of a gas leak.
(He found it.)

John Welch by curiosity
(Dispatches state) was goaded;
He squinted in his old shotgun
To see if it was loaded.
(It was.)

A man in Macon stopped to watch
A patent cigar-clipper;
It wandered if his finger was
No quicker than the nipper.
(It wasn't.)

A Maine man read that human eyes
Of hypnotism were full;
He went to see if it would work
Upon an angry bull.
(It wouldn't.)

—San Francisco Bulletin

FARM FOR SALE

Lots 11, 12 and part 13, Concession 13, Township of Brant, Co. Bruce, containing 212 acres, belonging to the late Charles Mauer. On the premises are a brick house, frame driving shed and windmill. There are 61 acres good hardwood bush and about 12 acres in Fall wheat. Property is 4½ miles from Eden Grove. Good running water on premises. Farm is a first class pasture or grain farm. For further particulars apply to — A. Collins, Walkerton, or David Mauer, Paisley R. R.



Mail Contract

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster-General, will be received at Ottawa until noon, on Friday, the 13th day of December, 1918, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails, on a proposed Contract for four years, six times per week, over

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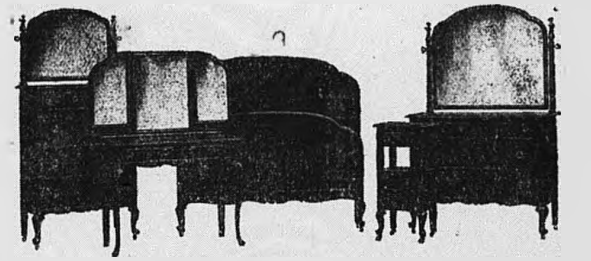
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Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed contract may be seen and blank forms of tender may be obtained at the Post Offices of Glamis, (Wallenstein and Kossuth Stores), and at the office of the Post Office Inspector, London.

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Post Office Inspector.

Post Office Inspector's Office,
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Victory Loan Sole Topic for Canadians During Next 10 Days

To This All Other Features of the War Must be Completely Subordinated.

The Victory Loan must monopolize the attention of Canadians during the next ten days. There will be lots of time after the campaign to speculate on the prospect of peace. In the meantime the call comes to all—"Carry on." The people in the rural districts especially should realize this.

Canadians at home must take their cue from Foch. When he says "Let up," they may be justified in doing so. But while the men are overseas the need for supplies will continue.

Bear in mind also that Canada's war expense will not cease at the moment when the soldiers lay down their arms. A long time must elapse before the boys overseas can be brought back. Probably 450,000 of them have gone over, and good judges say that they cannot be brought home under 18 months. In the meantime they must be kept.

Be it also remembered that a large proportion of the Victory Loan money will go to finance the sale of Canadian products abroad. The farmer is dependent on it for the sale of his wheat, beef, pork, butter, cheese and eggs to Great Britain.

So if the Canadian Army is to be maintained, and the farmers, manufacturers, mechanics and business people generally are to be kept busy the $500,000,000 wanted must be raised.

BUY VICTORY BONDS.

Victory Loan Promotes the Farmers' Interests

The Victory Loan and the Farm go together.

Canada's surplus farm products could not be sold without the Victory Loan.

If the surplus could not be sold, prices in the home market would go to pieces.

It is one thing to raise farm products, but it is another thing to sell them for cash.

A large proportion of Canadian farm products could not be sold for cash, if it were not for the Victory Loan.

The farmer who invests in Victory Bonds thus helps to protect his own business.

LEND TO YOUR COUNTRY.

MANY YOUNG FARMERS HAVE GONE OVERSEAS.

From the farms of Canada thousands of young Canadians have gone overseas. These boys have acquitted themselves splendidly. Now when the call comes for $500,000,000 to support the army, and keep the business of the Dominion going on a war basis, the people in the homes from which these boys have gone will not be lacking.

Liberty Loan Set Canadians High Mark

The United States did so well in the recent Fourth Liberty Loan campaign that Canada, in justice to herself, must do unusually well in the present drive, or she will suffer by the contrast.

The Americans started out with $4,000,000,000 as their objective. They actually raised $6,964,000,000. The number of subscribers is placed at 21,000,000, or about one for every five of the population.

To do as well as this Canada must raise over $500,000,000. If she secures the same percentage of subscribers to the population, instead of having 1,000,000, she will have 1,600,000. As can readily be realized Canadians have their work cut out, but they are equal to it.

HAS YOUR COMMUNITY AN HONOR FLAG WITH CROWNS?

See to it that your community gets an Honor Flag, and gets it at once. What is more, see that it gets a few Crowns on it. An Honor Flag is good; but Crowns are better. It is a fine thing to reach the objective set, but it is much better to go away beyond it.

Don't rest until you see that Honor Flag flying in your district. When it is hoisted you will think so much of it that you will insist on a few Crowns being placed there.

EVERYBODY'S DUTY.

Canada expects every Canadian to do his or her duty in this campaign. Half a billion dollars must be raised and there are only ten days more to do it in. The money can and must be raised. Thought of failure cannot be tolerated. The least that those who stay at home can do is to buy all the Victory Bonds they can and induce others to do so.

BACK UP THE BOYS.

DOUBLE UP.

"Double" is now the popular slogan in the campaign. Throughout the Dominion it is sweeping in a way that bids fair to accomplish surprising things. It is the spirit that wins, for it is the spirit that characterizes the boys at the front. Double up! That's a good one. It is worth [illegible]

ENEMY AIRMEN CAUGHT

Bruce Boy Gives Graphic Account of How Pair Drifted Over the British Lines and Were Brought Down.

The following is an extract from a letter received by Mrs. (Dr.) Stewart, Teeswater, from her son, Donald, with the Independent air force in France:

"Well, to be in orthodox style, firstly I am O. K. myself, but, believe me, mother, your little Donald has been a mighty scared boy sometimes in the last two months, but don't worry his hair has not begun to turn gray yet, and after all I have'nt struck it as hard as might have been, for I have done 26 'shows' in the last two months and while not a record, it is considered a very good showing in that space of time. But my good fortune has been entirely due to my getting on with Mr. P—as pilot, because he has been everything to me, and on his part he will not fly with anybody else but me so we get along fine. But mother I did think the other day, for a while that my next letter home would be postmarked 'Switzerland' or perhaps 'Germany.' We were away over the lines on a long photograph trip, and when coming home we ran into an exceptionally strong windstorm, and altho we were getting the best we could out of the engine, we were not making any headway. In fact, once I looked over the side and saw that we were actually losing ground, so I began signalling to P—(you know you can't talk in a plane) that we were going backward. Then the fun began, he would write me a note and ask how far it was to the line, then another how far it was to Switzerland, then we would figure out if we had enough gasoline to take us home against the wind, or with the wind to Switzerland. We battled with that wind for two hours, but at last came within sight of home and decided we would try for it, and eventually made it, but our supply of gasoline was completely exhausted when he reached our home. But don't worry as that experience was of frequent occurrence. I don't think we'll ever get caught like that again.

"However, we do have some amusing things happen here to relieve the monotony, as the following will show you. One day this week right over our drome a hoche machine appeared suddenly out of the clouds flying quite low. Of course everyone rushed out to see what was up. Then suddenly one of our Archies (our anti-air craft guns) opened up on him and he started to climb away again, but he was too close, and our Archie got him in his gasoline tank and in a few minutes he came down and landed O. K. Then we found that there were two pilots in the bus and that they had set out to deliver the machine at another drome, and had never noticed that they had drifted with the wind to this side of the line and they were wrong until our Archie opened out on them. So we captured a good, brand new, Hun machine and two hoche officers without taking to the air after them. One of the other squadrons took them down to their mess and kept them for half a day as their guests for bringing the machine. Then the intelligence people came after them. The poor fellows took it hard and did feel cheap that they had got lost in such a short distance.

There is only one way to advertise and that is to hammer your name, your location and your business so persistently, so thoroughly into people's heads that if they walk in their sleep they will constantly turn their steps toward your store. The newspaper is your friend in spite of criticism. It helps build up the community that supports you. When the day comes that the newspapers are dead, the people are on the edge of the grave with nobody to write the epitaph.

Paisley Woman Demented

Mrs. Cole, who had been acting strange at times during the past year, became violent last week threatening the lives of those in her household and some of her neighbors' children. The authorities took action and on Monday the demented woman was sent to London.—Paisley Advocate.

Found Darning Needle in Body

On Monday the six-year-old son of Mr. George McKillop, of Saugeen was seized with a severe pain in the abdomen. On examination Dr. Gage came to the conclusion that the trouble was due to some foreign body located deep in the tissues. By using a local anaesthetic a small opening was made and a large darning needle three and a half inches long was extracted. It was somewhat corroded over, but was perfectly whole. The boy has no remembrance of ever being injured, and the only way the doctor can account for the condition is that when the boy was a babe creeping on the floor the needle must have entered the lower part of the body and gradually worked its way in. The boy is doing well.—Port



The Bridge to the British Market

The Victory Loan is a bridge over which the farmers of Canada drive their hogs, their cattle, their grain and all their surplus crops to the profitable British market.

For, the money raised by the Victory Loan enables Canada to give credit to Great Britain. And only by means of that credit can Great Britain buy the products of Canada's farms.

Therefore, when you come forward at your country's call and loyally lend your money that Canada may continue her vigorous prosecution of the war, you are also benefitting yourself and the whole farming community.

It is the duty of every earnest Canadian not only to invest heavily in Victory Bonds 1918, but to work among his neighbors to make the loan a success.

Before the subscription lists close, every man should realize the sterling character of the investment; the good interest return of 5½%; the undoubted security offered in the Bonds of this wealthy nation; and the vital importance to all classes of people, particularly to the farmers, of the Victory Loan 1918.

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PHOTOGRAPHER WALKERTON

FARMERS AND THE LOAN

Last year the people of Canada loaned to the Government $410,000,000, to carry on the war. Out of that sum were spent huge sums to finance the purchases of the British government in Canada for food and munitions. Since the war began the Imperial Munitions Board has awarded contracts in Canada amounting to $1,200,000,000 and about $600,000,000 have been advanced by the government and banks. Besides that there were heavy advances to assist in the export of Canada's agricultural products.

These sums have been the cause of a tremendous expansion of industry. Farmers, as well as manufacturers have been able to sell their surplus products to Great Britain and to get the money at once. They have gone on multiplying their efforts and doing their part in winning the war, for Great Britain had to eat while her soldiers were away fighting. In the past year the government has advanced $100,000,000 to finance our agriculture and animal products to Great Britain. The bacon output was entirely handled out of Loan funds. And this year there will be some heavy calls out of the 1918 Victory Loan. Canada has a surplus of cheese for export amounting to $40,000,000. Butter, eggs and condensed milk will amount to $40,000,000 more. The Victory Loan will get these to their only market, Great Britain. The exportable wheat crop will be 100,000,000 bushels and the value $225,000,000. Victory Loan money for the most part will finance this.

It is a big story. Perhaps we may better understand the tremendous import of the Victory Loan by comparing the agricultural and animal exports of the last fiscal year with four years ago. In 1913 Canada exported of these $269,000,000; last year the figures grew to $740,000,000, because the Dominion government was able to find the money for the handling of these exports. In manufactures exports have increased from $87,000,000 in 1913 to $630,000,000 in the last fiscal year. Many great industries have been built up. The whole country has felt the impulse to greater endeavor. This is the spirit that is winning the war. We must not let it flag. Subscribe to the Victory Loan.

BARNS DAYLIGHT ROBBERY

Bad Gang of Boys at Millaray Busy at Petty Thieving

One of the boldest acts of burglary that has ever been committed in this village took place on Sunday afternoon, October 20th., when Belsig Bros'. store was entered. The thieves attempted an entrance by a frame shed at the rear of the store, but they were not successful in getting into the main store. Another man was tried, that of entering the cellar window, and it worked. The burglar made his way from the cellar to the main floor of the store, entered the cash drawer in the office, and took change amounting to about $2.50. It is not known what else was taken. The thief then turned the key in the back door of the store and made his escape. The burglary took place between one and five o'clock on Sunday afternoon, the streets being deserted on that time on account of the wet, stormy weather. There is absolutely no doubt that the guilty parties are youths of this village, and no stone will be left unturned to secure their punishment. There has been considerable petty thieving going on here recently, and while several parties are suspected, the chain of evidence is not yet completed enough to warrant any arrests. We had a similar outbreak eighteen months ago, and the culprits were let off on suspended sentence, and the punishment seemed so easy that other lads are now trying their hand in the game. Millaray must be cleared up, and the guilty parties punished in such a manner that others will take warning and follow the paths of honesty. High Constable Briggs of Walkerton was here on Tuesday looking into the matter.—Millaray Gazette.

How To Send and What It Costs

It is absolutely necessary that all parcels should be very carefully and securely packed. The following forms are recommended by the post office department. (1) Strong double cardboard boxes, preferably those made of corrugated cardboard having lids which completely enclose the sides of the boxes. (2) Several folds of stout packing paper. Additional security may be had by the use of strong linen, calico, canvas or other textile securely sewn up. Address should be clearly written in ink on cover preferably in two places, also name and address of sender should be clearly written in ink on parcel. Parcels which do not comply with this condition will be refused. The contents of the parcel should be stated on the cover. Additional information could be secured from the post office. The cost by parcel post is as follows:—For troops known to be in the United Kingdom, 12c. per pound or fraction thereof. Limit of weight is 11 pounds. Parcels for troops in France or Flanders:— Parcels weighing up to 3 pounds, 24c; parcels weighing more than 3 pounds and not more than 5 pounds and not more than 7, 32c. Limit of weight is 7 pounds. Parcels for the Mediterranean and Salonika Expeditionary Forces are subject to the following rates. 1 lb., 32c.; 2 lbs., 40c.; 3 lbs., 48c.; 4 lbs., 74c.; 5 lbs., 82c.; 6 lbs., 90c.; 7 lbs., 98c. The limit of weight in this case is 7 pounds.

MANY DONATIONS

To Help Bruce County Hospital Report for the month of October

Superintendents report for the month of October, 1918:—

No. of patients treated during the month..... 37
No. of patients admitted during the month 14
No. of patients discharged during the month, Recovered 11
No. of patients died during the month..... 0
No. of Operations..... 5

Drs Stalker, Porter, Hall, Sinclair, Houston and R. Stalker, attending pay patients. Dr. Porter attending free patients.

Donations for Sept. and Oct.

Pickles and fruit, Mrs. Rowland; Apples, Mr. John Whitehead; Grapes for nurses Mrs. David McGaugh; Pumpkins, Mr. Thos. Christie; Pickles and fruit, Mrs. J. Addis; An assortment of pickles and fruit, Miss Clendenning; Grapes, Mrs. Todd, Vancouver; Box of pickles, fruit, jelly and groceries, Port Elgin per Miss Annie Munroe; Rubber ring for indigenat patient, Mrs. N. Robertson; one load of sand, Mr. Chris Seigfried. Brushes, Brooms and whisks. Value $17.70 Stevens Hepner Co. Ltd., Port Elgin.

Anyone sending donations to Hospital kindly give name.

Paisley Doctor Quits Practice

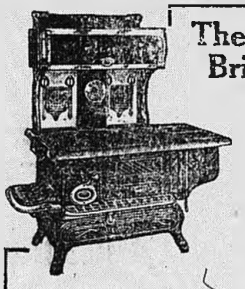
Dr. Allen has acquired a partnership in a commission business in Toronto, and will hereafter devote his attention to that concern. The Dr. has been a citizen of Paisley for over thirty years, and always took an active interest in the affairs of the community. We are glad to say that his home will still be here, as the family are not removing to the city.—Paisley Advocate

Getting After Tom

No person objects to Tom Bennett owning a horse, as long as he provides a decent maintenance for the animal, but when Tom turned the animal loose in the village this week he did something that aroused the righteous indignation of a good number of our householders. The skinny old brute foraged for grub on several well kept lawns in the village, and left deep foot prints behind him. Tom Bennett certainly played a selfish trick, and many men have been jailed for less.—Millaray Gazette.

Hits Bruce Indians Hard.

Spanish influenza, with its heavy hand, visited the Saugeen Reserve a little over a week ago and took heavy toll. The first death that of Mrs. Isaiah Shawbedees, occurred in the village. Within a week some fourteen others have died. Scarcely a house in the village was missed, in some cases the whole family being ill at once. Scotch Settlement seemed to be visited about the same time. From this district it took the heaviest toll. In one house three of the family died, the mother and two children. No doubt some of the deaths were due to lack of care, the parents being ill as well as the children, and the community being down at once was not able to nurse the Practically the whole Reserve has been swept. Most of those now on the mend, although some are still critical. —Southampton Chronicle.



The Pandora Brings Relief

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VICTORY LOAN 1918

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Sale of Sample Sweater Coats. Fine wool in fancy combination Colors—$15.00 for $9.50, $12.00 for $8.50, $10.00 for $7.75, $6.50 for $4.50, $5.00 for $3.50. Come early for choice.

About 200 yds, mill ends of Art Sateen, Chintz Silkaline and Cretonne, ends run 1 yd. to 9 yds. at a big saving in price.

Several new models in Ladies Winter Coats in this week. Velour, Chinchillas, Tweeds and Cheviots. Special prices.—$19.00 $20.00, $23.00, $25.00 $27.00, $30.00 to $40.00

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NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Miss Tillie McGregor of Paris, is visiting at her home here.

Miss Carrie Mosack left for her home at Preston, on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Burnham of Galt are guests at Mr. Joseph Lindsay's.

Misses Laura and Selena Truax of Durham spent Sunday with old friends in town.

Mr. T. E. Attwood, who has been ill, was able to sit up for the first time on Monday.

Vernon Tovell was out yesterday for the first time after two weeks in bed with the flu.

Miss Florence Cunningham has almost recovered from a serious attack of the grippe.

Mrs. Jos. Lindsay and Mrs. Harry Burnham spent Tuesday and Wednesday with friends at Durham.

Mr. Bruce Rogers, who has been laid up with a bad cold was able to be out yesterday for the first time.

Mr. Bob Ormiston of Teeswater who is a patient at the Bruce County Hospital, is reported to be doing nicely.

Monday was a sad day in Teeswater. First came the news that Capt. J. C. Little, son of Mr. R. E. Little, of Teeswater was missing. Shortly after flags were flying half-mast announcing the death of Pte. King, in France. This was followed by the startling news to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Arscott that their only son, Gordon, had succumbed to the Spanish influenza at Moose Jaw and later in the evening the news came in of the death of Orville Skilling in Toronto.—Teeswater News.

Very Much Alive

A persistent report that Mr. John Graf, a well-known farmer of Cargill, had died of the Flu is, we are pleased to say, "very much exaggerated." Mr. Graf has not even been sick and is enjoying the best of health.

Clean Wound, Doing Nicely

Pte. Earl R. Pinkney, who was reported wounded with gunshot in the neck on Oct. 12th., writes his mother Mrs. Pinkney, Maple Hill, that he is now in a hospital in London, Eng. The wound is a clean one and doing nicely.

Is Near Historic Spot.

Lieut. Elliott Dixon, son of Crown Attorney Dixon, who is instructor with the Royal Air Force in Egypt, is at present located at Aboukir, near the historic Aboukir Bay, in which the British Navy under Nelson gave the French fleet a drubbing about a century ago.

Gets Good Appointment

Walkerton friends of Mr. L. W. Elliott, formerly Children's Aid Inspector here, will be glad to learn that he has secured the appointment of C. A. Inspector for Ontario County, one of the best counties in the Province at a salary of over $1,700 a year. Mr. Elliott will reside at Oshawa.

Miss Ethel Lindsay left for Toronto on Monday. She will spend a few days with her friend Miss Carrie Mosack at Preston en route.

A candid druggist declares that "a person who expects to keep off influenza by carrying around a piece of camphor is more or less of an imbecile."

Is Doing Nicely

Mr. William Campbell, of Holland, Man., who has been at the Hospital the past three months with a very bad case of appendicitis, underwent a final operation on Saturday. Mr. Campbell is doing nicely now and expects to be able in a couple of weeks to terminate his tedious illness and return to his home in the West.

Cavalryman Enjoyed Chase

Trooper Tom White of the Fort Garry Horse, who is now in a hospital in England, with a wounded hand, writes his mother, Mrs. White of Greenock, that his troop went over the top on Oct. 9th. and had a glorious fight. It certainly did him good to see the Huns on the run. His horse got hit first and then he got a machine gun bullet which tore his hand rather badly. He was able to go back himself and lead his horse. Tom is now in the Norfolk War Hospital at Norwich, England.

SCOUTS, ALERT!

For doing a good turn for the "Victory Loan" campaign please accept thanks. What a time you did have celebrating the glorious Victory that will only be a taste of the final overthrow of the last one, Germany).

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The fourth Scout law says:—A Scout is a friend to all, and a brother to every other Scout, no matter to what social class the other belongs. If a Scout meets another Scout, even though a stranger to him, he should speak to him and help him in every way he can. A Scout is never a Snob, rich or poor, all are brother Scouts and should treat one another as such. King George's 3 sons have all been Boy Scouts although they were Princes by birth and called by that title whilst in Scout uniform. They were called Tenderfoot first, then Scout, after they had passed their second class tests, they were treated on the same level as any other boy. They had to learn and pass their tests without any favouritism shown. Their Dad saw to it that they did their duty as Scouts.

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We meet with some exceptions to the rule but they are not showing the true spirit of Scouting by "Swanking" as they say in England or as you term it by having "A swelled head!" The Scout movement is a Brotherhood for doing good wherever they can and it is wonderful how Scouts stick together. At the Front there are Scout Huts erected and paid for by the Scouts and patronized by the Scouts, by old Scouts and their chums.

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THANKS TO THE ALMIGHTY

Walkerton Appropriately Tenders Thanks To The Most High For Victory and Peace—Address of the Occasion Delivered By Rev. W. H. Burgess, B. A. Knox's New Pastor.

Service of Thanksgiving was held the Town Hall steps on Monday morning at 10.30, to commemorate peace, possibly a thousand people were present. The keynote of the meeting was struck in a short but masterly address by Rev. W. H. Burgess, pastor of Knox Church.

The announcement of peace, said speaker, aroused in our breasts multitudes feelings which we could not at once analyze. We could not know its stupendous significance as was one of the greatest days in history of the world. The birth Christ and His attonement been of greater significance the human race but their importance was not recognized at the time. Today the whole world rejoices and celebrates one of the greatest days history.. It is appropriate in the flush of Victory to give thanks God who giveth us the Victory. hand of God has been in these and there is danger that we forget we owe the Victory to the Lord God of Hosts. Here he quoted Kipling's Recessional. God has had hand not only in the affairs of battle-field, but in the affairs of state. He has used Germany to strike Britain of materialism, France her irreligion, and to help Belgium to find her soul. In our hour Victory let us not forget the lessons he has been teaching. We were not ready for war. Are we ready for peace? The days of reconstruction will be vital days in our national, social and industrial life. Only one phase of our struggle has been fought out the last four years. We are only at the beginning of a greater struggle against the forces of evil on behalf of democracy. May the word make us worthy of the freedom which our soldiers have won for us.

Rev. R. Perdue had charge of the meeting, and Rev. C. W. Cosens and Rev. G. C. Rock, led in prayer of thanksgiving to the Almighty.

Calf For Sale.

Good nine months old Calf for Sale. Apply to Mrs. Hugh Threndyle.

Childrens' Aid Society

The annual meeting of the Children's Aid Society will be held on Tuesday next in the town hall at 8 o'clock P. M. The public cordially invited.

BRUCE VICTORY LOAN

This County has to go Some to Pass its Objective by the Week-end. Port Elgin has Nine Crowns to its Flag and Walkerton Two Already

With four days yet to go Bruce County has over one quarter of the two million objective to make up. The total figures up to last night were $1,449,700. The figures for Walkerton are $95,400. Walkerton has already two crowns to its Victory Loan Flag and is well on its way to the third. The local canvassers, Messrs. A. Collins, A. E. McNab and J. H. Ranesbottom are working hard and will soon pass the hundred thousand mark.

	Objective	Total
Lion's Head, Lindsay,		
St. Edmunds—	58,000	18,500
Albermarle—	20,000	10,500
Wiarton—	51,000	85,200
North Amabel —	22,500	6,400
Hepworth & South Amabel—	39,500	30,650
Arran & Tara	121,000	55,000
Chesley & East Half Elderslie—	117,000	118,000
Paisley, West Half Elderslie Tp., Core of Greenock Tp., All North of		
Con. 18.—	105,000	146,500
Greenock—	112,000	32,000
Brant—	180,000	84,950
Walkerton—	60,000	82,450
Carrick—	195,000	47,900
Culross & Teeswater—	144,000	102,350
Kinloss & Lucknow—	129,000	123,800
Huron—	180,000	59,600
Kincardine —	53,000	103,150
Kincardine Tp.	130,000	49,300
Tiverton & South Pt. of Bruce—	72,000	28,900
N. Pt. Bruce—	66,000	24,700
Port Elgin—	34,000	117,300
Saugeen—	71,000	48,150
Southampton—	41,000	25,050
Total—	$2,000,000	$1,371,700

O WELL, IT ONLY HAPPENS ONCE IN A HUNDRED YEARS!

With two unexpected holidays during a busy week, we had either to hold several columns of local news or else issue a day or two late. We are holding the news and ask the indulgence of a number of our friends who sent in items and soldiers' letters. They will appear in next week's Telescope.

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NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Town Council meets to-night.

Mrs. A. E. McNab left on Monday to visit at Elora.

Mr. W. H. McFarlane went to Toronto on Tuesday.

Miss Donalda McKechnie returned to Essex on Saturday.

A. 1. Horse Blankets, at $3.50 $3.75 and $4.00 ea. S. W. Vogan.

Boy wanted to learn the shoe business at Ramsey's Shoe store.

Mrs. R. M. Player returned home from the Hospital on Sunday.

Mr. Harry Truax went to Niagara Falls on a business trip, Monday.

Mrs Cole Blackburn of St. Thomas is visiting her sister, Mrs. R. K. Sutton.

Mrs. Geo. H. Kilmer of Toronto, is visiting her father, Mr. N. Crawford.

For Cooking utensils see our display of Aluminum ware. Nothing better. S. W. Vogan.

Life-buoy rubbers are made with leather inner counters. Sold at Ramsay's Shoestore.

Miss Annie Sillers B. A. left last week to resume her studies at the Faculty of Education, University of Toronto.

Property For Sale

Brick house, good cellar, cement stable, poultry house. Five acres of land. Apply to Telescope.

Steer Lost

A red yearling Steer strayed from premises of the undersigned near Dunkeld. Will finder kindly communicate with Wm. Barry, R. R. 4, Walkerton.

Moved To New Office

Dr. Murray, Chiropractor, has removed her office to Mr. T. E. Attwood's flat on Durham St. above McCartier's harness shop.

Appendicitis Operation

Auction Sale

Of Farm Implements and household furniture at the farm of the undersigned, Elora Road, Carrick, on Saturday November 23rd. at one o'clock. Mrs. Regina Tschirhardt, prop. J. G. Carter, auctioneer.

Lucy, the eight year old daughter of Mr. Chas. Benninger of Culross was taken very ill with appendicitis on Saturday night and operated upon by Dr. Hall at the County Hospital the following day.

Town Teamster Arrested

Solomon Bossence, who recently threw up his job as teamster with the idea of going to Stratford, was arrested by Chief Ferguson Saturday on an old charge laid against Bossence last year at Woodstock charging him with criminal assault with intend to do bodily harm. It is alleged that he evaded trial by leaving Woodstock hurredly for the West last year. Bossence was remanded by Magistrate Tilton until Tuesday when an officer from Woodstock came to take him there for trial.

Toilet Paper 8 Rolls for 25c, S. W. Vogan.

A few men's suits at old prices—S. A. Rife & Co.

Miss Barbara Wingefelder returned to Detroit on Wednesday.

Rubber boots, we carry the best that are made.—Ramsay the Shoeman.

Tom Reichenbach returned to St. Jerome's College, Kitchener, this week.

Mrs. C. W. Cryderman went to Niagara Falls on Monday for a few days.

Miss Lily Downes left on Tuesday via C.P.R. to take up a position at West Toronto.

Special Thanksgiving Service will be held at the Cargill Presbyterian Church next Sunday night

The postponed I. O. D. E. bazaar will be held Friday, Nov. 22nd. Don't forget the date. Come and do your buying early.

Free advice on your foot troubles. Dr. Scholl, foot specialist, will be at my store, Nov. 22nd. and 23rd. Ramsay The Shoeman.

Mr. Adam Wilson, accountant of the Can. Bank of Commerce, who has been two months in Mexico on business for the bank is expected home about the end of the week.

Mr. George Lang of Kitchener, a cousin of Judge Klein and Mr. Otto Klein, has bought $100,000 worth of Victory Bonds. His firm, Lang Tanning Co. took a quarter of a million dollars worth.

Port Elgin's Nine Crowns

Port Elgin has already nine crowns to its Victory Loan flag. This is a record probably not exceeded by any municipality in Canada.

Condemn Flag-Kissing

At the monthly meeting of the Walkerton Chapter I.O.D.E. held on Tuesday evening, the following resolution was carried:—The Imperial Orders of the Daughters of the Empire being a British society and loving fair play and justice feel that the treatment accorded to the German citizens of the town is neither fair nor just as they have been given no opportunity to justify themselves and request that the proceedings be stopped at once.

Brother Died Also

A brother of Rev. Father Culliton, assistant priest at Carlsruhe, whose death was recently reported, passed away recently at Windsor. The deceased, who was also a priest, was on his way home to attend his brother's funeral and was taken suddenly ill at Windsor of the flu. He was removed to the Hospital where he died. The two young men were the two elder sons of Mr. Culliton of Ayton, for whom deep sympathy is felt in his double bereavement.

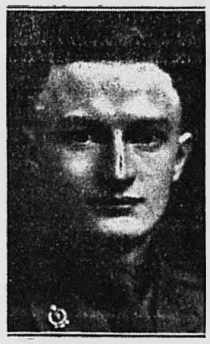
Charged With Smashing Windows.

Alex. McDermid, an old man from Black Horse, who recently had a gang of young men fined for charivaring him, laid a charge on Saturday against a chap named Stanley, charging him with breaking 36 pains of glass, and also window sashes in his house at midnight Friday. A stick eight feet long was found in one of the windows and was evidently used for doing the job. Stanley denied everything. The case was remanded until next Monday. In case the damage done proves to be more than $20 it will bring the case under the heading of an indictable offence to be tried by the Judge. Lawyer O. E. Klein appeared for McDermid and A. E. McNab for Stanley.

$1,000 for Disloyal Talk.

James Waddell, a farmer living 5 miles west of Teeswater, was fined $1,000 and costs by Magistrate Tolton on Friday for using seditious language. The charge which was laid by Reeve Ferguson of Teeswater was that Waddell had said "It was Great Britain's fault that the war did not stop, that Great Britain had started the war and that Britain had done as many acts of cruelty and distruction of property as the Germans had done only we had never heard of it, and the other words to that effect. David Robertson K. C. appeared as Crown prosecutor and Waddell acted his own lawyer. The Magistrate thought this kind of talk should not be encouraged and fined Waddell 1,022.35.

DIED OF WOUNDS



LIEUT. (DR.) PERCY SHANNON

Mr. R. E. Truax, M.P. had a telegram Friday night that his nephew, Lieut. Percival Roy Shannon, had died of wounds on November 3rd. Percy was a Walkerton boy and and lived here until he grew to young manhood. He was a splendid young fellow with bright prospects ahead of him in his profession. He had pluck as well as ability and was engaged in putting himself through Medical College, when he offered his services with the 34th. Battalion in 1915. He had not been with this unit long when he was transferred to the Army Medical Corps, with which he went to England. Before reaching the firing line he was sent back to Canada to complete his course but no sooner had he done so than he accepted a commission with a British Field Ambulance Corps and started for the Front. A strange trick of fate threw him and another Walkerton boy, Cecil Miller, a nephew of Mrs. J. G. Hibbert constantly together and they became inseparable companions. In enrolling at the University of Toronto five years ago he recognized the name next to his as that of an old public school chum at Walkerton, Cecil Miller. The two boys lived together during college at the home of the latter's sister, Mrs. Will McConnell. Last February when there was competition for commissions in the Imperial Service the two chums were chosen out of all their class for the posts of honor. They were together on the transport, together in England, and together in France. The British C. O. called the two young officers from Canada, "My twin red men" They ran into each other countless times from day to day. When Cecil was taken with trench fever a couple of months ago, Percy followed a week later with the same complaint and through the usual trick of fate they were sent to the same town where they were able to call on each other while convalescent. Percy's death will be a hard blow for his chum. Percy's father, Mr. Wellington Shannon, now lives in Buffalo, and Mr. Audrey Shannon, of the London Advertiser staff, is an only brother. His mother who died a number of years ago, was a sister of Mrs. R. E. Truax.

Dangerously Ill With Flu.

Mr. James Crawford was called to Detroit on Monday owing to the illness of his son, Harold. The telegram stated that he was ill with the flu and not expected to live. Slight improvement has been shown since Mr. Crawford reached his bedside, but he is still in a dangerous condition.

VICTORY LOAN MUST SUCCEED

(1) To bring the boys home.

(2) To maintain them in Europe till peace is firmly established.

(3) To maintain our industrial activities and provide new employment and munition workers and soldiers as they return.

(4) To continue our loans to Britain for buying Canadian food.

(5) To enable Canadian workers to get their rightful share of orders for rebuilding Belgium and France.

JOYFUL CELEBRATION

Town Went Mad With Joy When The Glad News Came Over the Wires On Monday Morning That Germany Had Quit and the Kaiser had Thrown Up the Sponge.

Walkerton took a day off on Monday to celebrate the day that our people have been longing for, praying for, working for the past four years. Folks just naturally were bubbled over with gladness when the good news came along and cut loose. A waggon with an energetic drummer aboard went up and down the back streets about 4.30 announcing in no uncertain tones that the great expected moment had arrived. By 6.30 the streets were fairly swarming with people and already autos loaded with gay din-makers were out for the day.

At 10.30 a.m. about a thousand people assembled in front of the Town Hall steps for a public Thanksgiving Service, a report of which appears in another column. At 1.30 a crowd preceded to Hank Irwin's farm, Durham Road West, where William Hohenzollern, was a prisoner in effigy. The Kaiser was then tied securely on a pony, brought to town and ignominously led through the streets. The Kaiser had a down-cast look. From the moment Chief Ferguson clapped his hand on his shoulder, the old boy felt no doubt that it was all off. The High School Cadets, a smart-looking company headed the procession. The Kaiser next, closely guarded by John A. Rowland and Hank Irwin, a long procession of autos and floats followed, with a host of passengers armed with every noise-provoking instrument available. Ringling Bros. circus let loose would be a tame entertainment to the celebration that was let loose on Durham St. Quite a number of decorated cars from Hanover took part, forming a procession several blocks long. At night Mr. Hohenzollern was formally tried in front of the Town Hall and received his death sentence. After being hanged he was burned and a complete job made of him. Mr. John A. Rowland, whose enthusiasm knew no bounds when the good news came over the wire, let loose a bunch of oratorical fireworks in front of the Town Hall. The procession kept on its joyous rounds all evening and most of the night. A number of citizens were hustled out of bed and taken to the Town Hall to kiss the Union Jack. It was 4 a.m. when the last of the celebrators called it a day.

For spontaneous joy, nothing has been seen to equal the way the town cut loose last Thursday afternoon when the premature report came over the wires that the war was over. The factory-whistles and all the bells in town kept up an incessant clamor most of the afternoon. Honking autos and motor trucks dashed up and down the Durham St. mud at a pace that made the spectators dizzy. Mayor Johnston declared a half-holiday. About the middle of the afternoon, the Hanover Band, in response to a warm invitation came over accompanied by a multitude of Hanover rotoists. The crowd gathered in front of the Town Hall where speeches were made by R. E. Truax, M. P., John Rowland, Mayor Taylor, of Hanover and others. At night a great crowd of citizens went over to Hanover and assisted in the celebration there. It was not until late at night that it was found that the report that "the war was over" was premature.

NOTES

Hurrah!

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Everybody was happy.

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We've settled the bill with Bill.

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It's only once in 2000 years anyway.

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The Tea Room girls had a pretty float.

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Every street in town had a few juvenile bands.

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There were no accidents in spite of the open disregard of traffic rules.

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The Kaiser in effigy hung suspended from the second story of the Merchants Bank block.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL WORKERS

Hear Illuminating Talks by S. S. Leaders At County Convention Held At Mildmay Last Week —After-the-war Situation Presents Big Opportunity.

The East Bruce Sunday School Association held at Mildmay Evangelical Church on Friday narrowly escaped extinction through an all day rain. Those delegates who braved the weather were well-repaid for they heard three addresses on Sunday School work, anyone of which was worth coming a long distance to hear. Rev. T. A. Halpenny, the new Supt. of the Ontario S. S. Ass'n., paid a first visit to Bruce and made an excellent impression. The delegates were certainly lifted up by his inspiring talks. Rev. W. H. Burgess, pastor of Knox Church, who has taken an especial interest in teen age problems gave an exceedingly helpful address which should give his hearers a broader vision of the possibilities of work among the older boys and girls. Rev. W. J. Mc Cauley of Goderich, emphasized fundamentals in a thoughtful discourse.

Rev. E. D. Becker, got the meeting started right by his spirited leadership in the singing, which was a good feature. The Church choir rendered two splendid anthems and a duet by Rev. R. M. Gale and Miss Jennie Pinkerton was much appreciated.

The Secretary-Treasurer's report showed an encouraging total for Missions, but much to be desired in organization in the various Sunday Schools.

The faithful and efficient services of the president, Mr. Howard Hettrick, were rewarded by re-election for the coming year. The other officers are:—Vice-President, Rev. E. D. Becker, Mildmay; Secretary-Treasurer, Lorne A. Eedy, Walkerton; Supt. Children's Division, Miss Maud McCoy, Cargill; Teen Age Boys,, Wm. F. Wendt, Mildmay; Girls' Division, Miss Mary White, Walkerton; Adult, M. G. Dippel, Walkerton; Missionary, R. M. Gale, Pinkerton; Temperance, Mr. Sam Cargill, Cargill; Teacher Training, Rev. W. H. Burgess, Walkerton.

Speaking on the Place of Teaching in Christian Service, Rev. Mr. McCauley ably pointed out that we all learn from God, the great teacher. The greatest way we can teach is by receiving from God and then giving it out. The truest teaching is that which comes spontaneously from a consecrated life. In these days too much stress is possibly laid on organization rather than on the great essential.

In an inspiring talk on Teen Age work, Rev. W. H. Burgess, showed that to meet the approaching crisis in Canadian national life, the training of the older boys and girls was of the utmost importance. These boys and girls were Canada's greatest asset to-day. With thousands upon thousands of your best young men gone, the boys under draft age should be trained for Christain leadership in the new Canada. He dealt with the development of the Teen age boy under the heads, intellectual, physical, religious, socia., "and Jesus grew in wisdom, and stature, and in favor with God and man." The speaker told of the Standard Efficiency Tests which had been arrayed by interdemoninational Committees in Canada for older boys work and eloquently pressed home the importance of the work.

Wm. Halpenny following up the previous speakers, referred to the importance of Christain education as proven by recent history. The scientific man lacking the heart of Jesus, is a menace to society. The speaker advanced the thought that man's complete development in this world was in three stages, first the subjugation of the animal world, second, the subjugation of nature which by science man has almost accomplished, third the subjugation of self. The developed man should have the step of the conqueror but the spirit of the servant. The boys in the trenches had given wonderful manifestations of this spirit. It is hoped they would bring it back with them. Canada's job was to train her people to be big enough for the liberty that the soldiers in the trenches had won for them. He urged each School to advance its organization one step for the coming year.

Teacher: "Willie, give three proofs that the earth is round." Willie: "Yes'm. The book says so, you say so, and tha says so."

Collecting Spawn

Supt. Alex. McDougall commenced the first of this week to collect spawn for the hatchery here. The full capacity for the Southampton hatchery is 10,000,000 eggs, and it is the intention of the government to operate all hatcheries owing to the demand of fish for food.—Southampton Deacon.

Farmers of Canada Have Much at Stake In the Victory Loan

Money From Loan Needed to Finance Exports of Farm Products to Britain.

The Canadian farmer stands to gain or lose much through the success or failure of the Victory Loan. He is much more dependent on it for the ready sale of his products than has generally been realised. Some there are, even to-day, who fail to grasp the facts of the situation.

It is a mistaken idea that all a farmer has to do these days is to raise grain, cattle, hogs; or produce cheese, butter or eggs and he is sure to find a ready market at high cash prices. A keen demand for these



MR. J. H. GUNDY,
Vice-chairman of the Dominion Victory Loan Committee, and a strong leader in the campaign.

products, of course, exist, and Great Britain will take all of them that Canada has to spare; but the demands of the war have been so heavy that she cannot pay cash for all these things. She must have credit. It is here that the Dominion Government steps in, and provides the cash, obtaining the necessary funds through the Victory Loan.

The farmers should be as enthusiastic over the Victory Loan campaign as any other class. If it is not a decided success they stand to lose heavily. But if they subscribe to it liberally and endeavour to get others to do so, its complete success is assured.

BUY MORE VICTORY BONDS.

PRAIRIE FARMERS' EXAMPLE.

Saskatchewan, which is almost a purely agricultural province, has given a splendid lead to the rest of the Dominion. Owing to the crop failure in several of the districts, the allotment for the Province in the Victory Loan drive was placed at $15,000,000. Recently those in charge of the provincial organization said that they would not think of getting less than $22,000,000.

BONDS OR BONDAGE.

Canadians at Home Must Do Their Utmost

It Is For Them to Demonstrate That the Spirit of the Boys Over There Exists at Home.

Canadians at home must do their utmost in the Victory Loan drive, for the boys in France are looking on. These brave fellows, the pride of the British Army, who have carried all before them during the last three months, must not be disappointed in the folks at home. It must be demonstrated to them that the spirit exhibited in the front line, is to be found also on the home front.

There is no problem confronting Canada to-day, or likely to confront her in the future, which Canadians cannot solve, if they put their minds to it. There is no task for them too difficult. But while everybody believes this, there is no use talking about it, unless the Victory Loan is put over. It will be, for it must be.

BUY BONDS FOR VICTORY.

DOUBLE UP.

The call is now "Double up." Everybody seems to be doing it. Why shouldn't they? The cause is worth doubling up for. Besides, it would be impossible to get a better investment. It's better than the Americans were offered, for their Fourth Liberty bonds bear only 4½ per cent., whereas ours carry 5½. So "doubling up" is the correct thing. It is patriotic and also good business. Double up.

THE CRISIS.

Your country needs your financial help to meet its crisis to-day. You may need financial resources to meet a possible crisis in your affairs later on. There is one safe, sane, sure way to meet either kind of crisis. In taking it you discharge your duty to your country and to yourself. Take it to-day. Buy Victory Bonds. Buy all you can.

LEND TO CANADA.

HYMNS

IN COMMEMORATION OF PEACE

— FOR —

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WALKERTON

NOV. 11TH, 1918



DOXOLOGY

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise him, all creatures here below;
Praise him above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

ALL PEOPLE THAT ON EARTH

All people that on earth do dwell,
Sing to the Lord with cheerful voice;
Him serve with fear, His praise forth tell,
Come ye before Him and rejoice.

Know that the Lord is God indeed,
Without our aid He did us make
We are His flock, he doth us feed,
And for His sheep he doth us take.

O enter then His gates with praise,
Approach with joy His courts unto;
Praise, laud and bless His name always,
For it is seemly so to do.

For why? the Lord our God is good,
His mercy is forever sure;
His truth at all times firmly stood,
And shall from age to age endure.

ALL HAIL THE POWER

All hail the power of Jesus' name!
Let angels prostrate fall,
Bring forth the royal diadem,
And crown him Lord of all.

Ye seed of Israel's chosen race,
Ye ransomed from the fall,
Hail him who saves you by his grace,
And crown him Lord of all.

Sinners whose love can ne'er forget
The wormwood and the gall;
Go spread your trophies at his feet,
And crown him Lord of all.

Let every kindred, every tribe,
On this terrestial ball,
To him all majesty ascribe,
And crown him Lord of all.

O that with yonder sacred throng
We at his feet may fall;
Join in the everlasting song,
And crown him Lord of all.

O GOD, OUR HELP IN AGES PAST.

O God, our help in ages past,
Our hope in years to come;
Our shelter from the stormy blast,
And our eternal home.

Before the hills in order stood,
Or earth received her frame,
From everlasting thou art God,
To endless years the same.

O God, our help in ages past,
Our hope for years to come;
Be Thou our guard while life shall last,
And our eternal home.

ONWARD CHRISTIAN SOLDIERS

Marching on to war,
With the cross of Jesus
Going on before.
Christ, the royal Master,
Leads against the foe,
Forward into battle,
See his banners go.
Onward Christian soldiers,
Marching as to war,
With the Cross of Jesus
Going on before.

Crowns and thrones may perish,
Kingdoms rise and wane;
But the Church of Jesus
Constant will remain:
Gates of hell can never
'Gainst that Church prevail;
We have Christ's own promise,
And that cannot fail.
Onward, Christian soldiers, &c.

Onward, then ye people,
Join our happy throng;
Blend with ours your voices
In the triumph-song:
Glory, laud, and honour
Unto Christ the King,
This through endless ages
Men and angels sing. &c.

FOOLING THE TEACHER

The meanest teacher in our town,
Or any town about,
Once kept our pitcher, Dannie Brown,
When school was letting out.
She kept him in to do a sum,—
She said it wasn't hard.—
Although the other nine had come
To play right in our yard!
We lost the game ten to one,—
They were the Silver Sox,—
I'm very sure we should have won
With Dennie in the box.
She let him out in lasting three,
But then it was too late;
And teacher even smiled when she
Went pass us to the gate!
But since then every single day
We've fooled the teacher well;
We've found a very simple way—
Just listen and I'll tell:
When Dannie has a sum to do,
He always does his best;
And then, you see, when school is through
He gets out with the rest!

In these days of Influenzas,
When our noses play cadenzas,
It's hard sometimes to know just what to do;
For it seems that this bacillus
Has in its mind to kill us,
And everywhere they say, "Have you the Flu?"

YOU DON'T NEED TO GO

on suffering with that obstinate sore, if you will only use Zam-Buk—the great herbal skin cure. This balm, owing to its unique composition, is the very thing for sores and skin troubles that have resisted ordinary treatments.

Mrs. Herbert Cox, of Port McNicoll, Ontario, writes: "For nine years I suffered with an abscess on my face, which was both painful and disfiguring. I had the abscess lanced repeatedly, but it still remained. I also tried ordinary ointments, but without any permanent benefit. Finally the doctor told me I had a tumor on the bone, and would have to undergo an operation, which I did; but instead of improving, the wound only became worse. I was in despair when a friend got me to try Zam-Buk. I soon noticed a marked improvement. Zam-Buk seemed to get to the very root of the trouble, and in the end the abscess was entirely cured—not even leaving a scar. This was a year ago, and there has been no return of the trouble."

Zam-Buk is not a mere ointment, but a rich herbal balm. Unequalled for eczema, scalp sores, ringworm, boils, bad legs, blood-poisoning, piles, cuts, burns, sprains, scalds, and all skin injuries. 50c. box. 3 for $1.25, all druggists or Zam-Buk Co., Toronto. Send 1c. stamp for postage on free trial box

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Mail Contract

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NEWS ABOUT TOWN

"I never saw a woman so full o' energy."

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Mrs. Dalrymple of London was here this week visiting her husband who had his leg fractured while painting at the G. T. R. Station last Wednesday.

Wounded In Hand

Principal Rankin had a telegram on Saturday stating that his son, Pte. Leo. Rankin had been wounded with gunshot in the hand on November 1st. Leonard enlisted with the 161st. Hurons while he was a bank clerk at Brussels. In a letter received here last week he said he had just met Fred. Kenny of Walkerton and had a nice chat with him. That would be just a few days before Fred was killed. On (Oct. 18).

Former Greenock Boy Killed

Lieut. A. T. Gregg, who when a boy lived with his parents near Lovat, is among those recently killed in action. The deceased was in the West since boyhood, and previous to enlisting had entered upon the course of study for the Methodist ministry. His father, Mr. Robt. Gregg, lived at Swan River, Man. Mrs. J. B. Cottrill of Port Elgin, is a sister of the deceased soldier. He enlisted in the West with the Canadian Engineers, and was given a commission after taking the training course in England. He went to France last August.

Buy Victory Bonds!

Pte. Fin. Hepburn of Port Elgin, has been decorated with the Croix de Guerre (cross of war). He has been promoted on the field to be sergeant-major. He was sent to England where he was commissioned a lieutenant.

Out Of Hospital

Mrs. Hugh Threndyle had word from her husband last week that he is now out of the hospital with the Convalescents and is drilling again, expecting to be sent to the Reserves shortly.

Board Inflicts Penalty

The Flour & Feed store of Urban Schmidt of Mildmay was ordered closed for two weeks for failure to comply with the Food Board's regulations regarding the sale of substitutes to go with flour.

Christmas Dinner For Soldiers

The Exeter Council have granted Christmas gifts of $1 per member of the soldier boys of Exeter at the front for a Christmas dinner, accompanied by a card of greeting from the municipality.

New Issue of Stamps

There has been a new issue of three cent stamps by the Dominion Government. The former mark I. T. C. which meant one cent war tax, has been eliminated on the new stamps, and the postage is now straight postal rate without any extra war tax included.

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OF

UNPAID SUBSCRIPTIONS

At a public hearing in Ottawa the other day in connection with paper conservation, the Paper Controller for Canada intimated that regulations about to be issued would include one of the effects that:

> Publishers of newspapers must cease sending their newspapers to subscribers three months in arrears, unless subscriptions be definitely renewed, and all arrears fully paid.

The reason for this regulation of the Paper Controller is that it is the practice of some publishers to send their newspapers until ordered stopped. It is to prevent paper waste that the new regulation has been decided on.

The manufacture of paper consumes labor, wood, coal, chemicals and transportation facilities, and every ton of paper saved means just so much more labor, raw materials, chemicals, fuel and transportation available for urgent war needs. For these reasons the Government insists that paper shall be saved and proposes that only those who pay for their publications shall receive them.

Under these regulations The Telescope will have no choice in the matter of dealing with "subscriptions in arrears for over three months.

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LETTER FROM MR. McKAY

Editor Walkerton Telescope,
Dear Sir:—

The war is over and the whole world is rejoicing at the end thereof and as an observer who is practically laid aside from participating in the stern realities of public life, I write you to express my appreciation and gratitude for having with us a citizen, Mr. John Rowland, whose sterling integrity and loyalty to the British Empire and whose never failing Courage has done so much for our soldiers in their going and home-coming to see that their needs were supplied and now in particular to see how he marshalled the great crowds who came to our town to rejoice with us that the war ended. In fact I place him alongside of such men as Marshall Foch, Lloyd George the British Premier and Sir Robert Borden, Canada's Premier. Lloyd George had to part with many of his best friends to make Marshall Foch marshall of all the forces and Sir Robert had to do likewise, left his position here and went to England to assist Lloyd-George (knowing the sacrifice the loyal Canadians were making and the influence he held,) in pressing Marshall Foch as head of the whole armies. And now as the end of the great struggle for liberty has come I hope Mr. Rowland will continue to use his great ability and enthusiasm in helping to provide much needed comforts and means of providing for the wants of our brave soldiers and their families.

Yours truly,
R. H. McKay,
Ex-Mayor.

SCOUTS "ALERT"

What a time we have been having, what with the "Flu" knocked under, then Austria laid low and finally Germany takes the count for down and out. We are surely looking forward to better and brighter days.

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I hope to have a Scout Meeting on Friday and shall make a union meeting of it. Let every Scout and Cub get busy and bring another recruit.

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I have just received the Tenderfoot Badges and hope every Scout will know his Scout Law off by heart so that we can have a presentation night as well. The 5th. Scout law says:—"A Scout is Courteous." He is polite to all especially to women and children, when mother makes a request it should be answered with a smile and when brothers or sisters tease it should be taken good naturedly instead of a pluck or slap as the case may be. You will be surprised how much easier and nicer it is to go along in life with a smile instead of a frown. Someone wrote "Laugh and the world laugh with you, weep and you weep alone." The world has troubles enough to look after and is hungry for smiles, regular Sunny Jim Smiles, those that can't wash off.

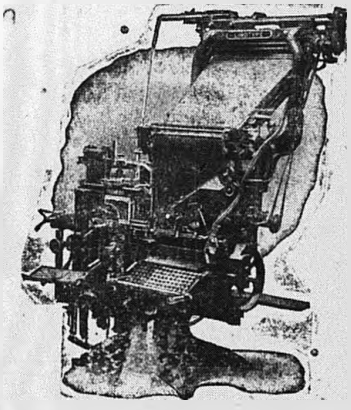
I asked a [illegible] boy was in a Toronto tram car what she thought of the Boy Scouts and she replied: "It makes the boys so thoughtful." There is nothing easy in thinking of others but you will find a great deal of pleasure in being polite to all especially the sick and elderly people.

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CAPT. BOB ROWLAND M. C.

Tells of Canadians' Wonderful Work In the Big Drive Forward Last Month—Graphic Personal Account of the Crossing of Canal du Nord.

This thrilling story of what our boys have been accomplishing in France is part of a letter received this week by Mrs. Rowland from France:—

Dear Mother:—

As you see by now I came through another show safely and this one was by far the worst as he certainly intended to fight along the front.

Well we jumped off at 5.20 a.m. 27th. and our first objective was the Canal du Nord. We assembled about 800 yds. from the canal and once the barrage opened we were away and soon got to the canal which was about 18 feet deep. Well it was easy enough to fall down into it but some job getting up the other side. I am not very clear as to how I got up it but found myself on top and the men began to scramble over. We had to cut through some wire and into a trench system full of dugouts and full of Heinies. We could not bother with them as my final objective was still another 400 yds. to a sunken road so we started for it and ran into some more wire. Well it was there I lost a good pair of breeches and at last hit the sunken road exactly 57 min. after we kicked off. Then more Huns came up through us so we were out of the fight. They went ahead and took Boulon Wood and had some stiff fighting but gained their objective. We got about 700 prisoners, far too many I know but we had to go ahead so fast we couldn't waste any time on them.

We slept out in the open that night and kicked off again next morning at 6 a. m. and our objective was the left flank of Cambria. we reached our objective but the fighting was awful as he had a strong line and his best troops in front of us. After we got to our objective we were counter-attacked 2 times but the few men which remained were wonderful and drove him off. By this time we were running short of ammunition and had he come again things had a blue out-look for us, but thank the Lord, he didn't. Well, we were relieved the next morning and it was certainly a cut up Batt'n. Only four Co'y. officers came out and about 150 men, so you see we were cut to pieces.

In the two days fighting I had 4 officers killed and one wounded in my own Co'y, and had about 20 men. I only took two officers in with me the first day and lost them both crossing the canal. Then two more more were killed the second day and my second in command badly wounded. It certainly is a shame to have such wonderful boys killed and for myself I am fed up and would certainly like a rest but this is the only way to end this war and that's what we are here for. I also had my little runner killed and can hardly think of it yet. He was only a boy and I got him the Military Medal for the Amiens show. He was something wonderful, his courage used to often make me ashamed of myself. I certainly will miss him as he has been with me for 8 months. I never moved in the line but he was at my heels and all through these 3 shows until he was hit I was never a yard away from him and we have had some wonderful escapes. Had he lived and both of us gone home I certainly would have kept him with me as he did some wonderful things for me. It certainly is a cruel war.

I expect to leave for England around the 10th. of the month and am sure going to have a good time.

I haven't time to write any more at present as I have such a lot of letters to write to different boys' people but will write in a couple of days.

Love to all.

Bob.

Charged With Attempting Suicide

Mrs. Florence Schanuhardt, a Kincardine woman, was lodged in the County Gaol this week on a charge of attempting suicide. While she was a patient at the Kincardine Hospital suffering from nephritis, it is charged that she stole down to the lake and attempted to drown herself. Her trial is down for the Fall Assizes on the 24th.

Derrick—Tuckey.

A quiet wedding took place at St. Thomas Church, Walkerton, on Thursday morning, November 7th, at eleven o'clock, when Miss Alice Marion Tuckey, elder daughter of Mr. George A. T. Tuckey, was united in marriage to Mr Harold Gladstone Derrick of Toronto. The ceremony was performed by Rural Dean R. Perdue M. A., rector of the church. Miss Hopwood of Weston assisted the bride and the best man was Sergt. A. N. Dickison of Toronto. During her short residence here the bride has made many good friends, who extend best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Derrick.

JOYFUL CELEBRATION

(Continued from Page 1)

Joe Abell, the Ismelitish junk dealer made a great din with a waggon full of old iron.

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It was sure an all-day celebration. Started off 4.30 a. m. Monday and kept up until 4.30 a. m. Tuesday.

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The local power company had the streets festooned with strings of coloured lights and kept the lights going night and day.

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The Walkerton Egg & Dairy Co. was well represented in the procession. All the firm's motor trucks were out celebrating.

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One of the sights of Thursday's procession was Mr. John Rowland with his face blackened and a silk tile, galloping joyously up and down Durham St., whooping it up.

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For all the rough and tumble nature of the celebration there was little or no damage of any kind done in town. Nobody was hurt and everybody was happy.

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Sam Siderson, the junk dealer, gayly gotten up with a high hat and decked with a Russian dog, drove madly through the streets with a bunch of clanging old tins tied to the end of his waggon.

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Silk tiles that had not done service in twenty years were much in evidence. Among those who sported plugs were:—Andy McLean, E. J. Skelton, H. M. Lay, John Rowland, A. E. McNab, F. W. Lippert, Joe Abell.

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An impromptu band got out the 160th. brass instruments and gave Walkerton a pretty good sample of what a town band would be like. Some of the old timers who helped were:—Frank Bolden, David Disch, J. Ransebottom, Fred Ernel, Geo. Beninger, Al Disch, Paul Jones, Clarence Kreuger, M. Ehrich, Tony Wagner and Wm. Bolden.

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The trial and hanging of the Kaiser took place in front of the Town Hall steps Monday night before a big audience. Rev. R. Perdue acted as prosecuting attorney and solemnly indicted him on a list of counts. No one could be found to defend the "All Highest." Judge John Rowland, after hearing the jury's verdict, sentenced the Kaiser to be hanged until he was dead-dead-dead, then to be riddled with bullets, and burned to ashes. The sentence was carried out to the letter.

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An informal court of trial has been held more or less continuously at the Town Hall steps the past three days. A company of a dozen or so men headed by Hank Irwin, the horseman, have been bringing in citizens one-by-one from town and surrounding country who are alleged not to have shown a proper spirit of loyalty. They were made to kiss the flag, sing God Save the King, etc.

High School Notes

Owing to the epidemic of Spanish Influenza, th students enjoyed a month's holidays and although they realize that this is a serious setback, all are endeavouring to "grin and bear it. The closing of the schools certainly put a check on the spread of the "flu" here, and great credit should be given to the local Board of Health for the masterly manner in which they handled the situation. Perhaps the students would favour coming on Saturdays and during the Christmas Holidays, as it will be absolutely necessary to make some allowance for this lost time.

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The pupils were very sorry to learn of the death of a very popular ex-student, Cadet Frank Moore, who contracted Influenza at a camp in Toronto and, later, died at Base Hospital. The students extend their deepest sympathy to the bereaved family.

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The High School pupils are always on hand where there is anything doing. Although school was not in session when the first peace celebration occurred, some of the students got together and were very conspicuous wherever the noise was greatest. On Monday, they did the thing in proper style. The Cadet Corps turned out and escorted the Kaiser into the town and along the streets. The liberal use of blank cartridges by them, contributed to the excitement and their yells were heard all over the town. People began to appreciate the fact that there really is a High School in the place.

CALLED SUDDENLY AWAY

Mrs. McConkey Was Overcome With Apoplexy While Shopping and Succumbed at Hospital Within A Few Hours.

Mrs. John McConkey, a highly esteemed resident of this vicinity, was very suddenly called away the past week. Mrs. McConkey was doing some shopping in town on Saturday night and was suddenly seized with apoplexy on Durham St. in front of McCrum's store. She was taken to the County Hospital where she passed away at five o'clock the following morning. Mrs. McConkey, who was born in Ireland, came to this country with her late husband, about forty years ago. After living a short time in Toronto they came up to Bruce County. Her husband predeceased her twelve years ago. Mrs. McConkey was a lady of fine personal qualities, and generous towards every good cause. Her sudden death is very deeply mourned. Four sons and five daughters survive. They are:—John H. of Greenock; Will, Richard and Edwin at home; Mrs. James Fisk of Greenock; Mrs. Arthur Johnston of Cargill; Mrs. Thos. McNeill and Mrs. Hugh McNeill of Brant; and Miss Anna at home. The funeral took place from the farm in Carrick on Tuesday, to St. Thomas Church, Walkerton, where service was conducted by Rev. R. Perdue, after which interment was made in Walkerton Cemetery. The pall-bearers were:—Mr. Barton of Clifford, W. J. McConkey, Arthur Johnston, Thomas McNeill, Stanley Garland, James L. Tolton.

The Victory Loan yields nearly twice the interest one receives from a banking account, and as to security—it is guaranteed by every bank and article of value in the country whether it belongs to an individual, a municipality, a province, or to the Dominion Government.

Officers Backed Down.

The Investigating Jury at Toronto last week placed the blame for the now notoriously bad conditions at the Base Hospital, Toronto, on the Medical Military Authorities at Ottawa. A notable feature of the sworn testimony was that the officers who had previously made ridiculous statements regarding Capt. Kain and contradicted Mrs. Kain's story, all backed down on their story, when it had to be given under oath in the witness box. That sort of thing should result in their immediate dismissal from the service when it is brought to the attention of the higher authorities.

J. C. Rockwell's "Sunny South" Co.

The amusement loving public will be glad to hear that the J. C. Rockwell "Sunny South" company, the show that leaves you laughing when they say "good night," is announced to appear in the Opera House, Walkerton, Wednesday evening, November 20th. It is about two years since this company was seen here and at that time it was pronounced to be the best and most pleasing of the kind that ever made this city. This season it is absolutely new and right up-to-the-minute in every respect. It is characteristic throughout, being a mixture of fun, melody and dancing, consisting of all the features peculiar to the negro in Dixie Land, presented by negros of the cultured and educated class, free from vulgarity, without any objectional features, at the same time sparkling with wit and good humor. Comedy is all that is aimed and nothing else is reached but some very clever singing, dancing and entertaining specialities, of the better class, which will make the audience sit up and take notice. The management wish to give the public a run for their money and have gotten together a strong and evenly balanced performance that is bound to please the most fastidious seeker after amusement. There is snap and ginger from beginning to end. The music is bright and catchy. It is all new and of that popular sort that can be whistled after one hearing. It contains more real humor, with, novelties and original ideas than any similar attraction. From first to last there is not an objectional word spoken, nor the slightest approach to vulgarity in action nor glance. A good sprinkling of new songs have been introduced and with the atmosphere being of the sort where the audience leave the theatre whistling the latest song hits, you can rest assured they will be sent home feeling satisfied they have received full value for their money.

The organization is accompanied by a solo concert band and an excellent orchestra. The "Roosterette" parade, a decided novelty, takes place at 1 p.m.

The prices of admission have been placed at 35, 50 and 75 cents including War Tax. Seats are now selling at McCrum's Book Store.

NOTE:—We carry no slackers. Every male member of the "Sunny South" company, has fulfilled all obligations regarding military service. They await the call enroute to Berlin.

OUR OLDEST CITIZEN

Mr. John Klein, Whose Death took Place At Bruce County Hospital Sat On Berlin's First Town Council—Founded The Late Glocke in 1870.

Walkerton's oldest citizen, Mr. John Klein, passed away on Saturday evening, November 9th., at the Bruce County Hospital in his 93rd. year. Until five years ago when his strength was depleted by two surgical operations, Mr. Klein was very vigorous and was a prominent figure for many years in public life.

Born in Alsace on October 13th, 1825 he emigrated at the age of eight years with his parents to Ontario. After a short stay at Short Hills near St. Catharines, the family moved to New Germany, Waterloo County. The young man assisted his father in the difficult work of a pioneer in the wilderness, and at the same time studied at home and took lessons from the parish priest, until he was able to qualify as public school teacher. He taught first at Rummelhart, and in the early fifties, in the little red school house near the Mennonite church at Berlin. During that time he was a member of the first council of Berlin. Later he kept the Franklin Hotel and conducted a general store.

In 1850 he married Ludvika Lang, a sister of the late Reinhold Lang, founder of the Lang Tanning Co., and in 1858 the family moved on a 200 acre farm near Kincardine. In the winter he taught school at Zurich. In 1860 at Baden, and in 1861 he assumed charge of the school at Wellesley for six years. In 1867 he moved to Carrick Tp. and took charge of the school at Wellesley for six years. In 1867 he moved to Carrick Tp. and took charge of the Hanna school, and in 1868 of Neustadt school.

In 1870 the Glocke was founded at Walkerton by the deceased; in 1876 he sold out to Eby & Rittinger, and established the "Waechter am Saugeen" at Neustadt. In 1882 this printing office and the family home were destroyed by fire, and owing to the failure of the insurance Company no insurance could be recovered. In 1882 he moved to Walkerton and established a business as conveyancer and insurance agent. He was appointed Notary Public and commissioner for taking affidavits. In addition he acted as German examiner for teachers, as well as returning officer in 1892 and 1896. His wife died 1902, and the following children survive: Judge Klein and Barrister O. E. Klein, Walkerton, Isadore and Edmund in New York, Theodore in Cleveland, Oscar in Milwaukee, and Miss Isabella, at present a patient in the Walkerton hospital.

The deceased was a Reformer in his early days and an active friend of McDee, Foley and Blake. In 1870 he supported Sir John A. Macdonald and after that he remained a Conservative. He was a loyal subject of the British Crown and supporter of the Allied cause. May he rest in peace.

The funeral was held from the residence of his son, Mr. O. E. Klein on Tuesday morning, service at the R. C. Church being conducted by Rev Father Cummings. The pall-bearers, were four sons, Judge A. E. Klein, O. E. Klein, Isadore, and Oscar, and two grandsons, Jack of Fort William and Herbert of Bridgeport, Ont. His sons, Theodore and Edmund, were unable to be present owing to sickness.

They have a big liar in Maine or they had a big snowstorm. A Maine farmer is reported as having had the points of his horn boxed in, last winter, so the cows wouldn't get hurt on them when they were turned out for their exercise.

Leg Badly Fractured

Mr. Sol. Schwandt of Brant, had his leg badly fractured by falling from the waggon while drawing manure on day last week. His leg caught between the hind wheel and the waggon box and was badly twisted, being broken in two places above the ankle.

PRAISES BOARD OF HEALTH

Editor of the Telescope,

Dear Sir:—

Will you kindly allow me to express my appreciation of the valuable work done by the Medical Health Officer (Dr. Porter,) and the Board of Health of the Town of Walkerton, during the recent epidemic of influenza.

Owing to their prompt vigorous and efficient work many valuable lives have been saved.

We should also be proud of and thankful to those young ladies who have risked their health and their lives in trying to help those who were sick and helpless from the disease.

Respectfully yours,

Herbert B. Sinclair M. D.

IN GOOD COMPANY

Milt McCarter Writes A Splendid Letter from France Giving the Folks An Inkling Of What Our Canadian Boys Have Been Doing In the Big Drive

The following interesting letter received from Milt McCarter by his sister, Miss Gladys McCarter, will be read with interest by our readers:—

Somewhere in France,
Oct. 10, 1918.

My Dear Sister:—

Some little time has passed since I received some letters from you and now as we are out on rest I am going to try and write a long and interesting letter in return for the large number that you wrote to me. I am feeling very fair considering. We are living at present in what was before the war a fairly large and beautiful town but Fritz at several stages of the game has sent over some packages of steel and in parts has somewhat battered the place up. There are large numbers of trees of all kinds and shapes. They are still green and still very beautiful in appearance, the streets are about half the width of Durham and are paved with blocks of stone about 5 in. square on the average. The cobbled streets and roads are very hard to march on but are much better than being ankle deep in mud. There are a large number of big business blocks which of course are in various stages of ruin according to their position to the Fritz line. Quite a number of the buildings are built of white stone with a smooth surface and most of the balance are built of red brick with nearly always white facades. The streets wind in and out and if you do not know the place any too well you are very apt to get lost. Before the war there was some very fine churches but now thanks to Heinie nothing remains now but magnificent piles of ruins. I was up to the ruins of the cathedrals yesterday and it sure must have been a beautiful place before it was shot to pieces. There still stand two double rows of pillars running the full length of the church. They are between 4 and 5 feet in diameter and extremely high. While I was standing at the front entrance a Highlander (in fact London Scottish) came up from the other end over a pile of rock and he seemed real small so you can easily see the length of the church. It is also very wide and the steps up to the entrances remind me of going into the Formosa Church. We quite often see civilians in town and it makes us feel more at home. We are living in barracks which were occupied by French regulars in peace time and they are large and very comfortable considering. The railway station must have been a very imposing edifice but it has been hit a good many times since the beginning of the war. I suppose you would like to know some things about the last scrap I was in. It was pretty rough at certain stages of our time in. As is usual my battalion was full of fight and Fritz could not stand our withering fire so he either surrendered or started to run when our boys displayed great superiority in rifle shooting, picking off the Germans as they were running trying to get to their own line and I can safely say that 90 per cent never got back. Our chaps had little cover so they stood upright and shot them down in dozens. They had put such a severe dose of fright into Fritz that few of our boys were hit at all. Our artillery barrage as is usual was extremely well organized and nothing that got into it had much chance of coming out as was noticed by the large number of field mice that were killed by concussion and the shell holes were as thick as currants in a Christmas cake and which furnished our own boys with very valuable protection from German bullets and shell fire. One man alone captured 146 Germans single handed. He belonged to this company so you can see what company I keep in the fighting line. At some later date I will tell you all about the number of decorations won. I was up to see Stuart Pinkney last Sunday and as usual he was feeling fine and he also had his share of excitement. I met him twice while the scrap was at its height and he sure looked as if Fritz had no chance at all and he really had not as minor details will show but which are not really interesting unless a chap writes a story.



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LIVE NEWS OF NEIGHBORING VILLAGES AND COUNTRYSIDE

:-: Happenings of the Week Collected for the Readers of The Telescope by a Staff of Wideawake Correspondents :-:

MILDMAY

Mr. J.A. Johnston is very bus y this week canvassing subscriptions to the Victory Loan. Carrick farmers should wake up and get out their bank account and figure out how much Victory Loan they can buy. This is a real Victory Loan.

Mildmay celebrated Peace in a very fitting way by holding a meeting in the Town Hall Monday evening which was of the nature of a service of thanks to Him who brought peace on earth once more. Mr. Thos. Hickling acted as chairman. The speakers were Rev. Walker of the Methodist Church, Rev. Becker of the Evangelical, and Rev. Patterson of the Presbyterian. The songs were: O Canada, The Maple Leaf Forever, Rule Britannia, The Red White and Blue and Keep the Home Fires Burning. The meeting was well attended and the speeches were excellent.

Miss Melinda Pletsch nurse in training at Detroit spent the week-end with her parents here. She returned to duty on Monday afternoon.

Peter Lobsinger and Garfield Eickmeier are both improving nicely and will soon be able to be about again.

Mr. Peter Liesemer, Miss Katharine Schwalm and Deville. Wilbur and Bruce Kalbfleisch are on the sick list this week.

Mr. Irwin Knechtel who was ill with the Flu is able to be about again.

Mr. George Fink is ill in bed this week with the Flu.

Word was received by friends here that Mr. Levi Wildfang died of pneumonia on Sunday morning. He leaves a wife who before her marriage was well known here as Miss Sarah Filsinger. This case is a particularly sad one five children are left to the care of their mother.

Mr. Wm. F. Wendt visited at Mr. and Mrs. Fred Millhouse's at Chesley last Friday.

The Memorial services of L. Cpl. Norman E. Kaufman, died of wounds at No. 1 Clearing Hospital France on Sunday Oct. 20th. 1918, was held in the Evangelical church last Sunday evening. The large congregation which gathered for the service shows how highly this fine young man just on the verge of manhood was thought of by the people of Mildmay.

Communion services were held in the Methodist church here Sunday morning, Rev. Wilson officiating.

RIVERSDALE

Miss Juletta Houle returned to her home in Port Huron after spending a couple of weeks with Miss Augus Dietrich.

Miss Eva Taylor of North Bay is visiting her sister Mrs. Chas. Brindley also renewing old acquaintances here.

Mrs. Duncan McKinnon of Detroit is spending a couple of days at Gilbert Scream's last week.

Misses James Dietrich and Miss Julia were visiting their sister Mrs. Ringer of Wingham this week.

Quite a few attended Mr. Pergins sale in Teeswater on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Scharbach spent Sunday with friends at Wingham.

The Misses Eva Benninger and Eva Taylor were guests of Miss Nora Houle last Thursday afternoon.

Miss Maggie Cascagnette returned to London after visiting her parents here.

Pte. Alfred Mussel spent Saturday (Friday) some where in France, oh I mean in Riversdale.

Mr. James Pelletpace has returned home after spending the summer in the West.

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Miss Rose Ellinghausen took in the celebration in Walkerton on Monday.

There suddenly passed away on Monday morning in the person of Miss Clara McDonald. Death was due to pleural-pneumonia following Influenza. Much sympathy is felt for th bereaved ones.

CHEPSTOW

The local schools which have been closed for the past four weeks owing to the influenza epidemic reopened on Monday.

Mrs. Con. Mullin returned on Monday from a three weeks visit with her daughter Mrs. Chas. Helwig of Hanover.

Mrs. Anthony Wingefelder of Walkerton spent Sunday at the King Edward.

Mr. Tony Brick who has been conducting Senator Donnelly's big farm near Paisley for the past few years, has purchased the Kelly farm from Alex. Weber for $6,400, possession to be given March 1st.

Mr. and Mrs. Col. Schnitzler near Cargill received the sad news on Monday that their son Edward who went overseas with the 160th, Bruce Batt'n, died of wounds on Nov. 1st. He was well known here and his many friends were sorry to hear of the heroic death.

Mr. Ed. Diemert spent the week-end with his wife and family at Con. Mullin's.

CARGILL

The Women's Patriotic Tea will be continued this week and will be held at Mrs. Gilbert Saunders' and next week at Mrs. R. Wells'.

DUNKELD

A great many are anticipating a decided slump in the live stock market as a result of peace, judging from the amount of live stock, which is being shipped from here this week.

Captain J. C. Little of Teeswater, who was reported as missing some weeks ago, is now officially reported as being a prisoner of war, according to word received by his father. Captain Little, who prior to his enlistment was publisher of the News, was well known here and we hope for his speedy release.

With the ringing of bells, blowing of whistles and with every kind of noise-making imaginable, was ushered in the dawn of peace, on Monday morning. The enthusiasm which marked the celebration here and everywhere, was such that every individual from the smallest tot even to the oldest inhabitant felt it good to be living and able to join in the glorious event—the allied victory. The present generation will never again have such occasion for rejoicing as that of Monday when closed the, long, great world struggle and saw the triumph of the allied cause. Also the downfall of the mad ruler of Europe, who along with his pack of murderous war lords tried for years, by every means of barbarity and frightfulness to conquer the world and enslave its people. Like all other would-be world conquerers, the Tyrant has now lived to see himself deposed, his army defeated and his own banishment to a place of exile, where he shall be obliged to eke out the remnant of his days in painful remorse for the sorrow and suffering brought upon the world, and the atrocities committed particularly by his hordes of invaders and those of their associated clique.

The home-coming of the Valiant Warriors who risked their lives for the flag should be as well observed as the day on which was received the glad tidings of victory and the end of the bloody strife.

PUBLIC NOTICE

I HEREBY GIVE PUBLIC NOTICE that I will not be responsible for or pay any debts or other liabilities which may be incurred by my wife, or any one on her behalf, she having left my bed and board without any just cause or reason.

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Perhaps you never had an account in a bank—maybe you've never done business at a bank—hardly ever cashed a cheque in one. For—

that is no reason why you cannot go to a bank and borrow money to buy Victory Bonds.

If you are a steady, industrious, thrifty citizen, working and saving a part of your income, you are just the kind of person Canada's chartered banks stand ready to help to-day.

Any bank will lend you as much money as you can save during the next twelve months, with which to buy Victory Bonds.

All you have to do is to pay ten per cent. of the amount you want to buy and deposit the receipt for that ten per cent. in the bank.

The bank will lend you the 90 per cent. balance at 5½ per cent. interest and will give you a year to repay it, the interest you get on your bond being just the same as the bank charges you.

This is a fine opportunity for you to begin a real savings account, to make a first class investment and to help your country at the same time.

Why not see a banker to-day—he will tell you all about it and you will be glad of the advice and help he can give you.

Borrow and Buy Victory Bonds

Issued by Canada's Victory Loan Committee in co-operation with the Minister of Finance of the Dominion of Canada

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The War is Over Now and we are Beginning to Think of

CHRISTMAS

Discard the trivial gifts in favor of something big and sensible—expressions of your Christmas thoughtfulness for your family and loved ones. What more pleasing gift could you give than a Chair? Everyone rests some time and there is no better way of being remembered than to present a big Comfortable Chair for Christmas.

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Agriculture Aided By Victory Loan

Wonderful Trade Expansion Due to Success of Canada's Loan Issues

Since the war started Canadian agriculture has grown in importance as a national industry. More than ever it is a source of strength to the country. The demand by Great Britain for food, not only for her soldiers but for her civilian population, has opened a market of tremendous possibilities. In 1915 our total agricultural exports amounted to $209,-000,000. At the end of the fiscal year of 1917-18, the total had jumped to $740,000,000.

This wonderful addition to the National wealth was, to a large extent, due to the Victory Loan of 1917. It was so in this way: Great Britain found that, owing to her vast expenditures on her army and navy, and the necessity of giving monetary aid to some of her stricken Allies, she was no longer able to pay for her purchases of food with ready cash. Rather than see our products lose a sure market the Dominion Government decided to advance such sums out of the proceeds of the Loan issues to pay for a good part of the food that was sent to Great Britain. The farmers had been asked to "produce more food" and they had responded with a will; it was, of course, for the Government to see that the increased production was marketed.

In this way Canada's entire exportable surplus of wheat, cheese, bacon and other commodities was financed. This year there will be for export possibly 160,000,000 bushels of wheat valued at $225,000,000. If the proceeds of the Victory Loan meet the expectations of the Finance Minister a great part of this wheat will be financed by the Government. The export of cheese will be over $40,-000,000, and of butter, eggs and condensed milk another $10,000,000. Bacon runs into millions. In the past twelve months the Government has advanced nearly $100,000,000 to finance exports of live stock products.

VICTORY LOAN AND CANADIAN INDUSTRIES

Last Year's Subscription of Great Benefit and Bigger Work Will Follow This Year.

The Imperial Munitions Board receives advances of nearly $25,000,-000 a month from the Dominion Government.

It has received over $650,000,000 in advances from the Dominion Government and the Canadian banks.

It has placed $1,300,000,000 worth of war orders in Canada for the British and other Allied Governments.

An advance of $10,000,000 enabled it to give orders to Canadian shipyards for 44 wooden ships. To this program 46 steel ships were added. Total value over $60,000,000.

An advance of $1,000,000 enabled the Board to begin the manufacture of airplanes in Canada; 3,000 have been built to date of a value of $30,000,000.

Between 200,000 and 300,000 people are working in Canada on war orders obtained through the Board.

It has $500,000,000 of war orders in sight for 1919.

To carry out this program will require millions in advances which must come from the Victory Loan.

BE A SOLDIER AT HOME.

Canada's 1918 Victory Loan is asking for $500,000,000. These dollars are needed to win the war. You must do your share in providing them by buying as many Victory Bonds as ever you can. Invest every dollar you have in them. Borrow to buy more.

Your money will be absolutely safe. The security is the finest in the world. It is all Canada. In addition, you will be paid 5½ per cent. on your money—the money you will be lending to your country to protect your home, your safety, your freedom, your family and yourself. Did you ever hear of a safer investment plan—or one so supremely advantageously to the investor? Never, on your life. Never in your life.

Then do your share. Sacrifice something — anything — everything —to buy Victory Bonds. Be a soldier at home. Act at once, BUY!

IN FLANDERS' FIELDS.

In Flanders' fields, the poppies grow
Between the crosses, row on row,
That mark our place; and in the sky
The larks, still bravely singing fly,
Scarce heard amid the guns below.

We are the dead. Short days ago
We lived, felt dawn, saw sunset glow,
Loved and were loved; and now we lie
In Flanders' fields.

Take up our quarrel with the foe,
To you, from failing hands we throw
The torch. Be yours to lift it high.
If ye break faith with us who die,
We shall not sleep, though poppies blow
In Flanders' fields.
—Buy Victory Bonds.

Your Thousand Dollar Victory Bond Will:

Buy 200 gas masks, or
200 pairs of soldiers' boots, or
[illegible] shells, or
[illegible] steel helmets, or
4,000 pairs of soldiers' socks, or
2,000 lbs. of high explosives, or
4,200 lbs. of cheese, or
28,000 rifles cartridge, or
56,000 revolver cartridges.

Everything Canada has depends on the success of the Victory Loan. The $500,000,000 wanted must be subscribed. The responsibility rests upon all to see that the money is raised.

WHEAT FIELD DRAINAGE

Surface Drainage of Value in Growing Winter Wheat.

Black Knot Responsible for Great Losses Among Plum and Cherry Growers — How It Can be Controlled With Least Expense.

(Contributed by Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.)

SURFACE drains are used to remove excess water of soils due to violent showers or the rapid melting of snow and are consequently often almost as important on tile-drained land as on that which has no artificial drainage. These drains often prevent the gullying out or the washing away of soil and soil fertility.

Good surface drains will lessen considerably the amount of winter wheat "drowned out" or "winter killed." These injurious effects are largely caused through water standing on frozen wheat ground in the spring. Were this water removed by surface drains, the reason for heaving so often seen in wheat fields in the early spring would be largely removed. These drains are a benefit, too, in that the removal of surface water enables the land to warm up more quickly, and the plants to start growth earlier in the spring.

Surface drains should follow the natural low levels in the wheat field and be made before the season closes in the fall. They are easily run out with the ordinary long or the swivel plough, and generally do not require to be more than one furrow wide and one furrow deep. Where there is considerable slope in the field and consequently greater danger of land being gullied out, care should be taken that drains are not made too narrow. The rounding of the edges at the top and of the bottom of surface drains will facilitate the flow of water by removing danger of blocking from loose pieces of earth. Intersections should be well made to avoid stoppages in drainage system. Heavy clay soils are usually more benefitted by the use of surface drains than are lighter soils.—Prof. W. J. Squirrel, Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph.

To Cure Black Knot Disease.

No other cause, not even winter-killing, has destroyed and is destroying so many cherry and plum trees in this province as the Black Knot disease. This statement, while true of the province as a whole, is not true of the Niagara District nor of any other district where plum and cherry trees are carefully pruned and sprayed each year.

The disease is not caused by grubs, although these are often found in the knots, but it is caused by a fungus which attacks the branches and even the trunks of the trees and causes black, knot-like swellings, usually about three inches long and about half an inch in thickness, though often the swellings are much shorter and often again very much longer, the longest ones usually being found on the larger branches. New knots at first are brownish instead of black, the blackness coming with age.

The disease will in some orchards confine itself to cherry trees and not attack the plums. In other cases it will attack plums and not the cherries, but more commonly both are attacked.

Control Measures.—In order to control Black Knot thoroughly it is helpful to know that it is spread by means of tiny spores which act as seeds, and are blown by the wind from tree to tree. These spores are formed on the knots themselves. There are two main crops of them each year, the first during early spring, usually in March and April, and the second in late spring, usually the latter part of May and all of June. Therefore, to control the disease the first step to take is to cut down all dead and dying trees and remove all knots on other trees, cutting in each case about four inches below the knot so as to be sure the infected area is removed. If knots occur on the very large branches or on the trunk, they may be removed by means of a chisel or a very stout knife and chisel. An inch at least of the bark on each side should, if possible, be taken with the knots. All prunings, whether of dead or living wood, should be burned at once, otherwise the spores will form on them and spread from them. It is very important to do this cutting out and pruning before Christmas time. Warm days after the leaves are off are excellent for the purpose. Under no conditions must the knots be left on the trees until so late as February. In cutting do not overlook any wild cherries that may be infected around or near the orchard.

The next step is to spray the trees with either lime-sulphur wash or Bordeaux mixture, so that the spores that come from a distance in early or late spring may not get a chance to germinate. Three sprayings should be given, the first a few days before the buds burst, the second about a week after blossoms fall and the third about two weeks later or just before the earliest cherries begin to ripen. Arsenate of lead should be added to each of the last two applications to kill the Plum Curculio and to keep the cherries free from maggots. The lime-sulphur for the first spray should be in strength about one gallon to fifteen or twenty gallons of water, and for the second and third, one gallon to about forty gallons of water. Bordeaux for any application should be composed of four pounds of bluestone and four pounds of fresh stone lime or six pounds of hydrated lime to forty gallons of water. The arsenate of lead should be at the strength of two and a half pounds of the paste form to forty gallons of liquid or half this amount if the powder form is used.

It requires several years to free an orchard completely of Black Knot. —L. Caesar, B.S.A., Provincial Entomologist.

Sir Thomas White's Appeal to Canadians

Points Out Great Need of the Victory Loan to Carry On the War.

On the opening of Canada's great Victory Loan drive the Minister of Finance issued the following message:—

To the People of Canada:

The Victory Loan of 1918 is now being offered for public subscription. It is an undertaking of most vital consequence to the nation, and I cannot too earnestly emphasize the duty and responsibility resting upon all citizens of Canada to co-operate to the extent of their available resources in making it an unqualified success.



SIR THOMAS WHITE
Minister of Finance under whose direction the great Victory Loan drive for $500,000,000 is being made.

The money to be raised is urgently required to enable us to continue the prosecution of the war, now in its fifth and most crucial year, and for the maintenance of the prosperity of the Dominion in all departments of productive activity.

Apart from patriotic considerations which should alone suffice, it is the direct, immediate, personal interest of every individual Canadian citizen that the Loan should not fall of its objective. The bonds afford absolute security and yield a most attractive rate of interest. Undoubtedly, in the period succeeding the war, they will show a substantial appreciation in value.

All citizens are earnestly invited to subscribe. Remember, you are asked not to give but to lend your money to the state. Small subscriptions from those of slender means are as welcome as the large. In the last Victory Loan we received subscriptions of over four hundred million dollars from over eight hundred thousand subscribers. This year we expect five hundred million dollars from more than a million subscribers.

Let all subscribe to the extent of their means, be they great or small, and once more demonstrate to the world the strength, unity and determination of the Canadian people in this world struggle. Even if the war should end at an earlier date than has been anticipated, all the money asked for will be required for the purposes of demobilization, which will extend over many months, and for the continuation of credits for the purchase of Canadian products. The organization and publicity work in connection with the Loan has been completed after many weeks of effort. It now remains for the people of Canada to do their share. That they will do so to the fullest degree, I am entirely confident.

W. T. WHITE.

Ottawa, Oct. 28th, 1918.

CANADIAN ARMY AND THE VICTORY LOAN

War Costing Canada Over Million Dollars a Day — $400,000,000 Will Be This Year's Bill.

Nearly 600,000 have been enrolled in the Canadian Expeditionary Force.

About 425,000 have gone overseas.

Canada's 1918 war bill will be $400,000,000.

Canada's 1917 war bill was $320,-000,000.

Canada's war expenditure is now $33,000,000 a month.

It exceeds $1,000,000 a day.

The $428,000,000 subscribed to the 1917 Victory Loan will not do much more than pay this year's war bill.

$500,000,000 are needed through the Victory Loan, even though peace should come to-morrow.

BANKS WILL LEND.

In order to help out small subscribers to the Victory Loan the banks will lend subscribers, on the probable certainty of repayment within a year, up to 90 per cent. of the amount of the investment in the Loan. The rate of interest charged by the banks is 6½ per cent. Repayment is to be made monthly and quarterly. These are much better terms than were granted last year.

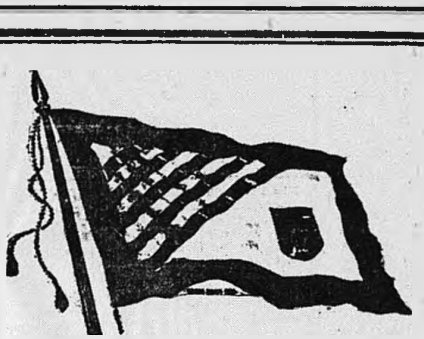
There are over 425,000 Canadians overseas who will have to be kept for at least a year, even if peace were to come this month.

No one who looks at the casualty lists can do otherwise than subscribe every dollar possible to the Victory Loan.

The Canadians in France have set a high standard for those at home to reach in the Victory Loan campaign.

Canada must put every ounce of effort into the Victory Loan drive.

Oversubscribing to the Victory Loan would have a wonderful effect on the Canadian Corps in France. It would be the best thing that Canada could possibly do.



How Many Crowns for Your Honor Flag?

Of course every city, town and district will earn its Honor Flag.

But how about the crowns?

For every twenty-five per cent. in excess of its quota, each city, town and district will be entitled to add a crown to its flag.

Can you do fifty per cent. better than your quota—that means two crowns for your Honor Flag.

But double your quota and it means four crowns.

Hang a Flag in your hall, that for years to come will show that your city, town or district did better than well—

That it was a real factor in the huge success of CANADA'S VICTORY LOAN 1918.

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FOR THE AIR SERVICE OF THE ALLIED ARMIES

An immense R. A. F. machine ready to start with its load of bombs for Germany.

THEY are cutting spruce in British Columbia. The silver spruce forests, long neglected because of lack of market and transportation, now sound their place. The straight, fine-grained, tough wood is the ideal material for the manufacture of aeroplane parts. The silver spruce grows only on the islands and ocean coast of British Columbia and the northwest United States. The American timber of this species is being used exclusively for war purposes of the States, the needs of the other allies in the great war are supplied by the wonderful forests of B. C., this supply being made possible through a splendid organization perfected during the past ten months by Major Austin C. Taylor, director of the Aeronautical Department of the Imperial Munitions Board. Hundreds of camps, scores of log-booms, thousands of men are at work on the forests, while scores of mills on the logs. Canadian Pacific Railway Company tugs haul great rafts across the waters of the Pacific coast and discharge the cargo at the mills and terminals. Hundreds and hundreds of Canadian Pacific Railway cars roll eastward monthly loaded with prime aeroplane lumber, bound for the aeroplane factories in the east. The wants of France and England, Canada and Italy are filled by the loggers of British Columbia, and the industry will grow even beyond its present tremendous volume.—L. V. K.

A Sitka (silver) spruce log cut on the Queen Charlotte Islands off the coast of British Columbia for the Imperial Munitions Board.

CREAM

We have opened a Cream Station on Durham Street, Walkerton, next to the photograph gallery, and will pay highest cash price on delivery for Cream every

THURSDAY

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Prop. Wingham Creamery

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Owing to the recent order of the paper controller at Ottawa, publishers have been notified that newsprint has been raised 20 per cent. Printing ink has also gone up over 100 per cent. At the present rate of increase even a $1.50 a year is soon going to show a loss on subscriptions to country weeklies. To meet the increase, prompt payment on expiration of subscription is requested.

She Got Him

"We hear a lot of joking about the shortage of marriageable men on account of the war," United States Senator Smith, of Georgia, is credited with saying, "and I guess it must be true, judging from a proposal I just heard of from my State. Here was how the girl worked it on her bashful suitor: "There goes our minister," she said. He's very poor. I wish I could hand him a five." "Let me do it, exclaimed the youth, unsuspectingly, in a fervor of benevolence. "Oh, Archie, this is so sudden," bubbled the sweet young thing, and what chance did he have?"

Knee Is Improving

Mr. Thomas Donoahue, Photographer, had word from his son, Pte. Art Donoahue, last week that he is still in the Granville Canadian Hospital at Huxton, England, with his injured knee. "My knee," he writes, "is getting better all the time and I guess before long I will be given a Medical Board and sent somewhere out of here. This is a town about the same size as Walkerton, a very pretty place and is the highest town in England. In peace times it was a great inland summer resort and was visited on account of its mineral baths which were supposed to be good for rheumatism, but as far as I can see you can't help but get the rheumatics in this place as it rains a great deal." Art's younger brother, Albert, has just returned from eight days leave in England where he visited Dublin, Belfast, and other centres, and viewed the rural beauty of fair Erin. Finest place in the world was his verdict.

CHURCHES MUST SAVE COAL SAYS CONTROLLER

Along with a circular recently issued by the Ontario Fuel Administration was enclosed a letter from the ministers of the Protestant Churches—Presbyterian, Anglican, Baptist and Methodist—of Brockville, Ont., relating how success fully their congregations co-operated last winter in holding union services with a view of saving fuel.

The letter states: "The Union carried out last winter by eight Protestant churches of Brockville was on a larger scale than might be required in most places. Three Anglican churches worshipped in one building, and five other congregations, including two Methodist, two Presbyterian and one Baptist worshipped in one building. We were fortunate in having a very large church edifice in Wall St. Methodist Church here and with a seating capacity of about two thousand we had very inspiring services for three months together. These five congregations met for service each Sunday, and for prayer service each Wednesday evening." The experiment was so successful all round that many of our most conservative people were quite anxious to effect a similar arrangement for this winter. We have made our plans on the advice of the local fuel controller, and on the 24th. of November we enter into a union very similar to that of last year; and this union we expect to carry on until spring comes, or the fuel situation improves.

"A very practical result of these services was that we saved about one hundred tons of coal, and we hope to save at least 150 tons, or 50 per cent of our total normal consumption."

Referring to this letter the Ontario Coal Administrator says: The Provincial Administrator has urged the church authorities of the various denominations to save coal and set a good example by such a scheme of mutual co-operation in each municipality as will best save coal and at the same time interfere as little as possible with church services. The enclosed letter shows the excellent results in this direction achieved last year in the city of Brockville, and this example can and must be followed by the churches in every municipality in the province. The Fuel Administration is anxious to avoid placing any fuel regulations upon the churches, and it is earnestly hoped that a cheerful voluntary arrangement will render such a course unnecessary; but if proper response is not made to this appeal the necessary regulations will be forthcoming.

Fall Assizes November 26th.

William E. Berry, son of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Berry of Lauley Prairie, B. C., died at Toronto last week. He was a member of the Flying Corps, and was 20 years of age. His father was a former Mildmay boy.

Mr. David Robertson, K. C. the county chairman for the Victory Loan campaign, was in town last week. He expressed himself as greatly pleased with the progress of the campaign in Port Elgin. He reports the county moving splendidly toward the objective of two million dollars.—Port Elgin Times

Contract Finished

Mr. Alex George of Walkerton, who had the contract of gravelling the Walkerton road, finished his job on Tuesday. About 450 loads of gravel were hauled on to the road, and we trust that when it becomes packed down properly the Walkerton road will lose its terrors for motorists. The work was done under the Supervision of Road Commissioner Siegner.—Mildmay Gazette.

Gets Overseas Orders.

Mr. Robert Bryce had word last week from his son, Lieut. Chester Bryce of the U. S. Army that he had received Orders for Overseas. Chester has been five years in Uncle Sam's cavalry and this is his first opportunity to get into the big fight, which is now too late. Two of Chester's brothers, Charlie and Walter, went Overseas early in the war and the youngest and last, Leslie, is now in training with the Royal Air Force at Toronto. Chester writes:— "Dad, I have just received Overseas orders and will be on my way by the time you get this. The call came for 20 officers who had been instructing in the artillery training school here over there immediately. Am certainly glad to get my chance at last though I did want to get home before I leave, now it's all off. I expect to get a chance to see Walter though over there and also our relatives in Scotland. We proceed direct to the fighting front over there as waiting around or further training so I guess I'll be in it before the wind-up, although it will be 2 years before the troops all get back. Please remember me to all in Walkerton and tell them I am on my way at last."

OVERCOME THE DIFFICULTY

A little girl was sent by her mother to the grocer's with a bottle for a quart of vinegar.

"But, mamma," said the little one, "I can't say that word."

"But you must try," said the mother, "for I must have the vinegar, and there's no one else to send."

So the little girl went with the bottle, and as she reached the counter out of the bottle with a pop and said to the astonished shopman:

"There! Smell that and give me a quart!"—Pearson's Weekly.

BRUCE SETTLEMENT SCHEME

Major Moffat Will Endeavor To Interest Monied Men In The Proposition

(Chesley Enterprise)

A Meeting of the Bruce Preparedness League was held in Chesley last Thursday. The out of town members were W. D. Cargill, M.P.P., Alex. McNab, Sheriff Jermyn. The three local members of the committee are: W. D. Bell, C. J. Mickle and Wm. McDonald. Of course they were on the spot as usual. Major Moffat was also present. The only absentee was C. Bowman, M.P.P. Albert Grigg, Deputy Minister of Lands, Forests and Mines was present, and having first-hand knowledge of the conditions in New Ontario, he was able to give the committee a lot of information about the North Country.

On his advice no settlement work will be done in Shakleton Tp. this year as it is too late in the season to begin operations. But in April, the soldiers who desire to locate in the township will be given work building roads at a rate of $3.50 to $4.00 per day after they are through erecting houses and stables at which they will also be paid the same wages.

Mr. Grigg said the value of the large timber of Shackleton Tp. was half a million dollars, and the pulp wood seven millions.

Two other counties in Ontario have been asking the Government for a township on the same conditions as are granted to Bruce soldiers.

A statement for the county press is in course of preparation by C. J. Mickle and Major Moffat. The latter will endeavor to interest some monied men from Bruce who are now living out in the county. In this enterprise a company known as the Bruce Soldiers' Settlement Limited will operate the business of Shakleton Tp.



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About 200 yds. mill ends of Art Sateen, Chintz Silkaline and Cretonne, ends run 1 yd. to 9 yds. at a big saving in price.

Several new models in Ladies Winter Coats in this week. Velour, Chinchillas, Tweeds and Cheviots. Special prices.—$19.00 $20.00, $23.00, $25.00 $27.00, $30.00 to $40.00

"Listers" and "Saits" Plush Coats—all sizes $35.00 to $50.00.

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NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Mr Henry Spitzig went to Breslau on Tuesday.

Mr. Herman Buehlow and family removed to Stratford on Tuesday.

A canner one morning, quite canny,
Was heard to remark to his Granny:
"A canner can can anything that he can,
But a canner can't can a can can be!"

Mr. Jacob Tschirhardt of Formosa returned from the West on Nov. 1st. He says the crops around Walpole, where his brother Albert who left Walkerton last Spring is running a farm, were poor, about 6 bushels to the acre. Albert likes the West fine. Since returning from the West Mr. Tschirhardt has been laid up with the flu.

Returning To Florida

Miss Adelina Firstbrook, who has made her home with Mrs. Atwood sr. the past three years, returned this week from Bishop Bethune's school at Oshawa and leaves on the 26th., for her home in Jacksonville, Florida.

Broke His Arm

Mr. John Frame is laid up with a fractured arm as the result of a mishap which happened last Thursday morning. On the sidewalk alongside Wingefelder & Kreuger's Butcher Shop he slipped and fell, breaking the left arm a few inches below the shoulder. The walk was wet at the time and Mr. Frame came down with such force that he was stunned for a few minutes. He was carried into Mr. J. G. Hibbert's where he is being well looked after until he can be removed to his home.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. P. Kenny and family wish to thank their friends and neighbors for their kindness during the loss of their son and brother Pte. Fred Keany who made the Supreme Sacrifice on Oct. 18, 1918.

MARRIED

GARLAND—McFADDEN—At the Manse, Pinkerton, Sept. 16th, 1918, by Rev. R. M. Gale, Mr. Cecil D. Garland and Miss Marguerite A. McFadden, both of Greenock.

McGILLIVARY—NELSON—At the Manse, Pinkerton on Nov. 6th, 1918, by the Rev. R. M. Gale John D. McGillivary and Mabel Evelyn Nelson, both of the township of Bruce.

BORN

FISHER—In Brant, on Nov. 3rd., to Mr. and Mrs. George Frook, a son.

LAMBERTUS—At Eden Grove, on Sunday, Nov. 10th. to Mr. and Mrs. Herman Lambertus, a daughter.

HYNES—At Hanover, on Saturday, Nov. 9th., to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hynes, formerly of South Line, Brant, a son.

Miss Greta McFarlane returned on Tuesday to resume her studies at McDonald Institute, Guelph.

Mr. Ernest Seeber of Neustadt was here on Tuesday attending the funeral of his uncle, Mr. John Klein.

Mr. Sandy Carr of Portal moved into town last Thursday and is living in the Shelton house on the Cemetery Road, which he bought recently from Mr. James Whitehead.

Mr. Frank Antonio, fruit merchant, has gone to St. Thomas where he has relatives, to spend the winter. His store has been closed until he returns.

Slow Cure

"Is the medicine you have for you rheumatism used internally or externally?" Eternally, I guess. I've used nine bottles and it hasn't helped me yet".

Funeral Thursday or Friday

The body of Peter Wehengel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Wehengel, who died at Fernie B. C. on November 6th is expected here for burial today or tomorrow. His brother, Joseph, of the U. S Air Service, Detroit, and sisters Mrs. Wehengel and Miss Adeline of Detroit, are here to attend the funeral. A telegram from New Haven, Conn, on Saturday contained the bad news that Capt (Dr.) Albert Wehengel was very ill and could not come to his brother's funeral. No further word has yet been received regarding Capt. Wehengel's condition.

Death Of Alex. Fehrenbach

The death occurred at his home, West Ward, on Wednesday evening, Nov. 6th, of Alexander Andrew Fehrenbach, in his thirty-third year. Death followed a plucky up-hill fight of over ten years' duration against a chronic ailment. Alex., who was a son of the late Mathew Fehrenbach, formerly of Formosa, learned the printing trade at the old Herald office. He worked a couple of years with the Waterloo Chronicle, and later for six years at Hamilton. There he contracted the sickness from which he eventually succumbed. After a year at the Gravenhurst Sanitarium he worked two years at Regina then returning to Hanover where he conducted a fish business. Three years ago he took the position of mail carrier for Rural Route No. 1, Walkerton, and for a short time his health appeared to improve with outside work. He was conscientious in all things faithful and conscientious. In spite of his poor health it was seldom that bad weather kept him off the road. Everybody on his mail route spoke highly of him. Right up to four days from the time of his death he was at his post. Besides his mother, two brothers and three sisters mourn his untimely death. They are:—Anthony of Walkerton; Pte. Jos. of Brockville Camp; Mrs. John Hertel of Hanover; Mrs. Rubert O'Heron of Simcoe; Miss Ida at home. Funeral service was held at Walkerton R. C. Church, on Friday, followed by interment in Walkerton Cemetery.

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AFTER FORTY-FIVE YEARS

Only Ten Men Survive who Attended "Uncle Willie" Little's Barn-raising—Building taken Down Last Week in Good Condition.

An old landmark of the 3rd. Con. Brant, passed from the scene on Thursday last when the barn on lot 45, was taken down, having been sold to Mr. Fred Frook jr. by the present owner of the farm, Mr. Simon Walters, to be re-erected on lot 21, Con. 12, Brant. The barn was erected 44 years ago by Mr. William Little, a bachelor resident of the Section, well-known and highly respected throughout the community, being known to the youth of the neighborhood as "Uncle Willie." Mr. Little was the owner of lots 44 and 45 from the first settlement of the townships until his death 27 years ago.

To-day the timbers which were taken down were in real good condition after 44 years' service. It would be a big job to go out in the woods now and get timber just as good, one beam 40 ft. long is of solid cherry. Of the ninety odd men and boys who assembled 44 years ago for "heavy on the pikes," only ten are still living. They are:—John D. Little; Jos. Cook, T. H. Wilson, John Harkley, Wm. Rowand, John Hanmore, Robt. Pinkney, Fred Frook of Brant; John Frame Walkerton; Wm. Bartleman, Hanover; Wm. Little, Calgary.

Typewriter Wanted

Party would like to buy secondhand machine. Apply to Box A. Telescope.

Death Of A Babe

Much sympathy is felt for Mr. and Mrs. Ben Waechler, of Brant, in the death of their little two months' old infant son, which occurred on Friday.

Substitutes Cut Out

The Food Board has cancelled the selling of substitutes along with flour. The flour has also been improved by bringing it 6 per cent closer to the pure article.

Christmas Fair Meeting

The annual meeting of the Christmas Fair Executive will be held in the Council Chamber Town Hall, tonight (Thursday Nov. 21st.,) to-8 o'clock. Everyone interested is urged to attend.

Two Best Sewing Machines

I have been appointed agent for the Singer Sewing Machine and will handle this line as well as the New Williams. We keep in stock repairs for all makes of machines. H. J. Egan, Canadian Express.

Could Do Without It

Mr. Tom Henderson, Baker & Confectioner, Durham, in renewing his Telescope to January, 1920, writes:—"We could not do without the Telescope to get all the news of Walkerton."

CHRISTMAS IN ALMOST HERE

You will be sending some little remembrance to the boy or girl, or friend at a distance. An appropriate gift is a year's subscription to the Telescope. It is a gift that is always appreciated and serves as a reminder not once but 52 times. A Walkerton soldier writes:—"The Telescope is newsier every week. It is like a letter from home."

Demonstration Today

The great fuel-saving stoves, "Fire Co." will be demonstrated today (Thursday) from 10 a. m. to 6 p. m. at Paterson Bros.

Home Wanted

A good home wanted for a nice girl about 13 years of age, a ward of the Children's Aid Society. Appy to Rev. R. Perdue, Sec'y.

Condemns Flag-Kissing Incidents

Wednesday's Globe has a strong editorial on the flag-kissing incident at Walkerton, which it refers to as a "scandal and a reproach."

Broke His Leg

Mr. George Pletsch of the 13th. con. Carrick, had his leg broken by the collapse of a scaffolding on which he was standing while helping to build a brick wall one day last week.

Will Move In Spring

Mrs. C. W. Cryderman returned on Tuesday night after spending a week with her husband at Niagara Falls. Mr. Cryderman has taken a house which is being built, but will not be ready for occupancy until Spring.

In Airplane Accident

Cadet Oscar Schwindt, who went Overseas was in a crash lately. A wire received by Mr. Schwindt Tuesday said:—"Your son, Flight Cadet O. H. Schwindt admitted to King George Hospital, Dublin. Airplane accident. Injury very light."

Requiem High Mass

Requiem High Mass was sung at Walkerton R. C. Church on Tuesday morning for Pte. Frank Schefter, son of Mr. Ignatz Schefter who was killed in action in France last month.

Joe Rennie says in a letter home from France that he saw Pte. Fred Kenny just a few minutes before Fred was killed in action.

Stewart Pinkney Shell-Gassed

Mrs. Robt. Pinkney of Maple Hill, received a telegram yesterday stating that her son, Stewart, of the 4th. Can. M. G. Batt'n, France, had been admitted to the 23rd. Casualty Clearing Station on November 6th., just five days before the armistice suffering from shell-gas. It is only a few weeks ago that his brother, Earl R. Pinkney, was reported wounded and is now in an English Hospital.

NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Soldiers' Letters page 2.

Boy wanted to learn the shoe business at Ramsay's Shoe Store.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Scanlon left this week for their new home at Elora.

Porch gates—the latest thing for keeping the kiddies in. See them at McCarter's.

Demonstration today (Thursday) "Fire-Co." the great fuel saving stoves at Paterson Bros.

Mrs. Hy Pletch was in Wiarton this week attending the funeral of a relative. Mr. Shimm.

Life-Buoy rubbers are made with leather inner heels and counters sold at Ramsay's Shoe Store.

Broken lines of women's $6.00 shoes clearing at $4.85 in the window.—Ramsay the Shoeman.

Mr. Adam Wilson, accountant of the Bank of Commerce, is expected home from Mexico this week.

Miss Jennie Hyslop of the Bell Tel. Co. staff, has returned to her duties after an attack of grippe.

Mrs. Alex Stewart of Calgary is here to attend the funeral of her mother, the late Mrs. Andrew McLean sr.

Bill Devlin, the well-known lacrosse referee, formerly of Hanover, died of the Flu recently at Collingwood.

Mr. C. J. Schurter, an old Chepstow boy, formerly of Sawridge, Alta., is now with the first Depot Battalion at Calgary, Alta.

Come and see the wonderful invention, "Fire-Co." ranges and heaters, save 50 per cent of fuel. Demonstration today at Paterson Bros.

Joe Abell, Walkerton, pays the highest price for furs, fox, coon, mink, and skunk, also for beef hides, horse hides, sheepskin etc.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Walford and children motored up from Kitchener on Saturday and spent the week-end with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Walford.

Dr. Scholl, Foot Specialist, will be at my store Friday and Saturday Nov. 22nd. and 23rd. Free advice on your foot trouble.—Ramsay the Shoeman.

Mr. Malcolm Nichol, a prominent citizen of Lucknow, underwent a serious operation for tumor, which was performed by Dr. Hall at the County Hospital yesterday morning.

Mr. T. E. Attwood, whose health has been very poor of late, and who has been confined to his room the past month, was taken down to Toronto on Monday for treatment. He was accompanied by Mr. W. M. Shaw and Mrs. Attwood, the latter remaining in the city with her husband.

Local news on every page.

Don't forget the I.O.D.E. Bazaar and supper on Friday.

Miss Sophia Holm left Monday on a visit to friends at Clifford and Ayton.

Mr. L. H. McNamara spent the week-end with his mother at North Bay.

Quite a number of new cases of grippe are reported in town this week.

R. E. Truax, M. P., attended the banquet to Sir Wilfrid Laurier at London Tuesday night.

Reeve Moses Filsinger of Carrick will appear at Police Court this morning charged with making disloyal utterances.

Mr. Oscar Klein of Milwaukee, who was here last week attending his father's funeral, has a son, Capt. (Dr.) J. Klein, with the American Medical Corps in France.

Mr. James Crawford's son, Harold, who was critically ill with pneumonia and typhoid at St. Mary's Hospital, Detroit, has been doing fine and is now well on his way to recovery.

A Kincardine lady, who was charged with attempting suicide, while she was a patient at the Kincardine Hospital recently, appeared before Judge Klein yesterday and was discharged, the evidence being deemed not sufficient.

Christmas Parcels Shipped

Walkerton Chapter, I.O.D.E. has despatched 112 Christmas parcels Overseas to boys in France and those who have been in the trenches and to Nurses. The parcels contained socks stationery, maple sugar, gum, milk chocolate, tobacco, tea, figs, etc.

Rev. R. Perdue, acting on behalf of the Children's Aid Society, went to Southampton on Tuesday and had a young lad committed to the reformatory.

$630 For A Young Calf

Mr. Abe Rowand bought an eight months' old calf this week from Mr. A. C. Hardy of Avondale Farm, Brockville, which according to Mr. N. C. McKay is the best bred calf in Bruce County. The calf is a son of Champion Echo Sylvia Pontiac whose half-brother Mr. Hardy sold a few months ago for the sum of $100,000. Its mother yielded 24.38 lbs. of butter at 3 years 1 month old. The price paid by Mr. Rowand was $630. Mr. Rowand's commendable enterprise will help a bit towards raising the standard of good stock in this district.

Died In France

Mrs. Inglis sr. had a letter this week from the mother of Pte. Fred Moore, formerly of Walkerton, containing particulars of his death in action. Fred Rich here about twelve years, latterly being employed at the Ratton Factory, and boarding with Mrs. Inglis. He was an A 1 chap and a member of the Walkerton Baptist Church. In Sept., 1915, he enlisted with the 71st. Batt'n. and left for Overseas in March 1916. He underwent three operations in England, spending the first year in the hospitals there. He went to France in April 1917 and joined a labor battalion. Later he was a transport driver. Fred took acute neuritis while on duty about Oct. 1st. and died on Oct. 24th., in France. He was a son of the late Rev. Chas. Moore, a Baptist Minister and is survived by his mother, Mrs. M. E. Moore, who lives at Ipswich, England.

CARD OF THANKS

The relatives of the late Mrs. Christian Rettlebrom desire to express their sincere thanks to many neighbors and friends for kindness shown in their recent bereavement.

HYDRO NOT YET READY

Mayor Johnston Advised To Continue On Present Basis So Long As Company Is Willing.

Mayor Johnston got in touch with the Hydro Engineer at Toronto by long distance phone Tuesday regarding the local situation. The Hydro man informed the Mayor that the Commission is not quite ready to deal with Walkerton and advised that nothing be done here in the meantime so long there is no change in the local situation. The Street Lighting Contract here expired several months ago and has not been renewed, the town continuing to pay at the same rate. The Hydro Engineer advised that as long as the company was willing to continue on this basis that the town take no further action until Hydro is ready to move.

GOOD OLD BRUCE COUNTY

Goes Over the Top With $2,500,000 Worth of Victory Loan Bonds or Over Twenty-five per cent More Than Its Objective—Port Elgin Wins Fifteen Crowns To Its Flag—Walkerton Reaches Nearly Two and a half Times Its Objective

We knew Bruce could do it. But she did even better than anyone expected. $2,512,950 is the exact figure, which is over 25 per cent over our two million dollar objective. The four most tickled men in Bruce County to-day are David Robertson, K. C., C. J. Mickle, K. C., Geo. D. McKay and W. S. Brown, the president, vice-president, secretary and organizer respectfully of the Bruce County Loan Organization. Mr. Robertson had a telegram on Tuesday from Mr. C. H. Wood, heartily congratulating him and the members of the Bruce organization on the magnificent achievement.

Port Elgin proved to be the star of the County and perhaps of the Dominion. Mr. E. Roy Sayles and his partner winning at least sixteen crowns for their honor flag. Walkerton did better than was anticipated, reaching $142,000 or nearly 2½ times its $60,000 objective.

Greenock figures are $77,100, Carrick $110,700, Brant $147,050. The detailed figures for Bruce will be published next week.

St. Thomas Church

Harvest Thanksgiving Service will be held in St. Thomas church next Sunday morning Nov. 24th.

Gets Furniture Back

Mr. John Addis, who had his wife up in Police Court on Friday charged with running away with a lot of household furnishings, won his case, his wife being compelled to return he purloined articles and to pay the costs of court amounting to $8.

Sent Up For Trial

Wm. Stanley of Black Horse, was sent up for trial before the Judge by Magistrate Tolton on Monday. Stanley was charged with breaking a lot of windows in the house of Alexander McDermid, of the same village. Had the damage not amounted to more than $20, Stanley would have been tried summarily by the Magistrate. O. E. Klein prosecuted and A. E. McNab appeared for the defence. Stanley, who is a youth about 19, is out on $500 bail.

Arm Badly Cut

Will Ramsay had his left arm badly cut by a revolving saw while working at the Bobbin Factory on Saturday. He put up his hand to close a window when his shirt sleeve caught in the saw, cutting a gash two inches deep and six inches long above the elbow and severing a large artery. First aid was applied by Mr. Sam Farrar and he was rushed to the Hospital. Though suffering from loss of blood and shock, Will was able to be out on Monday and his arm promises a complete recovery in the course of time.

It Isn't British

If there is one man on earth right thinking citizens have no use for, it is the man who is disloyal to his country. The severest measures should be taken to deal with a man of that ilk. The law provides ample punishment. Last week in this town a farmer was fined $1,000 and costs for uttering a disloyal speech and the punishment well fitted the crime. But we don't believe in mob law. It isn't fair. It isn't just, it isn't British. Last week quite a number of citizens of town and vicinity were dragged from their homes and taken to the Town Hall and made to kiss the Flag, sing God Save the King and do whatever their captors chose to inflict upon them. In some cases their houses were broken into and members of the family were roughly handled. If these citizens were guilty of disloyal words or deeds they should have been severely punished but the punishment should have been in accordance with the law of our land and only after a fair trial. Toronto trembled for her good name and her press and pulpit hastened to condemn the restaurant riots a few months ago, yet in Toronto had made a determined effort from the first to quell the disturbance. Here no such effort was made. At a time like this, when feeling runs high, a good deal of license is permitted, yet we feel nevertheless that it is a reflection on our community that such open lawlessness should have been permitted by our authorities to continue for days without hindrance. We do not show ourselves true Britishers by allowing lynch-law to flourish in our midst.

TOWN COUNCIL MINUTES

The Same Old Chestnut, no Figures from Hydro—East Wardens Threaten Legal Action If Drain Is Not Fixed At Once—Council Decides To Take Steps To Protect Property Owners.

The Town Council held its regular monthly meeting last Thursday evening.

Present: Mayor Johnston. Reeve Douglas. Couns. Pletch, Vogan, Leitner.

Mrs. Connors complained that the town scavenger had not called at her place all year and thought the fee should be remitted.—Allowed.

The Walker Drain

J. R. Jones and a number of other property owners of the East Ward sent in a communication warning the Council that if foreign water be allowed to flood their property any longer, they would take legal action. They had only deferred last Spring, their communication stated, because they had received assurance that the matter would be attended to.

Couns. Pletch and Vogan moved that the Streets Committee have the necessary steps taken to protect the property owners in the East Ward from flooding of their property till some permanent arrangement can be made.—Carried.

Business Tax Remitted

Mr. Louis Yack asked to have the business tax remitted on his brick-yard as he had not done any manufacturing this year.—Granted.

Mr. John Jorat of Lucknow, proprietor of the Walkerton Evaporator, asked to have business tax remitted.—Granted.

Mr. Lobsinger, West Ward, applied for the position of Town Teamster. As he only wanted the job for over winter, his application was not considered.

Wants Help To Keep Phones Down

Mr. W. D. Lightall of Montreal, Secretary of the Union of Municipalities Association, invited the Council to send a delegate to Ottawa, when the hearing of the Bell Telephone Co's request for permission to raise its rates, held before the Dominion Railway Commission, in order to protect the interests of the municipalities. The Council decided not to go to the expense of sending a delegate to Ottawa.

Coun. Leitner, thought something ought to be done about the broken flume of the Binder Twine Factory at once. The Clerk was instructed to write to the owner. Mr. Henderson Block of Montreal, to have it filled in at once.

No Word From Hydro

Reeve Douglas asked if there was any word re Hydro.

Mr. Collins stated he had seen a Hydro man here on the Celebration day.

Mayor Johnston "I will call up Engineer Janies to-morrow and see where we are at." The Hydro should get very soon as an agreement would have to be drafted before the next regular meeting of the Council.

People Are Sore

Coun. Leitner, said he had not heard so much kicking about anything in ten years as about the town scavenging. Some people claimed the Scavenger had not visited their property at all during the year, others that he had called only once or twice. Many tax-payors were going to refuse to settle the amount charged up against them for scavenger service under the Town By-law.

A number of small accounts were passed.

Culross Boy Killed

Fred Kieffer, a Culross boy, who enlisted with the U. S. forces at Detroit, was reported killed in action in a wire received by his parents on Monday.

Notice Re Cemetery

Supt. R. Sutton of the Cemetery states that he is greatly handicapped these times by parties not notifying him promptly when they require lots. With help as scarce as it is at present, it is important that Mr Sutton be notified immediately.

Why The Lights Are Poor

Owing to the big shaft in the main machine at the Power House being broken this week, the lights are on a small dynamo which has difficulty in carrying the load. As a result the lights are not up to the usual standard and the street lights are off for a couple of hours at night when the load is heaviest. The Power Co. informs the Telescope that the shaft will be shipped back from the foundry at Owen Sound to-day and that the service will be back to normal again in two or three days.

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Therefore The PRICE of RAW WOOL to the Spinners and the Weavers is not likely to come down until the guarantee expires, and the price of cloth maintained ACCORDINGLY.

Demand for goods also off-sets prices. All of Europe—Central and Belligerent alike—has been actually STARVED of WOOL CLOTH during the entire war.

Furthermore there are practically no stocks whatever in Great Britain.

The tremendous demand for goods to clothe the civilians and returned soldiers is expected to far exceed the capacity of the British Mills for a year or probably two years. As proof of this the price still continues to advance even after the Armistice is signed.

Do not think therefore that if you wait you will get your suit and overcoat for less money. It is far more likely that you will pay more for your clothes for an entire year or more before you pay less.

So you may feel assured that any values we are offering to-day are very reasonable, and you need not feel hesitancy in purchasing your Suit and Overcoat to-day.

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Letters From Our Walkerton Soldiers Overseas

Bombardier Louis Dippell, M. M., writes a Racy Epistle from Topsy-turvy Russia—Sergt. Ed. Eidt. D. C. M., tells of the Change in Style of Warfare in Allies' Final Thrust—Pte. Charlie Sutton Describes the Battlefield After a Fight—Pte. Bert Hoover Relates Stirring Experience on Battle-front—Pte. Herb Hanson writes from Hospital—British Houses of Parliament Well Described by Cadet Oscar Schwindt.

LETTER FROM RUSSIA

Bombardier Louis Dippell M.M. who is now in Northern Russia with a British Expeditionary Force writes his parents Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Dippell:—

Somewhere in Russia
October, 6. 1918

Dear Folks at Home:—

Some time has slipped past since my last letter and card, which I hope you received O. K. Since then so much has been happening and also a great part of the time I certainly did not feel like writing that writing has been postponed. We had an all day trip on the train and then got aboard.

I forgot to state just what we looked like in full kit. First you start with the soldier—clothe him for modesty's sake and then the real work begins. First comes a haversack over the left shoulder, containing all articles necessary for immediate use. Then the bandolier with fifty rounds of ammunition; the water bottle and mess tins after which follows gas helmets. Then a blanket and rubber sheet rolled neat your sheep skin greatcoat also rolled and then your steel helmet. To this load I had a No. 4 director and a kit bag.

In the boat we slept in hammocks (very) close together and our tables were underneath. So far in my army career I have slept in some pretty bad places but this took the bun, bean and biscuit. We were down in the second hold. The first hold had a stairway to the deck, and got in that way—we were below. The first three days Green and I and several others were sick, but I think I was about the worst—at least I felt so. I stayed on deck most of the time and didn't care much whether we were torpedoed or not. Lloyd Seaman wasn't sick at all. After the sickness were off I felt fine for the rest of the trip and started to make up for the meals I missed.

The Russian cities and towns I saw are not much different from a Canadian lumbering town, or much like Port McNichol. We were not allowed ashore many times. There are all sorts of domes on the public building most of them gilded. Soldiers do not pay to go into the Movies, street cars or ferries. There are restaurants with orchestras. Here you can buy meals up to a limit. A meat sandwich and a cup of coffee (the only thing we could get owing to our lack of Russian) cost 5 roupies—42 roupies to the £, so in English money about 2 shillings.

The peasant people are just like the pictures you see of them, a big heap of old clothes tied in the centre with an expressionless dial on top holding a mop of whiskers. The nearer town you get the more civilized they appear. In the city they are very well dressed people just as in any English burg. We are being towed up the river the last couple of days and along it is scattered settlements. Lumbering is the great industry and there is more lumber about than I ever saw before. The lumber mills from which we could see from the outside are fairly up to date. All the buildings are frame except in the city where there are a few brick and limestone. The land along the river seems to be a sandy loam and the farms compare not too bad with the Canadian farms. The lumber is nearly all fir.

We passed plenty of limestone but I saw only one quarry that looked as if it had been worked.

We also saw a few fishing nets but not as many as you would expect. The climate so far is much the same as in Canada at this time of the year but they say the Eskimos come down as far as this soon. The money in this country is kopecs and roupies—100 ks. equals 1 rupie, but it is all mixed up now—there is local money, Korenksy money, Imperial money etc. They are stamping some now and only some money is good, so one needs to be careful in any dealings to see you do not get wooden money. Tobacco seems to be the only good currency about this country. I will close for the present and leave the life on a barge for my next.

Yours as ever.
L.

LETTER FROM FRANCE

The following paragraph on the Canadian's advance in the last days of the war is taken from a letter from Sergt. Ed Eidt, D.C.M., written on October 27th.:

We have seen a stretch of France during the last few months, as you will no doubt have read in the papers. The war lately has been an entirely different experience from what it has been during the last three years, different from the old stationary trench warfare in scenes of ruin and desolation, the never-ceasing shell fire and the long winding system of trenches and belts of barbed wire. We have left this desolate part of France behind, and are fighting in open warfare, out in the fields, through woods and towns which have not been spoiled by war.

A great number of French people have been relieved from German rule they were certainly glad to see us. The French tricolour was hung from every window in the cities and towns. Troops marched through the streets with flowers in their caps, on their tunics, and even sticking out of the barrels of their rifles. You must remember that these people have lived for four years among the German army and have had German soldiers billeted in their homes all the time, so you can imagine what an effect it would have on these people to see khaki clad soldiers coming in to relieve them. The Germans took away with them men between the age of 15 and 50 to work in the mines in Germany, or to dig trenches, and they also took away all the animals, even to the chickens. The people depended on their gardens, and the relief fund, and the Germans commandeered half of this. They had no meat whatever.

I am sending Dad a German spiked helmet as a souvenir. They are only worn nowadays by German officers and it's very seldom we see one, as most of the Germans wear their big steel helmet, or the little round cap.

LETTER FROM FRANCE

Charlie Sutton, who was one of the first Walkerton boys to enlist writes his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Sutton, from the forward area:—

Somewhere on the
Western Battlefield
France Oct. 13th. 1918.

Dear Father and Mother:—

Received your ever welcomed letter of the 16th. and 23rd. Sept. today and was very pleased to hear from home again and that you're all well which leaves me in the best of health and spirits.

Well, father I am trying to answer your letter but it is pretty chilly work in this old breezy shack as the nights are quite cold now and we have been having a bit of rain lately. This finds me many miles behind the lines now that Fritzy is steadily retreating and I think the next home I will have will be in the city that the Canadians have just captured but Fritzy is now many miles from there. Fritz sure intended to stop for the winter on this front and certainly made himself comfortable. So much the better for us as the homes and dugouts that he took all summer to build, are ours all complete. Ha, ha.

Well as you said in your letter this war will soon be over and I give it to Christmas.

I would like to write more but can't on account of censor, I could put lots of news in my letter that is not allowed but the Capt. censors my letters and he never reads them. As he trusts one, it's only right that I should also do the right thing by him.

So Hugh Threndyle was wounded Yes I suppose those last few battles we have had this summer is beginning to hit Bruce pretty hard. I have not been over to my Regiment for some time but don't like to go as there are very few of my old Reg. Comrades that are still with the battalion and the Reg. was hit pretty hard lately and I lost many a comrade this last few months.

I certainly am a lucky guy to be here on Div. Hd. Q. with the Capt. and I am sticking it out as I want to see Canada when the war is over. Ha, ha, let it be soon!

Yes I will find a big difference in Clarke and Keyworth and find many changes in Dear Old Walkerton.

Well father you were saying that you had quite a collection of war souvenirs at home. Well I wish I could send more. I would like to get a revolver and bayonet home I intend trying to get all the Badges of different line battalions etc. of the Canadian Corps. Yes the Canadians have done fine work this summer, and are one of the best fighting corps in France.

I hope I am back home before next fall as I want to get settled down at something and am fed up with this rough and ready life.

Well I haven't grown much but am a little stouter but I am feeling twice as good as I did when I enlisted

WHO WAIT AT HOME

Who wait at home,
And hear the tread of marching feet
Bearing their loved afar—
Have hidden deep within their soul
Unnumbered battle scar.

Who wait and wait,
And list, and long in dread suspense,
For tidings from their own
On distant battlefield, have trod
Gethsemmane alone.

Who wait at home,
And seeing down the years
A harvest, sown in pain,
A world made better by their sacrifice —
They have not lived in vain.

I am never bothered with rheumatism now.

I am thinking seriously of following up farming and I would like if you would follow up what chances Bruce or the Government are going to give the returned soldiers. I was reading where they were picking lots in new Ontario for Bruce boys. I did not pay much attention to the write up and the paper was lost and I would like greatly if you would when writing keep me posted what they intend to do for us when we get back. I believe that everybody shares alike whether away from Canada four or one years and that the men that are back now will have the chance of having their bond clear before some of us that enlisted with the first.

Yes as you said in your letter one couldn't believe what takes place to be seen and it isn't a pretty sight to go over the battlefield before the dead are buried, hundreds of men lying in hundreds of different shapes just where they were hit also hundreds of horses. Both men and horses some times lay for days before being buried. One soon gets hardened to this life and I am afraid when we come back that the people of Canada will find us very hard [illegible] or may be it may make us very tender hearted after we get away from this cruel life.

I suppose Gladys has received the letter I wrote about a week ago when I was in that Fritz dugout. We sure had a nice little warm nest there but this shack is a refrigerator Mother was asking in her letter what Capt. Paulin's work was. Well he is a staff Capt. and he looks after all supplies, rations, ammunition clothing etc. for the Division. We certainly do some moving but here on Division it isn't so bad as they move us in lorries and we have no marching. I keep a big sack and when they say move I just dump everything in it and sort it out when we land at our next home, which may be a tree, shed, pig pen, cow stable, a loft dugout, shack, tent or rubber sheet, a feather bed in some good French home or may be a shell hole or open field and when we have a home we never know which of these may be our last.

Well my mate who is in the Div. Barber has just come in to tell me the people in the village have it that the war is over, whether he has been drinking or not I don't know but he looks alright, but I wouldn't be surprised if it was. Hope my mate the barber is right.

Well Father and all I will have to close as I am nearly froze and I want to get to bed so may be to-morrow night at this time will find me rustling a new home. I do like to see the Walkerton papers, but it gets a fellow's goat when he read of how a fellow's son and son's son returned from the States some time ago and was exempted as Father required his services on the farm. I wonder how many of the farmers exempted sons would mind coming out here to take the place of the boys that have been over here three or four years and I wonder how many of them will when this war is over share some of the safety first money with the boys that have received blood money and have helped to keep the "huns" away from destroying their rich farms. I think you Father will get my meaning. I won't forget the advice you gave me.

Well I close with love to all hoping that I will see you all soon.

From Your Loving Son,
Charlie.

When Peace is declared the troops will go wild and nothing will hold them, also the French people.
Got my bed aired. Ha, ha.

LETTER FROM BERT HOOVER

Pte. Bert Hoover writes interesting of his experience "over there" in a letter to his father, Mr. Amos Hoover:—

London, Oct. 27th., 1918.

Dear Dad:—

I shall endeavor to write you a letter this time as it is a long time since I wrote one of any length. I can use my right hand again and the arm is healing fast. Was struck in the fore-arm by a bullet, it went in a little above the wrist and came out a little below the elbow. It looks as if must have been an explosive bullet as I had an X Ray taken of my arm and it is full of small pieces of steel which are working their way out. I thought the bone was injured at first but it wasn't luckily for me. Have been in bed a week with the influenza and may say that I am here yet. It is a very painful thing to have and had it last summer before I went to France. Well, Dad I have met Heinie and Fritz face to face on a number of occasions and this I will say that no man who hasn't been through it can have any idea of what it is like. Of course I can't tell you anything about France but if I ever get back you can rest assured that my tongue will be able to wag the same as of yore, with a little more discretion perhaps. As regards my idea of Fritz I will give you one incidence. When I was hit I got another chap who had been shot thru the leg on my good arm and started back for the dressing station. We had not gone far before a Hun machine gunner saw us and we had to lay flat on our bellies for about half an hour before we dare move and all that time machine gun bullets flying round us like hail. This is God's truth and is but one thing that I have seen. Dad hope you are well and hope to get out of bed soon myself, and write me when you can. I don't expect to be here much longer but any letters addressed here will follow me up.

Your Loving Son,
B. H.

RECUPERATING IN ENGLAND

Mrs. Martin Hanson of Cargill had an interesting letter last week from her son, Herb, who is recuperating from wounds at Bexhill-on-Sea, Sussex, Eng. Herb writes:—

Oct. 4th. 1918.

Dear Mother:—

Just received your letter yesterday of Aug. 21st. It had been to France London and all over. Got a whole bunch of mail that has been all over. So you will notice I have changed hospitals again. Don't stay long enough in one place to get settled even. This place is right on the sea coast and certainly is lovely. The wound in my back is all open but is healing fast. I intend to go to England on my sick leave for fourteen days. I figure it will be my last chance to see those Countries and may as well take it. One thing sure if I ever get across that pond I'll never come back to see them. So better take the chance now. Things certainly are going well on the front now for us. If it only keeps up I think the end of the war will not be long. The weather is the main thing. If it keeps good and gives the boys a chance but a fellow can't fight his way and wade mud both. The Canadians certainly are doing good work now. But they are paying for it. I suppose you remember that Zettel boy that used to stay at Joe Smiths. His brother was killed the same day as I got hit. He was in the same platoon as me. There was eight out of twenty four of it killed that morning, and twelve wounded. So you can figure how many came out alright.

I have been doing some great fancy work while laying around. You'd be surprised to see me sit down and do it. I made a belt with all the Allied flags on it and the Red Cross had it put on leather for me. It sure is a dandy. If I happen to get broke while on leave I'll be able to pawn it off. Ha, ha. The Red Cross gives us the thread and the cloth to work it on. They are sure good to the wounded soldiers over here. All the old women and girls for miles around come to the hospital with things for us. Its the only part of a soldiers life. Believe me.

SIGHT SEEING IN OLD LONDON

Oscar Schwindt, of the Royal Air Force, wrote home the following interesting description of his visit to the historic British Houses of Parliament and Westminster Abbey:—

23 Beddington Place
Beddington,
October 9 1918.

My Dear Parents and Sisters:—

It is three or four days since I have written you, I have been looking for a letter each day so that I could answer any questions you might ask. Besides I was to London yesterday on Business to Canadian Head Quarters. Apparently there was some mistake about our transfers from Canada over here, but when we reported they said it was alright. We were given the lay off so Andy and I were in no hurry to get back. We had our lunch at London had a long ride around the city, seeing different sights, coming quite near to the Westminster Abbey and the Parliament Buildings we thought we might as well try to have a look at these buildings. We went to a "Bobby" guarding one of the gates and asked permission to enter. He told us that the Right Honourable Mr. John Burns a member of Parliament was escorting a number of soldiers through the Parliament at 3 o'clock, as it was only about 2.15 we decided to go through the Abbey first, which is only across the road. We didn't have time to see all of the Abbey but we got a good impression of the inside and its beautiful architecture which was all thought out by Christopher Wren if I remember my history correctly. We were told that we were walking over the bones of such and such a great man. The statues are very numerous and wonderful. In one of the parts we saw a girl painting one of the arches, she told us quite a bit about the place. The time passed quickly and we wanted to go through the Parliament buildings so we left the Abbey before we had seen it all.

Going back to the gate at the Parliament buildings, we already saw a large number of soldiers (American, Australian, African and West Indian). At three o'clock John Burns came along and he asked us to let him be our guide.

Entering by a large door we came into the oldest part of the Parliament buildings, being built in the time of King Rufus, son of William the Conqueror. Although this building is very old it still looks quite firm and safe. It is said to be the highest and widest building, without pillars or central supports. It was 500 years ago since the roof was last repaired and they are only repairing it now.

In his talk John Burns told us that this building has witnessed more historical events than any other building in the world. In the earliest day this building was also used as a law court as well as a meeting place for Parliament. Thousands of people in the earliest days were tried and generally sentenced to death, for very small [illegible] at the will of the King or Parliament. Some of the most noted trials held in this building were those of Warren Hastings, which lasted seven years. William Wallace, Scotland's greatest hero, was in this place condemned to be cut into four parts, which were to be hung in four parts of the city as a warning to other traitors who were against the King of England's tyranny. Cromwell was also condemned in this building and two brass plates mark the place where he stood while his sentence was read. This building has been the crowning place of all the sovereigns of England for the last 1000 years.

Although the Parliament buildings were not built at the same time, still they are all joined together. Leaving the first building we ascended a flight of stairs and passing through a large door entered St. Stephens Hall. This Hall is quite small but very beautiful, containing the statues of about ten Prime ministers of England. It was in the centre of this building, one hundred and forty-two years ago, that King George III. declared war on America. John Burns mentioned the fact that 142 years ago the British Parl. declared war on our forefathers, but now they are glad to entertain us in their capital city.

Leaving St. Stephens Hall we came into the Central Hall, so called because it has St. Stephen on one side, the House of Lords on another, and the House of Comons on the other side. This building is round and also contains a great many, marble statues, it like the other buildings has beautifully figured windows and most wonderfully carved walls and ceiling. The building to which Central Hall belongs covers ten acres of land, took eighteen years to build, costing four million pounds, having one hundred staircases and 264 clocks, besides many other things which I cannot remember accurately.

Next we were taken to the Picture Hall, which is quite narrow and leads to the House of Lords. The name of the Hall will likely suggest to you what the chief thing of interest is. The walls are covered with eight large wall paintings. O[illegible] of the pictures shows Cromwe[illegible] Army, the London Rifles, going attack Charles I. Army. It was [illegible]teresting to notice the change t[illegible] the Army has made since then. [illegible]other picture shows the scene of Pilgrim Fathers leaving England America. Again John Burns [illegible] the loyalty of the British peo[illegible] although at the time of the pa[illegible]tion of the Pilgrims many peop[illegible] to leave the country and [illegible] great hardships, yet in spite [illegible] their heirs gladly came back [illegible] for the country that per[illegible] them. I only wished I could [illegible]spent more time looking at th[illegible]

So far everyone of the halls [illegible]ed to be very wonderful but th[illegible]proved to be the most wonderf[illegible]all we had seen so far. The [illegible]thing I noticed was the wood [illegible] The walls and ceiling were all [illegible]and I am not exaggerating wh[illegible]say that almost every inch of t[illegible]hand carved, and it is a very [illegible]room. Looking at the whole [illegible]you are immediately struck wit[illegible]symmetry and proportion of e[illegible]thing in this part. This is the Ho[illegible] of Lords. At the furthest end o[illegible] Hall you can see two large cha[illegible]and a small one on the right, benea[illegible]a large carved canopy. At the ope[illegible]ing of Parliament the King a[illegible] Queen sit on the right hand side [illegible]the House, the people who are p[illegible]mitted to attend sit above in a [illegible]row gallery.

The Lord Chancellor who [illegible]Chairman sits in the centre [illegible]room near the Royalty. The [illegible]a circular bench. When he [illegible]on the front of the circular b[illegible]is the chairman. If he stan[illegible]speak he loses his power as [illegible]man and becomes a peer, if [illegible]around the rear of the be[illegible]stands, he has no power at a[illegible]only a listener.

In front of the Lord Cha[illegible]sent there are two "Wool[illegible]which have a strange tale abo[illegible]origin.

In old English day[illegible]Parliamentary members were [illegible]anxious to get into wool trad[illegible]brought in a lot of money, [illegible]caused corruption and smuggl[illegible]as a ramifidor to keep their [illegible]off wool, these two wool sacs [illegible]placed in the centre before t[illegible]of all their lordships. Of cou[illegible]are of no use now, yet[illegible]louns or to sit on lounge on.'

Having already spent nea[illegible]hour in the building I was b[illegible]to think that it was "some" [illegible]Passing from the House of [illegible]came to a Writing Room[illegible]their Lordships do all their [illegible]and correspondence, when t[illegible]not debating. This room is u[illegible]lique. It has a very large and [illegible]ful marble statue of Queen V[illegible]when she was quite young. O[illegible]walls there are large portrait[illegible]King Henry and all of his [illegible]After admiring the beauty [illegible]the room we were asked to come into the Royal Gallery. The two things I [illegible]nired in this room were the two large wall paintings, each one be[illegible]about 60 feet long and 20 feet h[illegible]The one picture shows the death of Nelson with all the sailors and ships and the other one shows the meeting of armies of Blucher and Wellington after the Battle of Waterloo. These pictures are so lifelike that one could almost be made to believe that he was looking at human beings. One of the large windows has a shrapnel hole in it from a Germ[illegible] bomb.

Having seen all the buildings [illegible] this wing of the building we went over to the other side and entered the House of Commons which is 250 years old. There are 630 members in the House of Commons, but there is only room for about 500 and besides there never more than 360 sitting. There is a gallery at the [illegible] of Hall where the King's Ar[illegible]ders sit. John Burns also e[illegible] to us where certain great [illegible] when they were in session. I [illegible]ting in some big fellow's [illegible]guess.

When the members of the [illegible]ons get up to speak they stan[illegible] a large table which has a b[illegible]elbow rest. When Gladst[illegible] Disraeli were Prime Mini[illegible]used to become quite stirre[illegible] on the top of the log you [illegible] the marks of their finger n[illegible]

Since 250 years ago, when [illegible] I tried to cause a disturban[illegible]coming into the senate fully [illegible]ned the House of Colmons passed a law that no one must carry any weapons while in this building. So when the King or other military men come in they are asked to leave their swords etc. outside. You will notice in reading this description of the Parliament buildings, that the English like to hang on to old customs. An[illegible]other old custom is a thin red line [illegible] the Carpet which is 15 inches f[illegible] the front seats on each side. [illegible] this line none of the members

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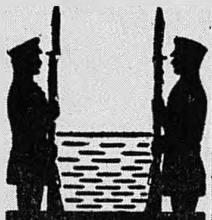
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LETTERS FROM OVERSEAS

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allowed to have their long swords projecting and thus interfere with the person walking in the passage. This red line has no use to-day but is kept there because it is customary. Another old custom is the presence of a Sergeant and Black Rod, the latter being so called because he carries a black rod with a brass knob. In olden days the king himself would bring his message and will before the House of Commons and the members often consented to it, because they were afraid to vote against it for fear of losing their position or perhaps their heads. To do away with this they cut a hole 9 in. by 15 in., in the door and covered it with a perforated brass plate. The sergeant is inside the House of Commons, and the Black Rod the King's Messenger is at the King's Palace. If the King wishes to send a message to the House of Commons he sends it with Black Rod who stands at the open door of the House, but does not enter. The sergeant sees him and quickly rushes to the door and slams it in his face and locks it and then bending down speaks through the hole and says, "who is there? Black Rod answers, "Black Rod." The sergeant says, "What do you want Black Rod", he says, "I have a message from the King." The door is opened and the sergeant takes Black Rod by the arm and leads him into the House. Black Rod then walks slowly up to the table and bows very low three times, he hands his message to the Prime Minister and then turns to go out and again bows three times John Burns has been a member for 27 yrs. had a boil on his leg just above the knee and it was very sore, so he had been having it poulticed and so along came Nurse Robertson, and she sure had the thing hot. Joe wasn't expecting her to slap it on until it got a bit cool, but before he knew it she had slapped it on and had about three rounds of the bandage on. Joe said he sat straight up in bed and thinking of some name to call her just looked at her. (Guess he was but couldn't find one strong enough.) However, Joe says if he ever gets it again he wants to go to "Orpington." Says they give you passes for two and there months to get out of the way.

HOW FRED KENNY FELL

He and Three Comrades and His Captain Killed By a Single German Shell

Mr. and Mrs. P. Kenny received a nice letter a few days ago from Capt. H. H. Priest, the Chaplain of the 47th. Batt'n. with which their son, Fred was connected on the firing line. The letter besides sending a message of comfort to the bereaved parents, gives the particulars of Fred's death on the firing line on Oct. 18th. Capt. Priest writes:—

France, 19, 10, 18.

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Kenny:—

I am writing to assure you of the death of your son, Pte. Fred Kenny who was killed in action about ten o'clock yesterday morning. We were following up the German retreat and had reached a certain village where we were to halt for some hours, when the enemy put on a heavy fire, and a number of shells fell around our men. Your son was sheltering behind a haystack with a number of others, when two shells exploded not a dozen feet away. He was hit in the back of the head and instantly killed. His Captain and three comrades were also killed. I was not a hundred yards away and saw it all. His body will be given Christain burial in the British Military Cemetery Aubigny-au-Bac. I expect to go out to take the service in a few minutes. I'm sending you some of his personal effects, some of which I sent to his sister in London, and the remaining few will be forwarded through the regular channels which are very slow. I had known your son but slightly as he had not been with us long, but I believe he was prepared to go, and one feels that already for him God's word of Reward has been spoken, "Well done good and faithful servant, Enter Thou into the joy of Thy Lord". Such a life as his, pure, honest and upright has not been lived in vain, and I earnestly pray that in the hope of the Resurrection and the Communion of Saints, God will comfort you and yours.

In earnest sympathy,
I remain very faithfully yours,
H. H. Priest.

Almost Recovered.

Mr. Geo. D. McKay, who has been confined to the house for several weeks with pneumonia, is up again although not himself yet. He expects to make a start at his office again in a few days.

PAPER CONTROLLER ABOUT TO "ORDER CUTTING OFF"

OF

UNPAID SUBSCRIPTIONS

At a public hearing in Ottawa the other day in connection with paper conservation, the Paper Controller for Canada intimated that regulations about to be issued would include one of the effects that:

> Publishers of newspapers must cease sending their newspapers to subscribers three months in arrears, unless subscriptions be definitely renewed, and all arrears fully paid.

The reason for this regulation of the Paper Controller is that it is the practice of some publishers to send their newspapers until ordered stopped. It is to prevent paper waste that the new regulation has been decided on.

The manufacture of paper consumes labor, wood, coal, chemicals and transportation facilities, and every ton of paper saved means just so much more labor, raw materials, chemicals, fuel and transportation available for urgent war needs. For these reasons the Government insists that paper shall be saved and proposes that only those who pay for their publications shall receive them.

Under these regulations The Telescope will have no choice in the matter of dealing with "subscriptions in arrears for over three months.

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and he told us a great many things like and he is a very eloquent speaker. Another of his jokes was. He said, "I have been to all the parliaments in the world and I have seen oval, round, and rectangular parliaments but this is the only square parliament I have seen.

Well my fingers are getting tired and besides you will get tired reading this as it will not be quite as interesting for you as it was for me. I want to go to see the Tower of London if I can and if I ever get leave I will go to Ireland and Scotland.

NURSING AT ORPINGTON

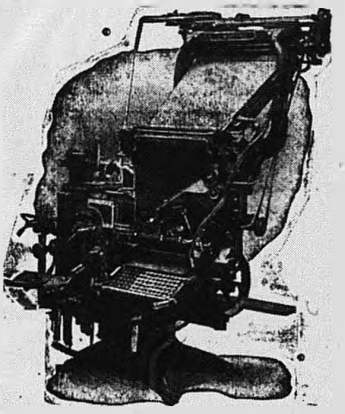
In an Overseas letter published in the Milton Champion last week we noted a reference was made to the good work that Mrs. Eric Robertson is doing as Nursing Sister at Orpington Hospital. Says the letter:—Joe has been in Orpington up till a couple of weeks ago, and was in Nurse Robertson's ward. She went down to the station to see Bill Durnan off and he told her about Torry. She went back and asked him if he was from Milton, and of course he said yes, so she said, "you likely knew Eric Robertson," and Joe knew him of course; "Well" she said, "he was my husband," so Joe finally tumbled to the fact that Nurse Robertson was a few years ago Miss Mary Zimmerman, and they got along fine, two old Miltonians. Joe says she is probably the best and the also sure) I know her business. Joe

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OUR PEACE CELEBRATION

Editor Telescope.
Dear Sir:—

The Peace Celebration had some regrettable features.

We have so often heard from over the footlights at the Town Hall from men with tears in their eyes, saying how we must make way for our returned hero boys. They must have first place in first things. Did those men keep faith with that oft repeated vow, did they see to it that those hero boys have just first place in that monster parade, no not they, but one returned soldier in the parade proper. No Father, Mother, Brother or Sister of our gallant immortal dead was there to whom we owe more than to the living. But the path was made clear at the close of the parade for some of the most daring and high handed vandalism that men could possibly conceive of.

The first raid took place at the home of Mr. Stade, who is just recovering from an attack of Typhoid fever. He was grabbed and jostled about and thrown to the ground, at this juncture a soldier son came running from the field and defied further interfering with his Father, and they left without their prey. There were four others in the Stade neighborhood rounded up and brought to the Town Hall and judgment passed according to the dictates of their wouldbe captors.

Mr. Radel of the South Line, whose wife has two brothers at the Front and was seriously wounded was taken almost from the funeral procession of a neighbor and put through some humiliating exercises.

Then to the home of Mr. Seigmiller, a howling mob about eight or ten in number badthe audacity to enter the home of that old couple who are in their Seventies, and compel the old man to accompany him and his gang down Town amidst jeers. Next an entrance was affected into the home of Mr. Wm. Weber at three o'clock in the morning rushing upstairs and into the sleeping apartments of that quiet and respectable home and with hand uplifted the ring leader said "I am armed with authority to take you. Mr. Webber like David of old was too many for for that great Goliath, who with his party was forced to leave without the fulfillment of their mission, but left behind them such train of blasphemy such as never was heard in that locality before. The sanctity and the respectability of the Webber Home needs no comment. During the stay of the 160th., in Walkerton, an epidemic of measles broke out amongst the soldiers, Mr. and Mrs. Webber threw open their spacious home for the sick boys. There were about seventy-five in all located at that home. When the boys got well Mrs. Webber was made the recipient of many gifts for her exceedingly kind hospitality during their illness, nothing but words of praise on all sides from the boys for Mr. and Mrs. Webber. That the Mayor and Chief Magistrate of the Town who must or should have known could stand by and wink at such high handed vandalism as was carried on at the Webber home is beyond comprehension.

Perhaps the most malicious invasion of all was perpetrated at the home of Mr John Bell, in the Township of Carrick where that home was attacked in furious fashion, three raids in all. The first raid took place at mid-night and the prey in this was Mr. Gress who was at the Bell home visiting his sister. Mrs. Bell who has been ill and confined to her room for some time. However the raid was not successful this time. The raiders left for town soon to return again with half a dozen cars loaded with an infuriated mob who walked right into the house which was in darkness, and no one in the house but two young girls and the sick mother. It was then that the dastardly work was done, frenzied men ramsacking the house from room to room. Then Mr. Bell and the young man that works for him who had gone home with Mr. Gress appeared on the scene and undertook to defend their home, and in the melee the young girls were ruthlessly pushed aside, furniture knocked about and the phone torn from its moorings. I would not dare mention some of the things that took place here, but no doubt they will be aired through another channel.

Some of the participants are now hanging their heads with shame, cursing their luck and blaming the drink, saying "when whiskey is in, Wit is out".

How such an infraction of the Liquor Law extending over a period of thirty hours could take place right under the nose of Inspector White, unheeded, calls for an immediate and thorough investigation.

The Daughters of the Empire, who had become disgusted with the rowdyism that was being carried on drew up a resolution asking the men to kindly stop. With all there was still a spark of common decency among that crowd, one of them spoke up and said, "Boys we had better stop," and they did. Thanks to the Daughters of the Empire that through their instrumentality for thus bringing to a close, assuredly the most disgraceful scenes ever enacted in the historic old County of Bruce,

Frank Rourke,
Walkerton, November 19th., 1918.

RIGHT IS MIGHT

To the Editor of Telescope.
Dear Sir:—

All honor and respect to the I.O.D.E. for their noble stand against mob-law. Such tactics in the name of patriotism is not patriotism, and in no way upholds the dignity of our flag, nor the fair play of British institutions.

I think I voice the sentiments of the majority of Walkerton's right minded citizens.

Right is Right.

High School Notes

The officers of the Cadet Corps were appointed this week. William Ramsey as Captain, and Vernon Tovell and Cecil Cargill as Lieutenants. Four sergeants will be appointed in the near future. The corps is over thirty strong and is making progress notwithstanding the loss of four weeks during the "Flu" epidemic.

Cadet G. L. Pfohl of Camp Borden, who was one of the live men of last year, spent the week end in town. Gordon is a full-fledged aviator now and Hun Birdmen may be thankful that peace has arrived in time to save them from his attentions.

William Ramsay, who was appointed Captain of the Cadet Corps, was the victim of a very painful accident at the Bobbin Factory on Saturday. His sleeve was caught by a saw and he was severely cut on the left arm above the elbow. The pupils hope that his recovery will be speedy and that he will be able to return to school soon.

Latest news from Nelson Lay, who left school to enter the Royal Naval College at Esquimalt, is that he is well and enjoying life on the Pacific Coast.

On account of the "flu", the pupils had to postpone their campaign to collect papers, but they purpose commmencing operations as soon as possible, and hope that people will be saving their old newspapers and magazines for them.

Local news on every page.

Less than five weeks until Christmas.

Service of Thanksgiving for the restoration of Peace was held at the Methodist Church Sunday evening, Rev. C. W. Cowens preaching a sermon appropriate to the occasion. The choir gave special music under the leadership of Miss Flossie Cowens, the program including a well rendered solo by Miss Hazel Irwin, and a beautiful violin solo by Mr. Pratt.

A letter from the Red Cross, says:—Private B Hoover, suffering from gunshot wound in the right arm, has been visited by one of our Red Cross workers who reports that he is in bed and does not seem very ill, as he suffers a great deal of pain from his arm. He was not very inclined to talk but we hope, before this reaches you, the treatment he is receiving and the attention he is having, will make a great difference to him and that he may soon be well on the way to Convalescence.

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Quite unexpectedly Mrs. Andrew McLean, one of the town's oldest citizens was called away on Saturday afternoon. Mrs. McLean, though in her 85th. year had unimpaired use of all her faculties and had been enjoying the best of health. On Saturday she was up and about as usual and a member of the family remarked that she had never looked better in her life. About two o'clock while sitting chatting with a neighbor she was seized with an attack of acute indigestion to which she was subject. She soon sank into unconsciousness and expired within two hours. Mrs. McLean was a woman of charming personality. In her later days her intellect retained its native brightness and up to the last her younger friends found her the best of company.

She was born in Hanley, England, her maiden name being Eleanor Simpson. It was not until several years after their marriage that Mr. and Mrs. McLean came to Canada, settling immediately at Walkerton. That was just sixty years ago. Mr. McLean was connected with many enterprises in the early life of the town and for many years owned the large stock farm, flour mills, lath and sawmills at Moscow. He predeceased his wife nearly five years ago. There are left to mourn, one son, Mr. Andrew McLean, Walkerton, and three daughters, Mrs. Wm. Lindsay, Moscow Farm, Culross; Mrs. O'Gorman, Walkerton, Mrs. Stewart of Calgary, Alta; and Mrs. T. E. Attwood, Walkerton. The funeral was held from her late residence on Gibson St., on Wednesday afternoon, service being conducted by Rev. R. Perdue, pastor of St. Thomas Church of which Mrs. McLean was a life-long member. The pall-bearers were:—Messrs. David Robertson, A. Collins, W. M. Shaw, H. A. Havill, H. Irwin, R. Irwin, John A. Rowland.

BORN

MONTAG—At Carlsruhe, on Thursday, November 14th., to Mr. and Mrs. John Montag, a daughter.

SCHENKEL—At Chepstow, on Saturday, November 17th., to Mr. and Mrs. John Schenkel, a daughter.

HILKER—In Walkerton, on Sunday, November 17th., to Mr. and Mrs. John Hilker, a daughter.

ERNST—In Brant, on Saturday, November 16th., 1918, to Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Ernst, a daughter.

IF CROWN PRINCE SHOULD VISIT US

The CROWN PRINCE of Germany expressed a wish to visit Canada after the war ended. Some ideas for his entertainment in this country might be advanced as follows:—

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Compel him to commit suicide by living on the average Canadian pension.

Make him attend every public "feed" held in Ontario cities for six months.

Arrange it so that he would be compelled always to sit in front of people who read the "movie" titles aloud.

Blight his life by handing him a Canadian title.

Compel him to live at the Toronto Base Hospital for a few months.

Or turn him over to a few of our well-known gimlet operators who have him full of holes.—London Advertiser.

47 YEARS IN WALKERTON

Passing of Mrs. R. Rettlebron, a well-known and Highly Esteemed Lady

Mrs. Rosina Rettlebron, widow of the late Christian Rettlebron, passed away on Sunday, November 17th, at the residence of her grand-daughter, Mrs. Harry Buehlow, where she had been ill the past two months. Mrs. Rettlebron, who was in her eighty-first year, was born in Alsace Fennce, her maiden name being Rosine Buckle. She came to this Country with her parents who settled at Shakespeare, Perth County, where they were among the earliest pioneers. Forty-seven years ago Mr. and Mrs. Rettlebron removed to Walkerton where the former engaged in the boot and shoe business and for some years conducted a felt shoe factory in partnership with Mr. Sharp. His store was burned down at the time of the big fire and he afterwards erected the brick block on the Durham St., which remained the property of his widow up to the time of her death. Mrs. Rettlebron was a warm-hearted lady whose memory will be ever revered by those who knew her best. An only daughter, Mrs. John Krueger, survives. The funeral was held from the home of her grand-daughter, Mrs. Harry Buehlow where she was cared for during her last illness. Service was afterwards held at the Evangelical Church, conducted by the pastor, Rev. J. H. Grenzebach. The pall-bearers were: Messrs. Dan Miller, Geo. Eckel, Rheinhold Weiss, John Rapp, John Bilger, Jacob Dippel.

Had Sleighing Last Year

A year ago Saturday sleighs and cutters were tearing merrily along. This Saturday was more like July than our usual November weather.

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LIVE NEWS OF NEIGHBORING VILLAGES AND COUNTRYSIDE

:-: Happenings of the Week Collected for the Readers of The Telescope by a Staff of Wideawake Correspondents :-:

DUNKELD

The Ball which was scheduled to take place here on Thanksgiving night and which was cancelled owing to the "flu" was held in Schuler's hall on Monday night under the auspices of the young peoples' club. Despite the very unfavorable condition of the weather the crowd was large and the fete was in every way successful. The music furnished by a local orchestra was excellent.

General regret is felt throughout this locality at Jack Johnston's failure to "cinch" the handsome McLaughlin six in the Free Press Contest, which was awarded Miss Margaret Trimble, Woodsley. The local candidate missed the prize by a close margin. Better luck next time, Jack.

Mr. William Rooney, popular threasherman, finished the season's work on Saturday last. Bill had been on the job since August 13th. and with his assistant Louie Schnitzler, certainly made a creditable showing in that capacity.

Canada certainly went "over the top" in the victory loan campaign which closed on Saturday.

CHEPSTOW

Pte. Val. Schurter accompanied by Mr. Will Spitzig and Miss Gertie Spitzig motored to Kitchener on Saturday and spent a few days visiting friends in that vicinity.

Mr. Jos. Schutoski was in Formosa on Friday attending the funeral of his brother-in-law, Mr. Frank Kraemer.

The engagement was announced from the R. C. pulpit here on Sunday of Mr. Erasmus Fritz, the rural mail carrier, and Mrs. John Wagner, widow of the late John Wagner.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. McNab spent Sunday with friends in town.

We are pleased to report that Mrs. Hartleib who has been on the sick list for the past week, is improving.

BORN.—On Thursday, Nov. 14th. to Mr. and Mrs. John Schenkle a daughter.

We omitted to mention in last week's correspondence that as soon as the good news was received on Monday that peace had been declared, service of thanksgiving was held in the church here.

CULROSS CENTRE

A number of our young sports attended the J. C. Rockwell's Sunny South Show at Teeswater Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. John Donaldson and Miss Edna are ill this week with the Flu. We all hope for a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Caslick and family of Cargill accompanied by Mr. John Moore of the Durham Road motored to the home of James Day's Sunday.

Mr. Jerome Cassidy of Riversdale is visiting his sister Mrs. Jas. Vaisd.

Miss Elsie Grant visited at the home of Saml Parker's Sunday.

Miss Wilma Gier of Orangeville who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. D. Grant, returned home last week.

Miss Kate Beching collected for the W. M. S. of the Presbyterian church last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Parker visited at the home of John Caslick Sunday.

Mr. James Donaldson while cranking his car last Saturday broke his arm. But is doing nicely now.

MILDMAY

Miss Katharine Schwalm our public school teacher resumed her duties on Monday again after recovering from an attack of the Flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Miller have moved their household effects to Elmira where the family will reside in the future. We are sorry indeed to lose this family from Mildmay. Mr. Miller will work in a factory in Elmira.

It was a great but a pleasant surprise to the congregation of the Evangelical Church to learn from their pastor Rev. Becker that the sum of their subscriptions to the Missionary cause amounted to almost Three Hundred Dollars. Mildmay Evangelical people certainly went over the top with their contributions. The congregation of the Sixth Con. contributed sixty dollars.

Victory Bond subscriptions in Carrick did not reach the objective but the response was very good nevertheless.

Canvassers Johnston, Reuber and Fisher deserve credit.

The meeting last Thursday night in the interests of the Victory Loan was well attended but it is too bad this meeting was not held earlier. Col. Wright who went over with his battalion on the Matagami with the 160th. Batt'n. in Oct. 1916 spoke and said the 160th. fellows were a fine bunch of men. He explained the victory loan quite well and was well received. Moving pictures added to the interest of the evening. Mr. South was chairman.

Electricians are busy in town putting in new wiring in our business places.

Mrs. Reba Schwalm went to Harriston on Tuesday on business.

The Mildmay Epworth League motored over to the home of Mr. Wilfrid Gress on Con. 1V last Tuesday and spent an enjoyable evening there.

CARGILL

Mr. M. Taggart who has been receiving at the station returned to his home in Walkerton on Monday.

Two horses killed and another so badly injured that it had to be killed, was the hard luck that befel Mr. John Parker last Thursday when the 10 p. m. train ran into trio of his horses. We feel sorry for him in the loss he has sustained.

Mr. Frank Smith of Harriston was in town on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Russell attended a funeral in Moorefield last week.

Mrs. W. Grainger and children of Stratford are making their home at Mr. H. Brownscombe's.

It will be remembered that Mrs. Grainger's husband fell a victim to the Flu about a month ago.

Our enterprising merchants, Messrs Hunstein and Wittich, are now handling fresh meats. We trust our village people will see fit to patronize them. We understand should the venture prove a success this winter, they will put in ice and make it a permanent department

GLAMIS

Rev. P. Reith conducted Anniversary Services in Knox Church Tiverton on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Montgomery of Markdale were week end visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Kirkhtown.

School reopened here on Monday.

Mrs. J. C. McIntryre, and Miss Sara left on Saturday on a visit to relatives in Toronto.

Miss Mary Webb resumed her duties at Chippawa Hill on Monday.

Miss Mabel Stewart is working at Mr. Graham's.

Mr. Jack Cameron of Tiverton is a regular caller at our burg.

The family of J. J. Husk are suffering from the Spanish Flu.

Mr. Allan McKinnon spent the week-end with Tiverton friends.

Mr. John L. McKay returned to Port Arthur this week.

On Saturday, Mr. Jas. Thompson received an official telegram from Ottawa stating that his son, 632210 Pte. James Thompson was admitted to Military Hopital Colchester No. 6 with gun shot wound in right hand. Jim's many friends hope his wound is not serious and that we may all see him safe home soon.

Rev. Robinson of Tiverton conducted Union Services in the Baptist Church on Sunday morning and in St. Pauls in evening.

Miss Mary Deehan returned to Kincardine High School this week.

Mrs. Hector McKay of Regina Sask. who is East at her home in Stratford owing to the critical condition of her sister, was here last week attending the funeral of sister-in-law Miss Annie McKay.

Mr. and Mrs. Stocks, and Mr. and Mrs. Bradley of Port Huron motored here on Friday and spent a few days with Mrs. R. J. Nesbitt.

Rev. Parnell of Rentiweth will preach in the Baptist Church on Sunday Nov. 24th., both morning and evening.

Miss Robinson of Kincardine was a guest of Miss Gunn last week.

Mr. Wilson Carr of Paisley visited in the burg on Sunday.

Tuesday of last week the people of the village and vicinity were shocked to learn of the death of Nurse Miss Annie McKay who passed away at St. Joseph's Hospital, Port Arthur after two days illness of Spanish Influenza. The deceased who was 27 years of age, was the second daughter of John L. McKay. She was well known here, having lived here until five years ago when they moved to Port Arthur. In September 1917 she graduated from St. Joseph's Hospital and has been engaged in nursing ever since. She had been on duty until a few hours before she was taken ill. Her very sad and sudden death came as a shock to every one. Nurse McKay was one of the most highly respected young women. Those who knew her loved her. She had always a kind word and smile for everyone, and an active worker in Christian Work, and her very sudden death has cast a gloom not over this community and Port Arthur but a host of friends in many places.

Her remains arrived from Port Arthur on Thursday and were accompanied by her grief stricken father, who feels his loss very keenly, he having been East less than two years ago with her youngest sister's remains. The interment took place from Pinkerton Station to Purdy's Cemetery.

The loved ones left to mourn her loss are her father, and one sister, Mrs. Matthews (Mary) of Port Arthur and three brothers, Hector of Regina, Sask., Lieut. Wilfred L. now in France and Pte. Douglas in England. To the bereaved ones our deepest heartfelt sympathy is extended.

(Intended for last week.

Hip! Hip! Hurrah! Three cheers for the Red, White and Blue.

On Thursday evening a big celebration was held here in the village on receipt of the news, (unofficial) which was received. On Monday evening again another celebration was held. Ringing of bells, fireworks, bonfires, parades, etc. were some of the performances.

The news of "The War is Over" was joyfully received by everyone. All are anxiously awaiting the safe arrival of the boys home again.

Mr. I. J. Husk and daughter, Pearl have returned home from Yorkton, Sask.

Mr. C. J. McKinnon returned to his duties on Tuesday.

Rev. Mr. McClung has been on the sick list for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Sawyer and family of Con. 10, Greenock, have moved to the farm on 14th.Con. Greenock, lately vacated by Alex Carr.

Miss Hazel Colwell of Lorne visited her sister, Mrs. J. D. Robertson.

Miss Margaret Sheane of 10th. Con. Kinloss is spent a few days at Mr. Grierson's.

Mrs. J. E. McNally of Sarnia who spen. the past few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Chas. Graham, returned home on Saturday.

Miss Laura Cunningham left on Tuesday on a visit to friends in Toronto and London.

Miss Flossie McLennan returned to her school duties near Wellesley, on Monday.

Pte. D. M. Guest, and Mr William Geddes, (school master) of Bervie were visitors in the burg last week.

The Baptist Church was reopened again on Sunday.

Mrs. Thomas Gamble who was ill we are pleased to report is better again.

The school did not open this week owing to sickness in the section.

A number from here were in Kincardine last week purchasing fish.

Mrs. A. McGregor of Kincardine spent a few days with her son Richard McGregor Con. 4 Bruce.

LOYAT

Everybody around took in the Thanksoffering service which was held in Knox Church Paisley.

Mr. Richard McGregor received the sad news on Saturday that his son, Pte. Bruce, paid the full price fighting for his Country. Bruce enlisted among the very first of the 160th., although the lad was still not 16 years old, that will plainly show the bravery of Bruce. The whole community joins in expressing great sorrow in the loss of such a fine young hero and also the deepest sympathy for his father and mother.

Mr. Chester Temple spent the week-end visiting a friend on the 2nd.

Mr. Richard McGregor went down last week on a business trip to Walkerton.

We all join in wishing Mr. and Mrs. John McGilvary the best of wishes in their new wedded life and that they may both be long spared together.

Mr. John A. Pace is having a well drilled on his farm.

Mr. Duncan McArthur is engaged with Mr. J. D. McGilvary.

Mr. and Mrs. John Pace Sundayed with friends in Elderslie.

PINKERTON

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be dispensed on Sunday, Nov. 24th., in the Presbyterian Church here. Preparatory service will be held on Friday and will be conducted by the Rev. Mr. Burgess of Walkerton.

Miss Alma Reid returned to Toronto last week after a six weeks holiday at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. John Clark received the sad news on Saturday evening, that their daughter, Mrs. Nelson (nee Miss Gertie Clark) of Manitoba was dead as a result of a severe attack of the "Flu". The sympathy of the whole community goes out to the parents in their bereavement.

Pte. Tom Osborne is visiting his uncle, Mr. John Wilson.

Mr. David Pinkerton returned on Saturday from the Peninsula where he spent two weeks hunting. Although Mr. Pinkerton had not the good luck to get a deer, the party with which he went secured three.

School re-opened on Monday with Miss McCrea of Port Elgin again in charge. Miss McCrea has just recovered from an attack of pneumonia.

SOLWAY

Mr. and Mrs L. McMyler of North Brant visited at the home of the latter's brother, Mr. A. J. Knull.

Mrs. P. Quirk received a telegram on Saturday last stating that her eldest son, William had died in Regina on Friday night from Spanish Influenza. Will, who was a well-known here, was a fine young man 21 years of age. He leaves a wife, who was formerly Miss Olive McWhinney of these parts and one daughter also his mother and one brother Pat and one sister Margaret who reside here. The heartfelt sympathy of the entire community is extended to the bereaved ones.

Mr. Louis Gateman moved his stock, implements and household effects to his new farm on the Townline between Brant and Elderslie last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lambertus accompanied by Mrs. John Stroeder motored to Teeswater on Thursday last and visited friends there.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Monohon spent Sunday at the home of Mr. John Hammore Jr.

Messrs. J. Dorsch and A. Smith of Kitchener, motored up and spent Friday and Saturday at the home of Dr. Scrimger's uncle Mr. [illegible] Lansbury here.

BLUE AVENUE

The body of the late Philip Lundy, who died last week of influenza, was brought home on Saturday and the funeral was held from Myles' undertaking parlors on Sunday afternoon, and was largely attended. Phillip was a sociable and kind-hearted fellow and a general favorite among his neighbors.

Mr J. J. Fraser, one of our going farmers, will be kept busy now, since a nice young daughter arrived in the home Saturday. Mother and babe are doing well.

Mr J. J. Zeitler made a business trip to Toronto yesterday.

Mrs. Louis Bender sr., of Chepstow spent a few days this week with her grand-daughter, Mrs. J. J. Ernest.

HANOVER

Mr William Helwig of Hanover has received a message stating that his son, Fleet Lieut. Norman W. Helwig, is a prisoner in Karlsruhe, Germany.

Mr. C. E. Bruning has bought Mr. Jacob Eberth's farm in Hanover. It is within the town limits, west end, and is nicely situated for a poultry farm. C. E. is having installed the latest type of automatic incubator of 240 egg capacity, being operated with hot water and 2 electric fans.

Another popular old Hanover boy has answered the last call in the person of Mr. William G. Devlin who fell a victim to pneumonia and died on Tuesday morning of last week at Moose Jaw Hospital. Deceased was in his 52nd year of age.

Mr. William Rudolf, well known Hanover photographer, passed away at Ontario, California, Tuesday of last week, at the age of about 42 years. Particulars of his death have not yet been received.

Miss Eva Rusco, who resided with her sister, Mrs. H. C. Wright here for many years, and had just left here a few weeks ago, died after a few hours illness of heart failure last Thursday morning, November 7, at Windsor, at the home of her sister, Mrs. Black.

Another sad death occurred in Hanover when Mrs. John H. Orff passed away at the early age of 30 years, leaving a young husband and three small children to mourn her going. She was another victim of influenza and pneumonia and had only been ill about ten days. The sympathy of the entire community goes out to the bereaved ones.

In connection with the recent convictions made against H. Orchard, G. Thedorf, H. Mils and O. Huling, an appeal was taken and heard before His Honor Judge Widdifield at the Division Court sittings held here on Tuesday last. Mr. David Robertson, K.C., of Walkerton appeared on behalf of all appellants and after hearing the evidence submitted as to length of residence in Canada, His Honor quashed the convictions in all four cases. This means the return of the respective fines paid by the above gentlemen.

CARRICK COUNCIL

Town Hall, Mildmay, Nov. 11th. 1918.

Carrick Council met this date pursuant to adjournment. All the members present. The Reeve in the chair. The minutes of last meeting were read and adopted.

The report of C. A. Jones C.E., re the drainage of a large tract of Culross property, which also affects land in this municipality, was read in the presence of those owners affected who appeared before the Council, and no objections being presented it was moved by A. W. Lewis, seconded by Chas. Wagner—that the said report be adopted.—Carried.

FINANCE REPORT

The following accounts were referred to the Finance Committee and disposed of as follows:—

Formosa Elec. Light Co....	67 56
P. Loisinger, repairing... .. grad'r	21 55
Con. H. Seim, bridge covering	73 62
Jos. P. Hauck, grav'l acc't..	4 97
Ezra Boettger, tile and hau'g	5 50
Hy Wolfe, 35 yds. gravel...	5 95
Jos. Albrecht, grav'l acc't...	5 41
J. Rettinker, 27 yds. grav'l.	2 16
Hy. Schnarr, 48 yds. grav'l...	3 36
E. Strooder, 50 yds. grav'l...	3 00
Mildmay Gazette, tax receipts	6 00
E. Reuber, cleaning ditch and running grader... ...	10 00
A. M. Schnurr, ½ share of grav'l	1 85
Jos. Trautman, ½ cost of grav'l	65
Hy Kaufman, grav'l acc't...	9 52
P. Schauss, digging ditch..	12 00
P. Zimmer, hauling lumber and repairing culvert	4 50
Wm. Wagner, haul'g bridge cover...	10 00
Aug. Freiburger, spikes for bge....	80
Dentinger & Beingessner, com'l tile and grav'l	6 85
C. Kunkel, inspecting bridge and keeping lights..	9 60
Raymond Schill, filling br'ge	4 50
Tp. Culross, Carrick's share drain Keiffer and Goetz drain..	47 00
Jno. Krueger, repairing br'ge	3 25
Jno. Diebel, salary as caretak'r..	11 00
M. Flisinger, 1 mig. and 1½ days R&B..	6 50
Jos Montag, 1 mig. ½ day R&B..	4 00
A. Lewis 1 mig. ½ day R&B	3 25
J. Juergens 1 mig. ½ day R&B..	4 00

Resignation of Dr. J. A. Wilson, Medical Officer of Health of Health of the Township of Carick was read.

Montag—Wagner—That Dr. J. A. Wilson's resignation as M.H.O. be accepted and that this Council place on record its appreciation of his appreciation of his splendid services and its regret at losing this valuable official.—Carried.

Juergins—Lewis—That Dr. A. L. Wellman of Mildmay be appointed M.H.O. of the township of Carrick for the remainder of 1918.—Carried.

By-laws Nos. 13 and 14 were read a first time.

Montag—Juergen—That by-laws Nos. 13 and 14 be now read a second and third time and finally passed.—Carried.

Wagner—Lewis—That all pathmasters who have statute labor money in their possession are hereby ordered to furnish a statement of their expenditures and pay over balance into Treasury.—Carried.

Lewis—Montag—That this council do now adjourn to meet again on Monday, the sixteenth of December next for the transaction of general business.—Carried.

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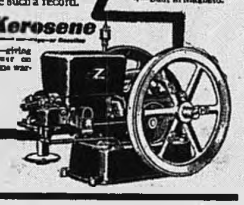
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Carolina, I'm Coming Back to You — Peerless Quartet — 18497

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Oui, Oui, Marie — Arthur Fields
We Don't Want the Bacon — Peerless Quartet — 18505

"We Don't Want the Bacon (What We Want is a Piece of the Rhine)" is a typical doughboy song, full of humor. It is worth a packed full of treasure to hear Arthur Fields rip out "oo" and "ee" in the refrain of "Oui, Oui, Marie" on the reverse side.

Hindustan—Fox Trot — Jos. C. Smith's Orch.
'N' Everything—Fox Trot — Smith's Orch. — 18507

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Oh! How I Wish I Could Sleep Until My Daddy Comes Home — Henry Burr
There's a Nobody Name But Me — Chas. Hart — 18506

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Mrs. Sam Sideroon left Tuesday for Toronto where she will undergo an operation for appendicitis.

Mr. James Lamberton, druggist of North Bay, spent Thursday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Lamberton, while down on a buying trip to Toronto.

Vagrant Gets 90 Days

John Coyle, an elderly vagrant, was brought in from Cargill on Tuesday by Constable Andrew Hunmore. Magistrate Tolton sentenced him to 90 days in gaol.

Could Do Without It

Mr. Tom Henderson, Baker & Confectioner, Durham, in renewing his Telescope to January, 1920, writes:—"We could not do without the Telescope to get all the news of Walkerton."

Delighted To Honor Him

We feel that it will not be invidious to mention the name of one individual at the celebration whom Wiarton delights to honor. That gentlemen is Father Cadot, Cape Croker. Throughout the whole war he was an example upon every occasion. Nothing that we can say would be too high a tribute for the whole souled devotion with which he served the cause of the Allies. A number of his boys have made the supreme sacrifice, many have been wounded, and he has deeply felt it all.—Wiarton Echo.

SCOUTS "ALERT"

Last Friday was a red letter night with the Scouts and Cubs. We had a Union Meeting, the Cubs being busy learning the Semaphore Signalling, while the Scouts were learning their Scout Laws. Everything came off splendid and at 8.30 p.m. a hurry-up call was sent to the Rev. Mr. Perdue and he responded most promptly.

The Rev. Mr. Perdue said some kind encouraging words to the boys and thanked them for their work in the celebration. Every Scout passed his Tenderfoot except the Secretary who was busy getting subscriptions from the boys, then the Rev. Mr. Perdue presented the Badges to the Scouts, the boys showed their smartness in their dismissal.

The seventh Scout Law says:—A Scout obeys orders of his Parents, Patrol-leader or Scout master without question. A Scout should always obey those in authority over him. Be true to your parents. An order to you may appear wrong to you, yet carry it out cheerfully. Do not dispute it, that is discipline. We have everyone to obey orders from someone no matter what position in life we hold and if we do not obey orders we must get out and some one else takes our place who will obey so you see we come out losers in the long run.

I am very sorry to have to inform you that the news I prepared you for last Friday has arrived. I have received my orders and although it seems hard to have to leave you all I must obey those in authority over me. I sincerely hope that you will be able to get somebody to fill my place and carry on the good work. If people only knew the pleasure in mixing with the young there would be at least 4 troops of Scouts here, it keeps you young and a person is only as young as he feels. Goodbye and Good Wishes to you all.

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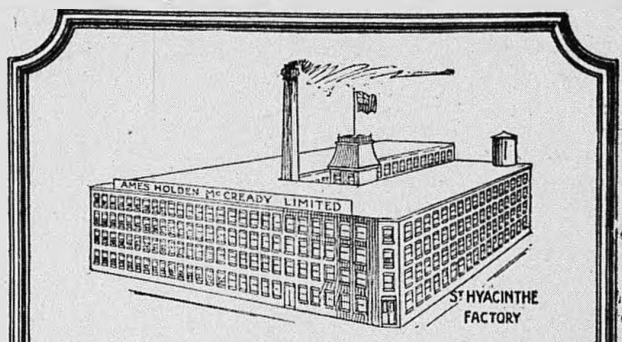
In 1917 the boys and girls taking part in the School Fairs in Bruce County with the assistance of the people in attendance raised [illegible] Hundred ($300.00) Dollars out of a total of Three Thousand Two Hundred and Thirty-three ($3233.00) standing 1st. in the Province. The following is a report for 1918.

SCHOOL FAIR PATRIOTIC MONEY 1918

Sale of Buttons	110 36
Booths—Teachers & Children	36 63
Institutes & Others	48 25
Total	195 30

DETAIL STATEMENT

District.	Buttons	Booth.
Brant & Car.	13 90	00 00
Brant & Eld.	17 04	30 75
Saugeen	23 60	15 50
Eld. & Arran	15 30	10 00
Bruce	25 97	7 50
Culross	14 55	21 19
Total		$195 30



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BRUCE COUNTY LOOKS

For Statesmanship In the United Farmers' Movement, Says W. L. Smith in the Farmers' Weekly Sun—Development of the Association has passed the Stage of Organization and Is Now Looking For Work To Do.

Bruce county is wedded to live stock as a profitable way of extracting health, a livelihood, automobiles, wealth, and houses and barns from the soil.

Bruce county is wedded to co-operative marketing of live stock as the intermediary by which these things may be extracted from the soil and merged into the realm of tangible realities.

Bruce county is wedded to the United Farmers of Ontario as the only way of extracting influence, prestige, right conditions of living and working from the muck of politics.

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After a visit to the county last week, personally conducted by N. C. McKay, Agricultural Representative, the writer has come to the conclusion that this much wedded county, if it did not marry for money has at any rate prospered since the event!

Bruce clubs have contributed some of our staunchest and most level-headed members of the U.F.O., who have taken keen interest in the sucess of the movement and have been enthusiastic workers at the annual meetings.

"Many of the clubs have been organized by the Department of Agriculture in this county, and all are affiliated with the U.F.O., said Mr. McKay to the Sun.

"What is your attitude to them affiliating with the U.F.O.?" he was asked.

"Why, tell them to go ahead," he replied. "there's nothing lose and I can't see why they shouldn't have the advantages. Practically all our best farmers belong to these clubs."

The president of one of the strong U.F.O. clubs of Bruce was jubilant over the victory in Manitoulin, and declared that "the U.F.O. is going strong." He regretted the fact that the general election had been held last fall, as he is of the opinion that with the example of Manitoulin before them farmers would be spurred on to mark their ballots in favor of farmer candidates.

"I hope," said he, "that Bowman shows how up well in the Legislature. They say he is a strong man, and if he is it will be a great thing for the moment."

The point of leadership in this club president's mind, is the all important one. "The trouble is trying to weld the farmers' vote," he said. "Is that there are so many men to handle. The manufacturers have just a few and so stick together, but there are thousands of farmers so they look too hard at 25c.

"I would not like to see a third party spring up, but would rather elect enough farmers to show the two parties what we want and see that we get it.

"In this leadership would be the great thing. We would have to have a leader for it who would control the farming vote and command the respect and confidence of all the thousands of farmers so that they would stick together in the face of the adverse town vote."

He did not indicate whether this leadership should come from the U.F.O. itself or from a closely affiliated organization, but added the comment: "I am afraid we will have trouble in getting the leadership."

Clubs are Thinking

Evidently the plunge into definite political operations foreshadowed by the Manitoulin election has not only set the members throughout the country thinking, but it has also emphasized the great importance of the U.F.O. to the farming public.

At any rate the vice-president of this same Bruce county club voiced somewhat similar sentiments. It is an open secret that the U.F.O. has less a case of leaders than of organizers. If Bruce may be taken as an index, the rank and file is now turning to a closer study of leadership, program, and such things, and the next step on the road to success is the unearthing of statesmen.

SHORTHORNS ARE STANDARD

A good many years ago Henry Cargill went in for pure-bred Durhams, and imported Scotch Shorthorns exteusively, building up a fine herd which was finally sold to John Gardhouse, several years ago, 8 head in all.

From this Cargill herd went out much of the foundation stock of the pure bred Shorthorn herds of the county, giving an impetus to the breed that is very marked to-day.

While there are some 200 shorthorn breeders in the county, they are all operating in a small way and and some very good stock is produced. Some leading shorthorn men come up into Bruce every year to pick up breeding stock, but last year, a sale was put on with a view to disposing of the surplus breeding stock by auction. It was so successful that it is now to be an annual event hereafter.

Two breeders' clubs have taken an active part in the Shorthorn propaganda and put on the spring sale. An auto excursion is made, when a circuit of a number of prominent men is made and their herds studied. Then every year a "Shorthorn Day" is held when a picnic breaks the monotony of work, and a prominent speaker provides the intellectual Shorthorn food, and the ration is balanced by local talent.

Whatever part these activities play in it, Mr. McKay reports that all over the county breeders are buying foundation stuff all the time, and buying better pedigreed stuff.

The spring sale held at Walkerton on the first Thursday in March, embraces carefully selected meritorious animals and will help this movement, though outside buyers are welcomed. It is not considered fair to the seller to restrict bidding to those from the county alone—even though the county name might be enhanced by it.

At last year's sale all the females were bought locally and in most cases by men who had no pure breds up till that time. It was all young stuff, practically all being under one year. The average price for some 15 head was $150, which was better than the prices put on the stuff at home, and this coming Spring from 25 to 40 head of good stuff will probably be sold, including older animals than those which went under the hammer the past spring.

Get-Together Spirit

As may be imagined when the U. F. O. Spirit is so strong in Bruce, there is a strong get-together tendency. This is noticeable in the breeders' clubs and still more so in the co-operative marketing of live-stock. Isn't it a fact that "money talks" with us? Its still, small voice is mighty persuasive and it doesn't have to use a megaphone when it pops up and says "Here I am."

In developing the co-operative marketing of live stock there has been little or no assistance from the U.F.O. headquarters, and as a result there is no uniformity in the methods employed. It now suggested that at a meeting be held this winter at which all the managers and presidents of all the shipping clubs [illegible] should discuss methods [illegible] ing is that by doing [illegible] ties may be overcome [illegible] and the way [illegible] placed on a satisfactory basis. So far it has been largely experimental, and each club has had to "hoe its own row."

While in Grey county it is common practice to ship to a commission firm, in Bruce the various clubs ship their hogs to one packing house or another—and to the methods of doing business there is no end of variety. A round-table conference of managers would go a long way to overcome the difficulties and establish practical methods.

That there is ample room for a strong live stock shipping trade in Bruce county is unquestioned—for it is already strong, and Bruce claims the honor of sending the second best steers to the Toronto market, as well as the best lambs.

Notes from Bruce

Fall wheat never looked better than now. There is scarcely a poor field in the county; all have a nice, even top, and are in good shape to meet the winter. The acreage, however, is still smaller than last year. "A burnt child fears the fire." This year's fall wheat crop was finished off at oats or barley.

Before the recent drop potatoes were selling at $1.65 per bag, f.o.b. Walkerton. There is talk of as low as 90c. a bag in bulk on board cars, now.

"It is surprising how much grain was raised, considering the help that was available," said Alex Rae, president of one club. "There was even more acreage, I believe, put in than last year. But we can't do it again next year, we worked too hard for our own good this year." Mr. Rae tells of a neighbor's son who was drafted and a large field had been made ready for seeding. Neighbors turned in and helped with the seeding an again in the harvest—or the field would of necessity have been left idle. "Did you increase your acreage?" we asked Mr. Rae. "Yes," came the reply. "I was fool enough to put in more than I could handle, when it came to drilling the barley in on the wheat land, I had 15 acres more oats than barley."

But it has been a year of plentiful yields, and Mr. Rae's spring wheat yielded about 35 bushels to the acre, while others claim more.

Roots have turned out real well.

"We had a good year," said a Sun reader to the writer. "Did you make wages for yourself and interest on your investment?" we came back. He had to admit failure to do so. It can't be done—or at least, it isn't done.

Fall plowing is well over, and many are completely through. The past weather has been favorable, but last week's rains were against it.



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NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Christmas is just around the corner.

A full page of Soldiers' letters on page 2.

Precommunion Service will be held at Pinkerton at 3.30 and Cargill at 8 o'clock Friday.

Mrs. John Bucklow leaves to-day for New Hamburg to spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. H. R. Mosig.

Recovered From Wound.

Major John Henderson had a letter a few days ago from his son, Lieut. Herb Henderson, dated Oct. 18th, stating that he was well again and ready for active service. His brother Roy's wound, he said, was alight and Roy was now convalescent.

Died In Sask.

Hiram Hallman, a former Walkerton citizen, died in Saskatchewan on November 4th. of the Flu. He was thirty seven years of age and leaves a widow, formerly an Elmwood girl, and three children. While in Walkerton he was employed at the Rattan Factory.

How Gallant Brant Boy Fell

Mrs. Thos. Wilton had a letter this week from the late Pte. Wm. Wallace McKay's Co. Commander, telling how he fell. Wallace was very badly wounded in the thigh with machine gun bullets and died to death in two hours.

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Cut Down Tree, Arrested

Dalton Schuler, a 20 year old chap, from Southampton appeared before Judge Klein yesterday, charged with cutting down a valuable apple tree on on the property of Miss Tolmie of Southampton. He pleaded guilty and was remanded to until Dec. 9th. for sentence.

Died At Regina

Deep regret was felt by the many friends and family here, when it was learned that Will Quirk, son of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Quirk of Brant, had succumbed to influenza at Regina on Saturday afternoon. The news came by a wire which reached here Sunday morning. A telegram received Monday stated that interment had been made at Regina as it impossible to ship the body here. Will was in his 30th., year and had been five years at Regina where he was employed by a large cartage company. Will was a fine young fellow and had many friends. Miss Margaret and Mr. Pat Quirk of Brant are only brother and sister. He leaves wife and little daughter. Mrs. Quirk is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John McWhinney, formerly of Brant, but now of Ceylon, Grey County, whose son and son's wife have both died recently, this making the third sad bereavement within a few weeks.

Local news on every page.

Mr. J. B. Campbell of Chesley was in town one day last week calling on old friends.

Decoration Formally Announced

The granting of the Military Cross to the late Capt. (Dr.) Malcolm McKechnie was announced in Monday's papers. Official word had been received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. McKechnie some weeks ago.

Home From West

Mr. D. H. Taggart arrived home, last week from the Regina District where he had been for several months. The crops were excellent where he was, wheat running 30 bu. to the acre. Mr. Taggart was delighted with the country and may locate there, but his plans are indefinite as yet.

Closed Walkerton Branch

The past three months the Walkerton Egg & Dairy has had local opposition, a branch of the Wingham Dairy having opened here in August. The Wingham Creamery has now closed up its Walkerton Office, finding apparently that our local concern is giving the farmers the very best satisfaction.

Died of the Flu

Word was received here recently of the sad death of Mr. Gordon Limes, son of Mr. James Limes, formerly of the South Line, Brant. His death took place at his home near Swift Current, Sask., of the Flu. He was a promising young man about 28 years of age, and was to have been married this winter.

Out of Hospital

Mr. William Campbell, of Holland, Man., was able to leave the County Hospital on Monday after a long and tedious illness following a complicated case of appendicitis. Mr. Campbell is spending a couple of weeks at the home of his sister, Mrs. Sharp, at Paisley, after which he expects to return to his home in Manitoba.

Nearly Killed In The Bush

Mr. Wesley Cargill, of Elora road south, was almost fatally injured on Monday morning, while chopping at the butt of a tree when another which was lodged in its upper limbs came down, a large limb striking him on the head, making a terrible wound. Two doctors attended him, and at the latest reports he was doing as well as could be expected.—Paisley Advocate.

Transferred To Orangeville

Mr. W. Pratt of the C.P.R. has been transferred to Orangeville as car inspector. Mr. Pratt has been a great friend of the young boys. He has been a Scout enthusiast for years and since coming here less than a year ago he has organized several healthy patrols of Scouts and Cubs. His departure will be a loss to the town Scouts that will be difficult, if not impossible to overcome. Mr. Pratt is also a violinist of some ability and he has been ever ready to use his talent in any line to help every good cause.

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What will Walkerton do to honor the memory of her soldiers who have fallen on the field of battle? This is a question that will come before our citizens asking a solution before many days. No doubt Memorial tablets will be placed in the Town Hall or some public building giving the names of those who donned the khaki or at least for those who have fallen. A marble shaft might be erected in a public place. But above and beyond all this the sacrifice that the boys have made deserves a monument that will perpetuate their ideal of service in the life of the community. A suggestion that has occurred to the Telescope is for the citizens to endow a Soldiers Ward or Wing at the County Hospital where those soldier boys who have returned after having borne the brunt of battle, may always find a comfortable place in the time of sickness for the rest of their lives. It might be called the "Walkerton Soldiers' Ward." This is one suggestion. We invite our readers to enlarge on this proposal or to make suggestions of their own. Write a letter to the Editor of the Telescope.

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For Those Who Fell

Requiem High Mass for the boys of the parish who have fallen in battle, was sung at Walkerton R. C. Church yesterday morning.

Don't Forget

Dec. 10. The Baptist and Christian Mission Band, are holding their annual sale of work and home made baking. Everybody welcome.

Memorial Service At Knox

Memorial Service for the boys of Knox Congregation who gave their lives in France, is to be held at Knox Church on Sunday evening, to be conducted by the pastor, Rev. W. H. Burgess.

Great War-Film Coming

Through the enterprise of Mr. E. H. Leeson, Walkerton people are going to have the opportunity of seeing Griffith's wonderful war-picture, "Hearts of the World", the greatest film ever staged, early in December.

DIED OF PNEUMONIA

Pastor of Baptist Church Bereaved For the Second Time This Year By the Death of His Youngest Daughter, Miss Nettie Hamilton Rock of Winnipeg in Her Twenty-Third Year

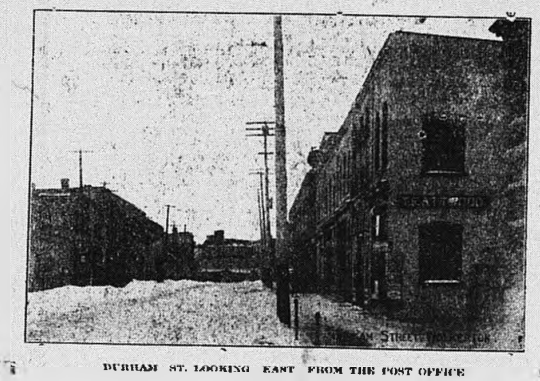
Very sad news came to Rev. and Mrs. G. C. Rock last Thursday morning from Winnipeg. Their youngest daughter, Miss Nettie Hamilton Rock, had gone to the St. Boniface Hospital with a slight attack of influenza a week previously. When word followed that pneumonia had set in, Mr. Rock prepared to set out for Winnipeg, but was stopped by a reassuring wire which stated that she had passed the danger point safely and was doing well. The telegram on Thursday morning that she had passed away was a shocking and unexpected blow, and is all the harder from the loss which Mr. and Mrs. Rock sustained earlier in the year by the death in action of their clever and gallant son, Lieut. George Rock. Miss Rock was a beautiful and winsome girl of charming personality. During her visit here last summer she made warm friends as indeed she did wherever she went. She was in her 23rd. year, graduated from the Winnipeg Normal School five years ago and after teaching two years in the West, she entered on the study of dentistry in which she was specializing in filling and the treatment of pyrites and had planned to continue her studies at Boston next year. Miss Rock was greatly interested in Christian work and social service and was one of the founders of the dental clinic for poor children at Winnipeg. She had relatives and very kind friends in the city and during her brief illness, which lasted only seven days she had every care and attention that could be thought of.

The funeral took place at Winnipeg on Saturday, Nov. 23rd., the dental staff acting as pall-bearers. Rev. Dr. Paterson of First Baptist had charge of the service. Interment took place at Brookside Cemetery. There was a large attendance and many beautiful flowers adorned the casket.

Curlers Get Ready

Walkerton curlers met at the Town Hall on Tuesday evening of last night and elected officers for the coming year as follows:—President, George T. Rourke; Vice. Pres., James McNeill; Secretary, E. H. Leeson; Treas., A. E. McNab; managing Com., A. Collins, H. M. Lay, F. W. Lippert, and the Officers. There will probably be skating three nights a week and curling three nights. It is hoped that Mr. "Cloe" Clark will take charge.

FAMILIAR SCENES IN WALKERTON:- No. 1



DURHAM ST. LOOKING EAST FROM THE POST OFFICE

During the next few weeks the Telescope will publish each week a photo engraving showing some point of interest in Walkerton, such as a street-scene or prominent public building. Few towns the size of Walkerton have as imposing public structures or such beautiful residential streets. We hope that this series of photos will help a bit to advertise the good old town and give out-of-town friends a glimpse of sights to which the citizens of Bruce's County Town are accustomed to point with pride.

NEWSY ITEMS ABOUT TOWN

Local news on eight pages.

Four weeks until Christmas.

Get your coal oil at Sandy McCarter's.

Mr. Wm. Stewart of Paisley was a visitor in town Saturday.

Miss Mae Hyslop of Kitchener, is home suffering from a dislocated knee cap.

The Baptist and Christian Sunday School is on the list of the recent Victory Loan purchasers.

Miss Lamminan, dietetian at the County Hospital, who resigned her position recently, returned home to Woodstock last week.

Miss Jean Stewart of Toronto who was here attending the funeral of her grandmother, Mrs. McLean returned to the city Monday.

The Dominion Government is calling up all overdue money on land purchased from the government, on December 31st. Moneys not paid in then will be compounded from the time due.

Local news on every page.

Mr. Frank Ronnie was a visitor in Harriston yesterday.

Three children of Mr. John Seidel of Carrick, are ill with diptheria.

Miss Brown of Chesley has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Will Paterson.

See our ready-made porch gates to keep the kiddies in. Sandy McCarter.

Mr. T. C. Twietmeyer Ph. C. Phm. B. of Rochester, spent Monday of last week at the home of Mr. Fred Ermel.

Mr. Robert Ormiston of Teeswater, who has been ill with typhoid fever at the County Hospital, left for home again on Saturday.

Mr. Claude Cooper has left the employ of the Rattan Factory after eighteen years, to take agency for the Prudential Life Insurance Co.

Flight Lieut. Norman Helwig of Hanover, formerly of Walkerton, who reported a prisoner in Germany two months ago has been repatriated and is now in England.

Mrs. John McKinnon Sr. of Detroit, who has returned home on Monday, accompanied by her son, Mr. Arch McKinnon of Greenock who will spend a week in Detroit.

Mr. Albert Miller, engineer at Truax's has almost fully recovered from an attack of the flu, followed by pneumonia. His sister Miss Jean who had the same illness was able to be out for the first time on Monday.

Mrs. Herb Leslie returned home last week from Toronto where she had been visiting her son. She was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. D. Ross of Hamilton. Mrs. Leslie was ill with the flu while in the city but is quite recovered.

St. Thomas Church will hold their annual bazaar in the School Room, Wednesday, Dec. 11th. commencing at three o'clock. Tables for fancy work, Aprons, Dolls, Home-made cooking, Tea table, Kitchen table, pop corn, Vegetables, and Fishpond.

Rev. Mr. Walker of Paisley, preached at the Methodist Church on Sunday exchanging work with Rev. Mr. Cosens who took the Anniversary Services at Paisley, which is one of his former charges. Mr. Walker who returned recently from Japan, preached earnest and very thoughtful sermons which were greatly enjoyed.

With the end of war comes the closing down of many munition plants and concerns which have been operating on a purely war basis. The cities and large towns may experience some rather slack times, so far as employment for the masses goes. The soldiers will be home soon now, and they must be found employment. The rural districts need have no fear of a change. Production must be kept up. All the farm produce that can be raised will be required.

Local news on eight pages.

Miss Shaw is visiting relatives at Hamilton.

The Women's Institute will meet at Mrs. Duncan's on Dec. 5th.

Mrs. L. H. McNamara is visiting her parents, at Mount Forest.

Mrs. H. McCrom is visiting her daughter, Mrs. (Dr.) L. Birrell of Galt.

Mrs. Beechie went to Toronto Saturday to visit her daughter, Mrs. King.

You will find everything in Christmas toys for the children at Paterson Bros.

Mrs. Hidley, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Jos. Wallace, left yesterday to visit friends at Toronto.

Mr. Henry Spitzig left yesterday to complete installation of some machinery at South River.

Mr. Fred Watts came up from Toronto last week and has taken a position at the Bobbin Factory.

Horace Johnston has taken a position in the G. T. R. as brakeman running between Hamilton and Toronto.

Miss Rankin, of Paisley, who has been visiting her brother, Mr. Lou. Rankin returned home this week.

Mr. McBurney's Amateur Dramatic Company will put on "Eliza Comes To Stay" at Carruthers Hall a week from Friday night.

A Bracebridge paper wants the women to emulate Susannah Wesley, "who was the mother of eighteen children." Listen to the general chorus of "Excuse me!"—Orillia Packet.

Mr. James Raburn was operated on at Toronto this week for a tumorous growth below the ear which had developed the last few months. He is reported to be doing as well as can be expected.

Mrs. Portsous, housekeeper for Rev. Father Haller, at Desmurtin, has been taken ill with the flu and Miss Desmond trained nurse, who was on Father Haller's case, is also down with it.

The order disbanding the civil section of the military police, composed of from 800 to 900 men, who have been engaged in rounding up defaulters under the M.S.A., was issued last week.

It is proposed that November 11 be adopted as the date of Canada's annual Thanksgiving Day. The anniversary would fittingly commemorate the great war, and would be an annual reminder to the people to be grateful for the blessings of peace.

William McDonald of Teeswater got word that his daughter Elizabeth, a nursing sister with the American forces in France, had died of the "flu." Miss McDonald trained in Chicago and went to France in the beginning of September. She was on duty at one of the base hospitals.

Local news on eight pages.

Miss Blanche Hamilton was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Hamilton, Sunday.

Mr. Jas. Hamilton has been confined to the house for a few days with a severe cold.

Mr. Wm. Hamilton of Toronto spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Hamilton

OUR TOWN GOVERNMENT

An A.B.C. of Municipal Business Is Given Herewith—Simple Facts Which Everybody Should Know But Which A Great Many People Don't

At times of great national crises, our Dominion government occupies a place of preponderating importance but in ordinary quiet times the municipal government touches our daily lives much more intimately and deals with matters that affect each individual alone if from no higher motive dual very closely. From pure self-interest it is important that each and every citizen should become informed as to the working of our municipal government and take a close personal interest in the municipal life of our town.

Our Town Council

Our Walkerton Town Council deals with such matters as seeing that roads and streets are made and kept in repair, that bridges are built, that sidewalks are laid down, that drains and sewers are constructed, that the articles of food and drink sold in the stores are of proper quality, and that the lives and property of citizens are protected by police. The Council consists of our Mayor, Reeve and six councillors. All are elected once a year by a general vote of the municipality, the Reeve also sits as a member of the Bruce County Council. All members of the Council must be British subjects, of the male sex, of the full age of 21 years, and resident in the municipality. They must be owners of property assessed to the value of at least $600, or be tenants under lease of property assessed to the value of $1200.

Who Can Vote

A person in order to have his name placed on the voter's list for municipal purposes, must be a British subject and of the full age of 21 years. Further he must either (1) own real property to the value of $200 or (2) be a tenant; or (3) be a resident assessed for an income of not less than $400. Those who own property do not need to live in town, but tenants must be resident here one month before election. No person is entitled to vote unless his or her name is on the Voters' List. Unmarried women and widows are allowed to vote. A husband may base his qualifications as an elector or as a member of Council on the assessed value of his wife's property.

Nominations and Elections

Nominations for Mayor, Reeve, and Councillors, are held at the Town Hall on the last Monday of December each year. The election takes place the first Monday in January, the town clerk being returning officer, and a polling place is open in each ward with a deputy returning officer in charge.

Municipal Officers

The Municipal officers are the Clerk who keeps the books, records, and accounts, the Treasurer, who receives and pays out the money belonging to the Municipality. Both of these offices are held by Mr. Collins. Then there is the Assessor, the Collectors of taxes, and the Auditors who examine all the receipts and expenditures of the municipality twice a year and make a report as to these matters.

Council Procedure

The Town Council meets regularly every second Monday of the month. The Mayor presides as Chairman, and sees that business is conducted in an orderly way. If the Mayor is not present, a Chairman is appointed for the occasion. The Mayor votes as an ordinary member of the Council if he wishes, and if he does so, and the number of votes is equal, the question is considered as decided in the negative.

The Council finds it convenient to choose permanent committees for the year, such as Streets, Sidewalk and Drainage, Property; Relief and Cemetery; Finance, Salaries and Schools; Fire and Water; Railway; Printing and License, Street Lighting, Board of Industry. These committees act as a sort of executive in their particular departments, making reports to Council and carrying out its decisions. Special committees are also appointed from time to time for the consideration of any important matter. The rules for the conduct of business so far as circumstances permit, are the same as those in use in the House of Commons and Legislative Assembly.

Any legislation by the Town Council has the name of "by-law". In order to have force it must be stamped with the town seal after three formal readings and be signed by the Mayor and Clerk. The subjects regarding which our town Council has power to legislate are carefully explained in the Municipal Act and form a very long list. In general everything that concerns the town, and it is not otherwise provided for by the Provincial Statutes is under control of the Town Council.

Meeting the Expenses

In order to meet the expenses of town government, the Council imposes a direct tax upon real property and income, as well as a business tax. As a first step it is necessary to determine the value of every man's property and the amount of all incomes that are taxable. Therefore an officer called the Assessor, makes an estimate in every case and records it in a document called the Assessment Roll. Since the amount of taxes which the owner will have to pay depends on the assessed value of his property and the assessed amount of his income. It is important that the work of valuation be fairly and accurately done. Hence there is a period allowed for appeal against the value set by the Assessor. All appeals come before a Court of Revision. The Court is composed of five members of the Council. If a ratepayer is dissatisfied with the decision of the Court, he may appeal to the County Judge.

On the assessment of the town the Council fixes each year a rate of taxation which it considers will yield enough revenue to pay all expenditures of the year. The rate is stated as being a certain of number of mills on the dollar. A mill is the one-thousandth part of a dollar. With a tax rate of 34 mills a person with property assessed at $1,000, pays thirty-four dollars in taxes. Churches, county-buildings, the schools, public library, and public property, are exempted from taxation. There is also what is called poll-tax, an annual fee of $5 a piece paid by men over twenty-one and under sixty, who do not otherwise contribute to the revenue of the town.

Sometimes, in order to carry out some expensive public undertaking such, for example, as the construction of a system of waterworks or the erection of the town hall, the Council may deem it advisable to borrow money instead of defraying the total expense from the year's taxes. But before a by-law to this effect can be finally passed, a vote of the ratepayers must be taken as at an ordinary election. No person is adnitted to the poll, unless he is an owner of property or a tenant under lease who pays taxes and whose covers the period for which the town is incuring the debt. A ratepayer may vote in all municipal wards in which he has the necessary qualifications.

BISHOP STRINGER LEAVING FOR OVERSEAS

The Right Reverend I. O. Stringer, D. D. is leaving for England and France for special work among the soldiers in connection with the Canadian Christian Citizenship Campaign inaugurated by the Young Men's Christian Association.

Bishop Stringer applied in the Spring, 1915 and several times since to go as a chaplain, but for various reasons the opportunity did not come to him to serve his country in a capacity which he desired until the present.

His application for chaplaincy was recently accepted, but it would have been necessary to remain in Canada for several months. With the approval of the Primate and the Bishop of Ottawa he accepted the invitation to go under the auspices of the Y.M.-C. A. The problems relating to the soldier are many and difficult.

It was thought that no better man could be found to influence the great body of Canadian soldiers for a virile and clean Canadian citizenship than this pioneer bishop, who has himself been holding the outposts of civilization for more than a quarter of a century.

The Paisley Methodist parsonage has been sold to Mr. and Mrs. Jas Wilson, of Greenock, who intend moving to that village next spring. The church trustees bought Victory Bonds with the proceeds of the deal.

HOW TO SAVE FUEL

From the Fuel Controller's office at Ottawa were issued some suggestions for saving fuel. Among them are the following:—

Keeping the house temperature Lower.

In heating houses considerable fuel can be saved by keeping the temperature in the house 5 to 10 degrees F. lower than is customary; instead of the temperature being between 70 and 74 degrees F., it can be kept between 62 and 68 degrees without any discomfort or any danger to health. In fact, some medical authorities ascribe the "colds" common in winter to living in too warm houses. Thus Dr. William Brady writes:

"Air need never be heated above 65 degrees F. for comfort. Anything above that point represents waste and extravagance. It simply runs up a big coal bill and opens various doors to the coming of the doctor. The onset of cough in winter is almost a sure sign of extravagance."

Keeping the house temperature lower is the easiest way to save fuel. It is fuel saved by doing less work. As to the question of health, more sickness is caused by having a house too warm than by keeping it too cold.

Heating Fewer Rooms

Another easy saving of fuel can be effected by heating fewer rooms in the house. In many houses the family can get along comfortably by keeping warm three or four rooms instead of heating six or seven rooms. And this can be done without any real hardship on his family. If one stops to think that 55 per cent. of the families in Berlin, Germany, live, sleep, cook and eat in the same room, living in three or four warm rooms will seem a comfort. Really only the three rooms in which the family lives need to be heated at all. If consumptives can get well by sleeping outdoors, why could not well people keep well by sleeping in unheated bedrooms with the windows



Bruce County General Hospital, Walkerton.

Shortening the Heating Season wide open.

In some homes the furnace is started too early in the fall and is run too late in the spring. The chimneys of these homes are belching smoke and spreading soot over their neighborhood, while the neighbors keep windows and doors open to the outside air and even sit on the front porches. These faint-hearted people in their fear of catching cold heat their houses unnecessarily; thus they waste the country's fuel, increase their coal bills, invite sickness into their homes, and make life unpleasant to their neighbors. When mornings and evenings are chilly a genie fire for a short time in one or two rooms will make the house comfortable.

NEW CANADIAN NOVEL— THE COW PUNCHER

An English reviewer recently, in reviewing the poems of Robert J. C. Stead, said that while Canada's troops had done nobly in the war such writers as Stead were doing a no less valuable service in building up a genuine national literature. The reader who is wise enough to obtain a copy of "The Cow Puncher," Mr. Stead's latest novel, will agree with the English reviewer. It is a genuine contribution to the national wealth of Canada, made by a writer whose intimate knowledge of the West peculiarly qualifies him for such a service.

"The Cow Puncher" promises to add to a reputation already well established. It is not merely a novel; it is an event in the literary life of a country. Dr. W. T. Allison, professor of English, and well known litterateur, declares that it is the biggest thing in a literary way that ever came out of the prairie country. It is very pleasant reading, and there is a unique vein of humor and philosophy which has caused it to be called the David Harum of Canada. But "The Cow Puncher" is by no means literary pastime. Its note is in keeping with the serious business of the times, and in its closing chapters it rises to a patriotic level not excelled by any present writer.

It is not our purpose here to outline the plot of "The Cow Puncher," you will enjoy it more to read it in the author's own words. The book is published in Canada by the Musson Book Co., of Toronto, and in the United States by Harper & Brothers. It is attractively illustrated by Arthur Heming, one of Canada's most successful artists.

LETTER FROM CLEARING STATION IN FRANCE

Ever since Pte. Ray Hyslop, was killed in action in June 1916, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hyslop, have received letters regularly from Ray's chum, Pte. H. Woods, who was with Ray when he died. Pte. Woods has been wounded in his chest and the following letter acknowledging the gift of a box of good things, was written for him by the Chaplain of the Battalion.

4th., Canadian C. E. F.
France Oct. 23rd.

Dear Mrs. Hyslop:—

A word of "good cheer" and deep appreciation from your young friend Pte. H. Woods. He received your "box" of eats some time ago and desires to thank you most heartily. Every bite was a blessing sent to appreciative boys. He is now in clearing station wounded in the right chest. Old Heinie got him all right. It is a "penetrating wound" and will take time to heal.

He is in the best of good spirits, is hopeful and will be sent to England in a couple more days.

He certainly escaped fortunately and will likely see no more of this war.

He sends best of good wishes, cheerio and every success to you for your great kindness to him.

Sincerely,
R. F. Scarlett, Chaplain.

WHEN PAW WAS A BOY

I wish't 'at I'd of been here when
My paw was a boy.
They must have been excitement
then—
When my paw was a boy.
In school he always took the prize.
He used to lick boys twice his
size
I bet folks all had hulgin' eyes
When my paw was a boy!
There was a lot of wonders done
When my paw was a boy.
How grandpa must have loved his
son
When my paw was a boy.
He'd get the coal and chop the wood
And think up every way he could
To always be so sweet and good—
When my paw was a boy.
Then everything was in its place
When my paw was a boy.
He never, never disobeyed;
He beat in every game he played:
Gee! what a record they was made
When my paw was a boy.
I wish't at I'd been here when
My paw was a boy,
They'll never be his like again;
Paw was a model boy.
But still last night I heard my maw
Raise up her voice and call my paw
The worst fool that she ever saw—
He ought to stayed a boy.

—Chicago Times Herald

A story goes the rounds of the papers tells of a farmer who dropped into a newspaper office to pay his subscription and was courteously shown over the plant. He was much interested in the linotype, and when told that it would do the work of five men, he exclaimed: "Jerusalem, that's what my wife should have married.

USING MILKING DEVICES

When It is Advisable to Invest in Milking Machines.

The Cause and Cure of Diarrhoea In Calves — Simple and Commonsense Methods of Treatment May Save Valuable Young Animals.

(Contributed by Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.)

It is clear that if dairying is to develop as it ought to do in the Province of Ontario, more labor is needed on dairy farms. As the supply of labor is limited, cow-farmers are turning their attention to the mechanical milker as an aid in the biggest job on a farm where milk-cows are kept, namely, that of milking.

Past the Experimental Stage.

While it is true that mechanical milkers are not yet perfected, and possibly will never be absolutely "fool-proof," they have reached a stage of perfection where they can be recommended to the man who is in need of help at milking-time. There are several machines now on the market which have proven to be more or less successful in tests made at Experimental Stations, but what is even more important, have stood the test of actual farm conditions. The advertising columns of the agricultural press contain the names of the leading makes of machines which can now be purchased by milk-producers.

In answer to the question, will it pay to buy a milking machine? we would answer yes, under the following conditions:

1. Where a herd of twenty or more milking cows are kept, though we were in a stable recently where a man was using a machine to milk eight cows, and he considered that it paid him.

2. Where hand-milkers are not to be had, and where it means selling all, or part of the herd, because of the difficulty in getting the cows milked.

3. Where a man desires to increase his herd but cannot do so, because hand milking is impossible.

4. Where a man has some mechanical genius and is willing to give the machine the necessary attention in order to make it a success. Not every man can get good results with a milking machine. The cows must be stripped after the machine, to insure "milking out clean."

5. Where a man or women will give the necessary attention in order to keep the machine clean. It must be thoroughly washed and the milking parts kept in a solution of chloride of lime—one pound, dissolved in ten gallons of water. This must be changed about every two weeks, or as often as necessary to prevent contamination.

6. Where a man has the necessary capital (about $500) to invest in a machine and does not have to borrow the money at the present high rate of interest.—Prof. H. H. Dean, Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph.

Infectious Diarrhoea In Calves.

A form of diarrhoea in calves, known as "Infectious Diarrhoea," is not uncommon in calves, and the owners are often at a loss to account for it.

It is caused by a specific germ that gains entrance to the circulation, generally by the navel opening. It generally occurs as an epidemic in certain stables or certain localities, and as it is often fatal, causes great loss to the breeder.

The cause and results strongly resemble those of joint ill or navel ill in foals. The virus which causes the trouble exists in the stable or in the soil.

Symptoms.—At a variable time after birth, in some cases a few hours and in others a few days, the young animal suffers from an attack of acute diarrhoea, the symptoms of which do not differ markedly from ordinary diarrhoea, except from the fact that they seldom yield readily to treatment. The patient refuses to nurse or partake of nourishment, persists and death soon results.

Treatment.—Preventive treatment consists in preventing the cause. When we know that the entrance into the circulation of a germ causes the trouble, its entrance must be prevented in order that we may be successful. The building in which the cow is expected to bring forth young, and especially the stall, should be thoroughly disinfected. This may be done by sweeping and dusting thoroughly, and following by a thorough washing or scrubbing with a hot five per cent. solution of carbolic acid or one of the coal tar antiseptics, or a thorough coat of hot lime wash with five per cent. crude carbolic acid. The stall should be cleaned out daily and a little slacked lime spread upon the floor each time before supplying fresh bedding. The attendant should have a quantity of a good strong disinfectant on hand, as one of the solutions above mentioned or a solution of corrosive sublimate, 20 grams to a pint of water. The writer prefers the latter. The navel of the calf should be freely dressed with this as soon as possible after birth and several times daily afterwards until thoroughly healed.

Curative treatment is often ineffective. The following has probably given better results than any other, viz.: Mix part formalin with 15 parts new milk and mix a teaspoonful of this with each part of milk consumed by the calf. When the calf is nursing its dam the mixture can be mixed with a small quantity of the dam's milk and given as a drench, the attendant estimating about how much it should get. When the calf is to nurse the dam it is well to wash udder and teats with the solution before the calf nurses and once or twice daily for a week or so afterwards. When this is done the parts should be allowed to dry, and then be well rubbed with a dry cloth before the calf is allowed to nurse.—J. H. R., Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph.

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Female trouble	Pleurisy
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Grippe	Sciatica
Goitre	Spinal disease
Hysteria	Stomach trouble
Heart trouble	St. Vitis dance
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Insomnia	

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PAPER CONTROLLER ABOUT TO "ORDER CUTTING OFF"

OF

UNPAID SUBSCRIPTIONS

At a public hearing in Ottawa the other day in connection with paper conservation, the Paper Controller for Canada intimated that regulations about to be issued would include one of the effects that:

> Publishers of newspapers must cease sending their newspapers to subscribers three months in arrears, unless subscriptions be definitely renewed, and all arrears fully paid.

The reason for this regulation of the Paper Controller is that it is the practice of some publishers to send their newspapers until ordered stopped. It is to prevent paper waste that the new regulation has been decided on.

The manufacture of paper consumes labor, wood, coal, chemicals and transportation facilities, and every ton of paper saved means just so much morelabor, raw materials, chemical fuel and transportation available for urgent war needs. For these reasons the Government insists that paper shall be saved and proposes that only those who pay for their publicatio shall receive them.

Under these regulations The Telescope will have no choice in the matter of dealing with "subscriptions in arrears" over three months.

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CHEST

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WINTER DAIRYING PAYS

A Few Very Simple Rules for Economical Feeding.

A Profitable and Efficient Ration for Work Horses When Fall Work Closes—How to Feed Roughage to Live Stock to Best Advantage.

(Contributed by Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.)

ONE great lesson which is being impressed on the people of Canada at the present time, and which cannot be emphasized too much is the need for thrift or economy. In this connection those in authority ought to set a worthy example to what Lincoln called "the Common People," of whom he is reported to have said, "The Lord must have loved them, because he made so many."

Farmers farm, "not for fun" as a man said to me one time, "but to make money." This may not be a high ideal for farmers or anyone else, but nevertheless it is a very necessary part in the lives of most farmers.

The chief value of winter dairying from an economical viewpoint is, that prices for milk, butter and cheese are always greater in winter than in summer, and if the producer of milk can keep winter production costs down to the level of summer costs, the gain in price for the milk, cream and butter sold in winter, is clear profit. Some claim that this cannot be done and that the extra cost of feed in winter, more than counterbalances the extra prices received for winter dairy goods.

This is probably true where the cow-feeder is obliged to purchase all his concentrates in the form of high priced dairy feeds, such as oilcake, cottonseed and gluten meals, but where a farmer is able to grow all his roughage, and at least one-half the meal ration, on his own farm, there is probably not so much difference between winter and summer milk costs, as some would suppose, especially on high-priced land. Where cheap, rough land is available for summer pasture, then summer milk can be produced comparatively cheap.

Another phase of milk production in winter worth considering is the labor problem. In winter there is more time to attend to the cows than in summer during the rush of work. Having the cows in a comfortable stable makes pleasant winter work looking after them. If at least half the herd be fresh during November and December, these cows will be going at their best time the following summer, and thus labor is more evenly and more economically distributed throughout the year. Winter dairying may be warmly commended to the people of the Province of Ontario who keep cows for profit.—Prof. H. H. Dean, Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph.

Simple Rules for Economical Feeding.

1. Grow as much of your own feed as possible.
2. Utilize roughages to the greatest degree possible.
3. Keep feeding stalls and pens well lighted, dry, clean and well ventilated.
4. Feed regularly.
5. Make changes in rations gradually.
6. Feed only what is eaten up clean and quickly at each feed.
7. Have clean fresh water before the stock at all times.
8. Study the individuality of each animal.
9. Feed mixtures where possible, as a variety of food is more palatable, and palatability is a factor in digestibility.
10. Cut feed to avoid waste.
11. Make a wide use of oats which should form the basis of all our grain rations.
12. Always be kind and quiet with the stock. It pays.
13. Study market values of feed, and compound balanced rations accordingly, in order that the cheapest available be used.
14. See that the stock gets regular and sufficient exercise.
15. Keep all feeding troughs, mangers and utensils clean.—Prof. Wade Toole, Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph.

The Proper Ration for Horses When the Fall Work Closes.

When the fall work is completed and the hard-worked horse is at the beginning of his long period of idleness, feeders naturally plan to change the ration and carry the horse through the winter as cheaply as possible. The horse should get exercise regularly. He should not be taken from regular hard work and tied up in a stall day in and day out. If possible, the work should gradually ease off and the feed, particularly the grain ration, should be cut down accordingly. The idle horse may be wintered almost wholly on roughages. Good clover hay, or better, a mixture of clover and timothy well cured will serve as the main winter feed. Roughages are always cheaper than grain, and where hay is available the grain ration of the idle horse should be very small, but if horses are fed straw in place of hay a small grain ration is required to keep them from losing in flesh. A few roots are beneficial, a good-sized turnip once a day or a few carrots will be found to aid digestion. If hay is not plentiful straw may be substituted at the noon feed and roots given with it. In feeding hay make the morning and noon ration smaller than the night feed, giving about as much at night as at the two other feeds. Idle horses should be fed three times daily. If any grain whatever is fed make it rolled oats and it is not necessary to give more than a quarter the amount used when the horses are at hard work provided plenty of good hay is available.—Prof. Wade Toole, Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph.

WINTER HOME FLOWERS

Brightening the Windows When Bloom Is Most Welcome.

Cleaning and Grading Grain—How a Good Fanning Mill Properly Operated Will Greatly Increase the Yield of Field Crops — Every Farmer Should Have One.

(Contributed by Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.)

TO insure a supply of flowers during early winter for the window it is necessary to have suitable plants started early in the fall. Among the best kinds for early winter flowering are a few of what are known by florists as Dutch bulbs. Of these there are only a few kinds or varieties that can be had in flower early in the winter. White Roman Hyacinths are very satisfactory for early flowering. The colored Roman Hyacinths are not as good, and do not flower as early as the White Romans. The loose growing, richly perfumed flowers of the White Romans are very pretty and acceptable. The Paper White Narcissus can also be had in flower early. French grown bulbs of the Trumpet Major Narcissus can also be had in flower in the window before Christmas by potting the bulbs toward the end of September, or not later than the end of October. All of these bulbs can usually be had early in October at seed stores. Pot the bulbs in rather sandy potting soil as soon as the bulbs can be obtained. The soil should not be too rich in fertilizers. Three or four bulbs can be put in a five-inch pot. The top of the bulbs should be just under the surface of the soil when potted. The surface of the soil should be about half an inch below the top of the pot for water space. Water the bulbs well as soon as potted and set the pots away in a cool, dark place in a dark cellar or cupboard until roots have well started, usually for about four or five weeks. When roots are well started, and possibly showing through the hole in the bottom of the flower pot, they should be brought into the window to flower. Keep the soil well moist, not too wet, until they are through flowering. Dutch Hyacinths and many other varieties of Narcissus (Daffodils), Tulips and Freesias can be potted in October or November, but few of them will flower until January or February.

Chinese Sacred Lilies.

Bulbs of these can be started in deep saucers or soup plates in October for early flowering. Set the bulbs firmly in the saucer and then fill the saucer or dish with fine gravel stones, so as to almost cover the bulbs. Fill the saucer up with water and set them away in a dark, cool place, as mentioned before, for about three weeks, until roots have well started, when they can be brought into the window to flower. These will flower in December. Keep the saucers filled up with water as required.

Callas, Epiphyllum or Xmas Cactus, Cyclamen, Primulas, several varieties of Begonia, especially the Gloire de Lorraine type of Begonias, are suitable for Christmas, as well as the dwarf Semperflorens type of Begonia that flower so profusely either in the window in winter or out of doors in the summer. Late flowering Chrysanthemums are also good for early winter decoration. All of these last named plants have to be grown expressly for the window or purchased from a florist. The bulbs named as suitable for early flowering can be grown with very little trouble and expense by any one who takes an interest in flowers and in flower growing. No plants or flowers give more satisfaction in winter than do the winter flowering bulbs before named.

Cleaning and Grading Grain.

These two farm operations may be accomplished at the same time and by the same means. The fanning mill is the most successful medium in obtaining this result and too much importance cannot be placed on the use of this machine. The successful operation of the fanning mill depends on two factors, that of wind blast and the use of sieves. The removal of light or inferior grain and the smaller and lighter weed seeds is almost wholly dependent on the wind blast. It also assists the sieves because it removes part of the grain which would otherwise have to pass through them and it prevents clogging in the sieves by light seed. The two most important sieves are those of the top and bottom. The top sieve should be just large enough to let the grain pass through and keep back the larger impurities. The bottom sieve should be of just sufficient size to keep back the good seed.

The utility of many fanning mills is impaired by the owner not possessing a full assortment of sieves and by his using poorly-fitting sieves, which allow weed seeds and grain to lodge in the mill. The efficiency of many fanning mills too is often lessened by the operator being in too much of a hurry." To obtain the best results, grain should pass slowly over the lower sieve. When the fanning mill is turned too rapidly or the lower sieve has too much slope, many of the smaller impurities will not be removed.

Well cleaned and well graded grain is not only free from weed seeds, other seeds, dirt and chaff but is larger in size, has greater uniformity, weighs heavier, is of better quality and is of stronger vitality than grain not so cleaned and graded. No farmer can afford to be without a good fanning mill and there are many farmers who would be much better off if they extended its use.— Dr. C. A. Zavitz, Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph.

When the soil is moist, but not sticky, the drag does the best work. The road will bake if the drag is used on it when it is wet.

Repairs to roads should be made when needed, and not once a year after crops are laid by.

ONTARIO'S BIG CROPS

Ensure Equal Crops Next Year by Attention to Seed Grain.

Larger Profits From Live Stock Made When Stables Are Given Thorough Cleanup — Live Stock Thrive Better In Dry, Well-Ventilated Stables.

(Contributed by Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.)

ONTARIO is fortunate this year in having a good supply of grain in almost all classes of crops. The more grain there is to select from, the better chance there is to get the very best seed for sowing in the spring. Too many farmers forget the seed supply for next year's crop until most of their grain is fed or sold.

If the best of this grain was set aside for seed at threshing time or taken from the grain bins before any of it was fed or sold, there would be less work of seed supplying in the spring and a foundation provided for better seed than is often sown.

Small, shrunken or broken seed has a feeding value nearly equal to that of large plump seed. The following results of seed selection experiments conducted at the Ontario Agricultural College at Guelph show, however, that there is very great difference in the value of these for seed purposes:—

Selections.	Weight per Measured Bushel (lbs.).	Tons of Straw per Acre.	Bushels of Grain per Acre.
Oats—			
Large Plump Seed	33.3	1.9	62.0
Medium - sized Seed	32.2	1.8	54.1
Small Seed	31.8	1.8	46.6
Barley—			
Large Plump Seed	49.5	1.5	53.8
Small Plump Seed	48.8	1.5	50.4
Shrunken Seed	49.1	1.4	46.0
Broken Seed	48.6	1.3	43.2
Spring Wheat—			
Large Plump Seed	59.1	1.4	21.7
Small Plump Seed	58.3	1.3	18.0
Shrunken Seed	56.9	1.2	16.7

(Oats were tested seven years, barley six, and spring wheat eight.)

Selecting the best seed from that which the farmer has available will not only provide large plump seed for sowing which will produce the most vigorous plants and the largest yield of best quality, but it will very largely eliminate any weed seeds which may be in the grain. — Dr. C. A. Zavitz, Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph.

Clean, Dry and Ventilate Stables.

Cleanliness, dryness and good ventilation are hygienic conditions very desirable in the housing of all kinds of live stock. Horses, cattle, sheep, hogs and poultry all do better and are less liable to contract infectious and contagious diseases when kept under such conditions than when dirt, dampness and poor ventilation are found in the stables in which they are housed. Undoubtedly, outbreaks of infectious and contagious diseases do occasionally occur in the best built and best kept stables, but the danger of these spreading is much less than where unhygienic conditions prevail.

Without doubt good stock has been produced under stable conditions that were not of the best, but the chances of producing and maintaining good healthy stock are much greater where cleanliness, dryness and good ventilation in the stables are the order of the day.

Dirt of all kinds, whilst it does not itself produce disease, is liable to harbor and foster the bacteria or other germs that do cause infectious disease, hence, so long as it is lying around inside the stables it is a source of danger to the stock.

If there is one class of stable more than another in which cleanliness is desirable it is the dairy stable. Milk is an ideal food for many varieties of bacteria as well as for human beings or live stock, and many varieties of bacteria are always present in stable dirt. Consequently, when dirt or stable dust gets into milk, many contaminating bacteria get in with it. It is the action of these bacteria in the milk that causes it to spoil either by souring or putrefaction. Consequently, one step in the production of good clean milk is to have it produced where there is little danger of dirt or dust getting into it.

Dampness is a great agent in the spreading and fostering of disease. Perhaps the one disease that it is most liable to induce is pneumonia. Many hogs are lost annually as a result of contracting pneumonia through being kept in low-lying, damp quarters. Dampness due to bad ventilation is very conducive to the development of various lung troubles with all kinds of stock. The damp stagnant air in badly-ventilated stables lowers the vitality, depresses the blood circulation and so puts the animals kept under these conditions in such a state as to make them ready subjects for the development of such diseases as tuberculosis, pneumonia, tuberculosis and others.—Prof. D. H. Jones, Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph.

Binder for Stone Road.

If a broken-stone road gets very heavy auto traffic then it must be laid with a tar or asphalt binder to keep the pieces of stone from grinding on each other and finally powdering up under traffic.

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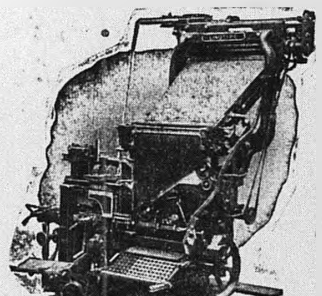
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A KINCARDINE SHOOTING

Young Man Charged With Shooting At Kincardine Miller Discharged —Train Of Circumstantial Evidence Did Not Convict William McKenzie

William McKenzie, a Toronto chap about 18 years of age, came up for trial before Judge Klein on Monday, charged with shooting at Mr. Rae, the miller at Kincardine.

The story in brief is as follows:—One evening Mr. Rae was milking his cow in the yard when a well dressed man about thirty years of age, wearing a grey coat and green soft hat, approached him. The stranger asked if he sold chicken feed. Mr. Rae said that he did, and asked him if he wished to get some, the stranger replying in the affirmative. Mr. Rae said that he would be through milking in a few minutes and would attend to his wants. Mr. Rae remarked that he was a stranger to him, and asked if he lived in town. The stranger replied that he was a stranger in town and was staying at one of the hotels. About the time Mr. Rae completed the milking of the cow, a team came into the yard and drove up for chop. Mr. Rae turned his attention to the man with the team naturally, and when he came to look for the man who wanted the chicken feed he was no where to be seen.

The following afternoon about four o'clock while Mr. Rae was engaged in the mill, two farmers drove in for chop and when Mr. Rae had them attended to, and after they drove away he decided to go down to the boiler room and start up the machinery. After everything was running smoothly he again decided to go upstairs to the main floor. Climbing up the steps to the main floor, and when fairly up, he heard a report and was hit in the back of the head. Another report followed, but by this time he had fallen to the floor below. Mr. Rae was stunned for a second, but upon gaining consciousness crawled over and shut off the engine. In doing so he noticed his man who had been after the chicken feed the evening before and who had passed the mill a few minutes previous while Mr. Rae was waiting on the farmers who were after chop at the engine room door. Mr. Rae again hastened up the stairs with his head bleeding, just in time to see him pass the mill door and away.

Young McKenzie, in appearance and age, did not answer to the description given by Mr. Rae, but two small boys gave a description of a man they saw running away, which tallied more closely. A young bank clerk, on the other hand, swore that McKenzie was in a pool room from three to four o'clock in the afternoon, the shooting having taken place at four o'clock.

After hearing the evidence Judge Klein took an hour to go over the difficult case. He found McKenzie was not guilty.

County Crown Attorney Dixon appeared for the Crown, R. J. Stewart for defendant.

High School Notes

Tuesday night witnessed great industry on the part of most pupils. The powers that be ordained that essays on the Victory Loan should be handed in on Wednesday, and, as a result, there was this increased diligence. Fourth formers were the exceptions to this rule; as, with their usual forethought, they had prepared for the evil day by laboring over their manuscripts while the sun shone. A great many of the students are entering the contest, and there is keen competition in all the forms. The decisions of the judges are awaited with breathless suspense and there is much speculation as to who will capture the medals to be awarded.

The students are going to canvass the town for newspapers and magazines next Saturday morning. They would be very grateful if the citizens would give them the old papers.

Judging by the buttons to be seen on the noble breasts of some of the pupils, a great many Victory Bonds were purchased by the patriots of Walkerton High School. It is estimated that fifteen hundred dollars worth of bonds were bought, a good showing for the school. The fourth form leads with an average of fifty dollar bond to each member.

BORN

GRAF—At Cargill, on Monday, Nov. 25th., to Mr. and Mrs. John Graf, (nee Ida Brahler,) a daughter.

ZAVITZ—At Walkerton, on November 20th., to Mr. and Mrs. Percy Zavitz, ((nee Mary Kelly) of Windsor, a son (Raymond Edmund.

A GREENOCK PIONEER

Mr. Michael Meagher, an old and Highly Respected Settler of Greenock Township, passes away in His Eighty-Seventh Year—One of the last survivors of Township's First Settlers.

Mr. Michael Meagher, one of Greenock's first stalwart pioneers, passed away at the home of his daughter Mrs. Daniel Kehoe, Kincardine Township on November eighteenth in his 87th., year. He had been ill about a week, death being due to old age. Mr. Meagher was born in the Province of New Brunswick, and came at an early age with his parents to Ashfield, Tp., County of Huron. A few years later when Greenock was opened up for settlement he came in and took a bush farm, lot 13, Con. 10. Greenock three miles West of Cargill. In this death almost the last survivor of the early settlers of that district is removed from the scene. Mr. Meagher endured all the hardships incident to pioneer life in the bush. Many a time he carried a cwt. of flour on his back seven miles from Enniskillen to his clearing. He was of stalwart build, not afraid of work, and in the old days few were as handy with an axe, when it came to getting the timbers ready for the log buildings. He was a warm-hearted friend and a good neighbor, ever ready to lend a helping hand. Mr. Meagher remembered well the first election in Greenock, when the two parties occupied opposite sides of the road at Enniskillen, each with a barrel of whiskey. Mr. Meagher was married to Miss Ellen Corrigan, of Kinloss Tp. who predeceased him forty years ago. About fifteen years ago he retired from the farm coming to Walkerton to reside with his youngest daughter. After her marriage he went to live with his daughter, Mrs. Kehoe, of Kincardine Township, at whose home he died. Three sons and three daughters survive. They are: John of Chepstow; Mrs. Dan Kehoe of Kincardine Tp.; Mrs. Bernard Keating of Langdon, N. Dakota; James, on the homestead, Greenock; Mac. of Young, Sask. and Mrs. James Hayes of Detroit. The funeral took place from the home of his son, John, at Chepstow, to Chepstow R. C. Cemetery.

Able To Be Out

Mr. Geo. D. McKay has recovered sufficiently from his recent attack of influenza and pneumonia, to come down to his office for a short time each day. Mr. McKay had a closer call than he realized, and though he has made a wonderful progress the past week it will be a month or so before he is really himself again.

Fractured the Knee-Cap

Miss Mae Hyslop, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Hyslop had the misfortune to take a misstep and fracture her knee-cap while coming downstairs in the dark at her boarding house at Kitchener. She was brought home after the accident and will be laid up for some time.

Doerr—Zettler

A popular young Brant couple, Miss Annie Zettler, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Zettler, and Mr. John Doerr, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Doerr of Chepstow, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony at the Walkerton R. C. Church on Tuesday morning at nine o'clock. The ceremony was performed by the bride's uncle, Rev. Father Zettler of Chepstow. The bride who was assisted by Miss Gertrude Doerr, sister of the groom, was prettily gowned in sand colored silk, the bridesmaid wearing a becoming dress of dark brown silk. Mr. Ambrose Zettler, brother of the bride, was best man. After the ceremony the company repaired to the home of the bride's parents where a sumptuous repast was served to a large company. In the evening a reception and dance was held at which a large company of friends were present and enjoyed a dance until the wee hours. Mr. and Mrs. Doerr, who have the best wishes of a wide circle of friends, will live on the groom's fine farm, opposite the Doerr homestead near Chepstow.

NOTICE

A meeting of the Special Committee appointed to deal with complaints against the Assessments to pay for the Town scavenger's work, will be held in the Town Hall on Friday evening the 29th., inst. at 7.30 p. m.

All those having complaints about this work not being done, or not properly done, are requested to attend and state their case to the Committee. The Town Scavenger is to attend this meeting.

The Committee will consider only those cases that are presented to the Committee at this meeting, and will consider all others as being correct.

BY ORDER
A. P. Johnston,
Mayor.

GREAT SERVICE RENDERED COUNTRY



CHARLES K. SUTTON

4th., Can. Div. formerly R.C.R., one of the first to enlist in Walkerton with the 1st. Contingent on Aug. 8th., 1914, and has served continually ever since. Was officially reported killed in action on Dec. 6th., 1915, by error.



WILLIAM R. SUTTON

Eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Sutton, now serving with the Canadian Navy, as engineer on a trawler on the hazardous work of mine-sweeping on the Atlantic.

The Sutton brothers are grandsons of the late Wm. Sutton Ex-Sheriff, who settled in the County of Bruce some 70 years ago in Kincardine, where he built the first grist mill in the Country in 1854 and was chiefly instrumental while in the County Council from 1863 to 1865 in getting Walkerton made the County town of Bruce. Their grandfather, Wm. Stubbs, served through the civil war under General Grant and their great great grandfather Wm. Matthews, fought in the battle of Waterloo.

Chas. K. and Wm. R. are sons of Richard K. Sutton of Walkerton who for several years has served as town councillor, relieving engineer at Waterworks, member of Walkerton Fire Brigade and Caretaker of the Walkerton Cemetery. Besides his two sons all their cousins have enlisted some of whom have been killed and wounded in action.

NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Miss Iva Taggart, a popular member of the Bell Tel. Staff, has resigned owing to her parents removing to Hanover.

Mr. Jacob Loos, Walkerton representative of the Swift Canadian Co., was out yesterday for the first time after nearly two weeks' sickness with stomach trouble.

Good Roads Member Here

Mr. D. J. Izzard County Supt., and the members of the Bruce Good Roads Committee of the County Council arrived in town last night to hold a regular meeting.

Left For West

Ted Wilhelm who returned a few months ago from Overseas, after three years hard service in France, left yesterday for Saskatchewan, to take a position under his brother, in a large general store.

Save Your Newspapers!

The High School pupils are beginning their newspaper collections again on Saturday Nov. 30, and will be glad if the public will let them have their old newspapers, magazines, rubbers, etc.

Wanted At Once

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Removing To Hanover

Mr. D. H. Taggart and family, are leaving shortly for Hanover where Mr. Taggart has taken a position in a furniture factory. Mr. and Mrs. Taggart have resided in Walkerton over twenty years and their departure will be regretted by their many friends. Mr Taggart is an official of Knox Church and has been active in every movement for the betterment of the Town. In the I.O.D.E. and in all patriotic work, Mrs. Taggart has been an indefatigable helper, whose presence will be much missed.

PAY IN ADVANCE

Recent advices from Ottawa seem to indicate more surely that the Canadian government will follow the lead of the United States authorities in requiring newspapers and magazine subscriptions to be paid in advance. The purpose of this measure is the conservation of news print paper.

The increase cost of everything used in the production of a newspaper makes it imperative that The Telescope should have no unpaid subscription on its books. Please examine the label on your paper. If you find that you are in arrears do not delay but make your remittance at once, either by express or postal not, if you are too far away to make a personal call at The Telescope office.

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Rittinger Interest Sold

Mrs. Rittinger, widow of the late J. Rittinger, formerly publisher of the Glocke, has sold her interest in the Ontario Journal, now published in English at Kitchener, to W. D. Euler, M. P. of Kitchener.

Moves To New Office

Mr. T. E. Attwood's office is to be moved across the street shortly to quarters in connection with his residence.

Not Much Change

Mr. T. E. Attwood, who went to Toronto last week for medical treatment returned home on Friday night. Mr. Attwood's condition is about the same with not much change from day to day.

Sprained His Knee

Graeme Kirsthue, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kirsthue, South Line, Brant, sprained his knee rather badly while scuffling with some High School companions yesterday afternoon, requiring the doctor's attention.

THE CHRISTMAS FAIR

Will be Held On Thursday, December 19th.—Strong Line-up of Officers and Directors Named At Organization Meeting Thursday Night.

A public meeting was called at the Council Chamber Thursday to ascertain the probability of holding a Christmas fair for 1918.

The Meeting was called to order and Mr. R. Goode was appointed chairman and D. McKerracher Secretary.

It was then moved by H. Irwin seconded by R. Kreuger that the Christmas Fair be held again this year on Dec. 19th. Carried.

The following officers were then elected, R. Goode Pres., A George Vice Pres., and D. McKerracher Sec. Treas.

On motion of J. O'Neill and R. Kreuger the following Directors were elected—Dr. Fortune, N. C. McKay, J. H. Ernest, J. Skelton, A. Wesley, H. Irwin, R. Irwin, Jno. Vogt, A. O'Neill, J. Hunter, Jno. Erdman, I. Glintz, R. Kreuger, Jno. O'Neill, A. G. McLennan, A. Weir, Ed. Tolton, Jno. Rupp, E. Rennie, J. Rainsbottom, Albert Waechter, J. J. Zettler, A. Oberle, W. J. McNalley, J. Miehlhausen, Henry Hoefeldt, N. Brocklebank, A. Stevens.

A number at different Committee were appointed to look after the different classes on the fair day.

The Canvassers will be:—James Skelton, Andrew O'Neill, Robert Irwin, W. H. McIlurney, C. S. Stephan.

The Sec. was instructed to write a number of good men in order to get their services as Judges. Everything points to having the Xmas Fair bigger and better than ever.

The next meeting is to be held in the Agricultural office on Tuesday 26th, at 8. p. m.

Under the Dominion Inspection and Sales Act a bushel of potatoes must weigh 60 lbs., a peck must weigh 15 lbs., and a gallon 7½ lbs. A bag of potatoes must weigh 90 lbs. and a barrel must contain 165 lbs. of potatoes. A purchaser of bags of potatoes who receives less than 90 lbs. may invoke the penalties provided in the Act—for the first offence a fine exceeding $25, for each subsequent offence a fine of not less than $50, with imprisonment in default of payment.

Christmas Fair Dec. 19th

The Christmas Fair Committee has started to work, enthusiastically to make this year's show bigger and better than ever. The Canvasses report that they are meeting with a good reception from the business men and farmers. The prize-list will be further extended and everything points to a successful Fair this year.

Flag-Kissing Aftermath

The sequel to the flag-kissing incident is to be staged, we understand in the Bruce County Court. Barrister O. E. Klein is issuing a writ on behalf of his client, Fred Stade of Brant charging five different parties with trespass and assault, and on behalf of John D. Bell and sisters of Carrick, a similar writ against ten parties.

FINED $300 AND COSTS

Reeve Filsinger of Carrick Found Guilty At Walkerton Police Court.

Reeve Moses Filsinger of Carrick appeared before Magistrate Chapman of Port Elgin and McIntosh of Southampton at the Town Hall here last Thursday morning charged with violating the censorship orders by utterances made at Mildmay in June. The Magistrate found him guilty and inflicted a fine of $300 and costs amounting to $101.25. Filsinger made the remarks he was charged with making while he was about to board the train at Mildmay as a delegate to the Farmers Convention in Toronto. He claimed he was repeating what he had heard at the previous farmers' convention at Ottawa. The charge of which he was found guilty was that "without lawful excuse or authority, contrary to the Consolidated Orders respecting censorship of making statements regarding the treatment of Canadian soldiers, which tend to weaken, or in some way detract from, the united effort of the people of Canada in the prosecution of the war, in words or to the effect that the soldiers who had enlisted in Canada and gone Overseas were sold at eight dollars a head like little pigs."

He was defended by Barrister O. E. Klein, and the Crown prosecutor was Mr. F. Davidson, K. C. of Toronto.

The charge against Reeve Filsinger of making seditious utterances which was to have come up at the Fall Assizes this week, has been dropped.

TO THE FARMING PUBLIC

Last week a piece appeared in the Telescope that we had closed up our Walkerton Cream station. We wish to advise the public that we have been perfectly satisfied with the business we have had in Walkerton, and during the winter our patrons will ship their cream to us and save the expense of driving over to Walkerton, during the cold weather. But don't forget we will open again in the Spring, and pay you spot cash for your cream.

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Tenders Wanted

Tenders willbe received up to the 18th. day of December for the Building of a wooden Bridge, Concrete Abutments at each end, over the Teeswater River and known as Symons Bridge. Tenders may be separate or in the whole, both timber and Concrete.

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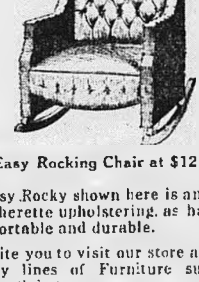
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Happenings of the Week Collected for the Readers of The Telescope by a Staff of Wideawake Correspondents

OTTER CREEK

...ay, and Mrs. E. D. Becker, of ...dmay visited at Mr. David Gress' ...Tuesday last.

Mr. Wilfrid Gress and Miss Annie Gress and Mr. Edward Fenner and Mr. George Miller motored to Kitchener, Galt and other points and enjoyed a very pleasant visit with their former pastor, Rev. C. F. Brown of Elmira and with Miss Edna Gress who is attending the Business College at Kitchener.

Miss Katherine Gress returned home from nursing the family of Mr. Jacob Otte of Ayton who were sick with the flu.

Mrs. Ezra Damm is spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Damm of Alsfeld.

Mrs. Philip Gress and family were attending the funeral service of Mr. Ezra Damm held at Alsfeld on Sunday Nov. 24th. Rev. E. D. Becker of Midmay preached in the German language and Rev. S. Schroeder in the English language and Rev. A. Sauer of Hanover led in prayer. The church was filled to the uttermost showing the deep respect held for the beloved Christian brother. Rev. Schroeder and Miss A. Damm of Alsfeld sang, "He Shall Wipe the Tear From Every Eye." Rev. E. D. Becker preached on the need of sympathy in the time of sickness and trouble, which sank deeply into the hearts of the congregation. Then Rev. Mr. Schroeder preached a very impressive sermon telling how the prospect of a young life of high ideals of Christian service was cut short. The departed brother was a very intimate friend of his pastor. During his sickness he always bore with a pleasant smile that only those leaning on the Lord for guidance have on their countenance. Bro. Ezra Damm was born, said Mr. Schroeder, in Normanby Township, on February, 17, 1893, and passed away on Oct. 19 1918, having reached the age of 25 yrs. 8 mon. and 2 days. About 9 years ago he was led to consecrate his life to God and since his conversion he lived a faithful consistent Christian life. On Oct. 11th., last he was joined in holy wedlock to Miss Lillian Gress of Walkerton. Hopefully the happy couple looked into the future for a life of companionship and home making and of service together in God's vineyard, but these plans were early broken off for soon after the marriage ceremony was performed the deceased took to bed a victim of Spanish Influenza. For eight days he put a brave struggle for life but in spite of all that medical aid and loving hands could do he passed away.

Ezra was highly esteemed by all who knew him. His aim was to please God with a life of service. To this end he spent his spare time in reading, meditation, and preparation for the service to which he devoted his life. At the time of his departure he held the office of class leader, was Pres. of the Y.P.A. teacher in the S.S. and member of the Teacher Training Class. He is being greatly missed in the service of the Church which he so much loved.

A very striking incident in connection with his sickness is the fact that one night he felt sustained to leave a message. Arising from his bed, and securing a pen, he wrote in the wedding booklet at the top of the page.

"Warning"

Below this he had left the following messages.

To his father—God bless thee and keep thee.

To his brothers and sisters—Children obey your parents.

To his loving bride—Lillian trust in Jesus.

To his pastor, Bro. Schroeder preach the Gospel.

We firmly believe that he has been called to a higher service, and that he was prepared to answer the call, for when Bro. Becker and I visited him he bore testimony to his living faith in Christ.

He leaves to mourn his sudden departure—heart broken widowed bride, deeply sorrowing parents, 5 sisters two brothers, one of whom is in His Majesty's service overseas.

CULROSS CENTRE

Mr. and Mrs. William Becking visited at the home of James Grant Sunday.

Miss Romelda Parker visited friends at Walkerton Sunday.

Miss Ella Moore of Riversdale is visiting her aunt, Mrs. James Valad, this week.

Miss Elsie Grant is visiting friends at Wingham this week.

Mr. William Becking had the company of Hanover friends Sunday.

MILDMAY

Prof. De Alva's British Entertainers are giving a series of concerts in town this week. This is the Bauhan or Banyan medicine company that made its rounds here last winter. It would be a good thing for our town if shows like this were prohibited as they take out a lot of money and leave nothing in return.

The water tank at the Fire Hall which was a large wooden stave tub or barrel is being dug out this week and replaced with a fine cement tank of larger capacity than the former one.

Mr. W. F. Wendt is building a garage on his premises this week.

The presentation of the National Badge of Honour to soldiers of the Soil took place last Thursday evening in the Town Hall. Twenty boys were on the list to receive badges but only nine were present. After this ceremony our former townsman Dr. J. R. Wilson was presented with a gold headed cane suitably inscribed and an address which was delivered by J. A. Johnston while Mr. J. T. Kidd presented the cane. The Dr. made a fine and interesting speech after this and said that no matter where he was he would come back to Midmay to welcome the boys when they return. He also said that he had a hard time to convince the people of Howick that we in Carrick were patriotic. He also related some laughable stories. Short speeches followed this by J. A. Johnston, J. T. Kidd, Dr. Doering. The Meeting closed with the National anthem. An after meeting was held to discuss what plans should be followed to give the boys a royal welcome.

The death of Mr. David Wildfang of Con. 10 near Neustadt occurred last week the funeral taking place on Sunday.

Mr. Joe Kunemann of Deemerton died on Monday morning from the Spanish Flu. The funeral took place on Wed. morning.

Father Haller of Deemerton is very ill with the Flu.

Some of the young people held a dance in the Town Hall last Tuesday evening. Steffler Bros. orchestra supplied the music.

HANOVER

Word recently received in town from France stated that Sergt. F. Leask of Hanover had been promoted to Battery Sergt.-Major.

Archie Patterson, brakeman on the "Cement Limited," had his chest injured recently when the engine was thrown off the track by a block of concrete, and he was crushed between the engine and the wall of tunnel. He is getting along well and will soon be able to resume his duties.

Miss Irene Heath died at Listowel on November 12 in her 24th. year. She was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Heath and formerly lived in Hanover. Death was the result of pneumonia.

An auto owned by a Paisley man was stolen from where it stood in front of Mr C. Diebbl's residence here last Friday night by four young fellows. Constable Bramish was notified at once by telephone and he gave chase. The boys left the car near Mr. Aug. Burkardt's and "beat it" on foot. They have not yet been apprehended but the Constable has his hunt out.

CARGILL

Mr. Woods and family moved here from Kincardine last week.

Mrs. Jas. Alexander was in Owen Sound last week to see her brother who was seriously ill and who passed away after she arrived.

Mr. Gray of Toronto visited his daughter Mrs. Brisker last week.

Mr. W. Palmer of Brussels is cutting staves at the mill this week.

Mrs. H. Moffat and son Norman are visiting friends near Guelph.

Dr. Haigmeyer and Mr. Wildfang of Kitchener Ont. spent Friday and Saturday at Mr. Wm. Russell's.

Flyer Henry Parker of Beamsville Ont. spent Sunday at his parents' home on the Elora Road.

Mr. Ed Crawford has left the employ of the Dominion Well Supply Co. and accepted a position at Stratford with the G. T. R. We are glad to hear Mr. Crawford does not intend moving from the village at present at least.

Mrs Geo. Welsford shipped her furniture to Sarnia, on Tuesday where she and her husband will reside in future.

Lieut. J. Clark of Pickering Ont. is visiting his sister, Mrs. F. Balsdon.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Grainger returned to Chatham on Tuesday.

GLAMIS

Mrs. L. H. Tufford, and babe of Beamsville are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McKeenan.

Mrs. John Wrightson spent a few days with relatives on 4th. Con. Bruce.

Mr. Redvers Johnston, arrived home from the West last week and will spend the winter with his Uncle and Aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Groves.

Mr. John and Miss Margaret Currie have both been very ill with the flu, but we are pleased to report they are both able to be up again.

Patrick O'Reilly of Eden Grove has been pressing hay in this neighborhood.

Mrs. J. K. McLennan is on the sick list again. We hope for her speedy recovery.

PINKERTON

The Bradley Gun Club held their annual "shoot" on Friday afternoon, when some excellent shooting was done on both sides. In the evening the members held a dance in the Forester's Hall where about twenty couples enjoyed themselves tripping the light fantastic.

Rev. Mr. Burgess of Walkerton, conducted the Preparatory services in the Presbyterian Church on Friday and made a very favourable impression on his initial appearance here.

At the time of writing, Mrs. N. Fitzsimmons of the village is very ill, suffering from an attack of pneumonia which followed a chill contracted on Friday last.

Practising for the annual Christmas Tree held in the Presbyterian Church here begins on Saturday and a turn-out of all the children hoped for.

CHEISTOW

After a short illness there passed away at the home of his daughter Mrs. Kehoe of Kincardine, one of the pioneers of Bruce in the person of Mr. Michael Meagher at the advanced age of 87 years. He is survived by three daughters and three sons as follows: John and James on the homestead, Michael of Young, Sask. (Mary) Mrs. Kehoe of Kincardine, (Lizzie) Mrs. Hayes of Belmore and (Nellie) Mrs. Keaton of Mt. Carmel, N. Dak. The remains were interred in the R. C. cemetery here on Wednesday morning.

Mrs. R. Zettel returned on Saturday from an extended visit with friends in Walkerton.

Mr. Denis Phalen had a successful ploughing bee one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Schutzski attended the Zettler—Doerr wedding in Walkerton on Tuesday.

A pretty wedding was solemnized in the R.C. church on Monday morning when Mrs. Christina Wagner was united in matrimony to Mr. Erasmus Fritz, Rev. Father Zettler officiating. The bride who was becomingly attired in a gown of navy blue silk was attended by her niece Miss Rose Wagner, while Mr. Val Schuster made an able groomsman. After the ceremony the happy couple repaired to the bride's home where a sumptuous wedding breakfast was served, where they received the congratulations of friends and were the recipients of many beautiful presents. We wish them all health and prosperity in their wedded life.

CULROSS COUNCIL

Town Hall, Tuesday Nov. 12th. Council met as above. Members all present. Reeve in the chair. Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

McPherson—Keffer That Jas. Thompson have the road gravelled at lot 24 and pt. of 22 Con. 34 and 35 as the road is in bad shape.—Carried.

Thompson—Keffer That as the 30 ch. sideroad needs repairing. That Thos. McPherson have the same attended to as soon as possible.—Carried.

Keffer—McPherson That Jno. Armstrong have about 60 rods gravelled on 1st. sideroad Con. 9 as it is reported to be in bad shape.—Carried.

Armstrong—Thompson That we appoint the Reeve and Clerk to collect all accounts in connection with the Greitz and Keffer drain and have all accounts in connection with the drain settled for as soon as possible.—Carried.

McPherson—Thompson That as a petition has been presented to this Board by Jas. Collison and others asking to have a drain constructed to drain a wet area of land described as follows lots 23, 24, 25, 26, and 27 Con. 12 and lots 23, 24, 25, 26, and 27 Con. 13 and also road allowance That C. A. Jones our engineer make a survey of the locality and have it ready for construction as soon as the river is dredged.—Carried.

Keffer—McPherson That Jno. Armstrong be applicated to have the 9th. sideroad Con. 12 graded and gravelled and also repair culvert. To have the same done as he thinks best.—Carried.

McPherson—Keffer That Jas. Thompson have a piece of new gravel at lots 22, 23 and 24 Con. 12 dragged as soon as possible.—Carried.

Keffer—Armstrong That we grant $15.00 to be expended by Jno. Armstrong.—Carried.

ACCOUNTS PASSED

Huch McDonald, digging ditch Con. 5 & 6 ..... 28 50

Hugh McDonald, work on gravel 5 00

Walter Howe selecting jurors 4 00

Jas. Bay inspecting sheep killed by dog 2 00

Jas. Day putting in culvert 25th. sideroad 6 00

Pius. Elliott 45 yds. gravel and road 7 88

Jas. Hauck for gravel on boundary Carrick 1 75

Wm. Case selecting jurors and inspecting drain 14 00

Earl Conlick repairing bridge Con. 2 & 3 ..... 7 50

John McLean bridge covering on Con. 2 & 3 ..... 18 90

Harry Pennell 2 culverts Con 10 and bridge 12 60

W. J. Hunt road drills 8 00

Council adjourned to meet again on Monday Dec. 16th., or at the call of the Reeve.

HOME GARDEN CONTEST

List of Prizewinners in the Schools of Brant and Carrick Township.

The prizewinners of the competition in Brant and Carrick Township Schools during the past summer is published below. This competition is for boys and girls who have left school and in all gave thirteen different kinds of vegetables. In a garden 20 X 20 ft. The seed is supplied by the Dept. of Agr. and plots are inspected during the summer by the Agr. Representative. The list is furnished us by Mr. N. F. McKay, Agricultural Representative.

1. Kathleen James. 2. Alvin Munk. 3. Beirl Johnston. 4. Ruby Forster. 5. Goldie Mutmer. 6. Bertha Fiddis. 7. Madeline McCartney. Henry Pfaff 9. Harriet Phalen. 10. Clara Lauferton.

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THE year 1917 provided, both in the United States and in Ontario, conditions very unfavorable for the production of good seed corn. Excess of moisture in the crop was followed by freezing and these conditions resulted in one of the worst seed corn years in a generation. As a result of this, much of the seed corn sown in Ontario in 1918 was of poor, if not of the least, of varieties that were late in maturing. A very high percentage of this corn which will be used for seed next year, now contains a large amount of moisture. To make this corn of the greatest value for seed purposes, it should be harvested, if possible, before the first frost and thoroughly dried. Maturity is one of the essentials in producing good seed corn, but a close important is the thorough drying of the seed.

It is not even necessary for corn to be frozen before some of its vitality, it will deteriorate at ordinary temperatures if not well dried. When freezing occurs, greater loss in vitality is experienced. Corn which is harvested with an excess of moisture should be dried as rapidly as possible as this removes the danger of injury from moulding, fermenting and freezing. In the process of drying, a free circulation of air should be provided and, if necessary, artificial heat used. Seed corn can be most readily dried when stored in the ear.

Where the corn is well matured and is grown in large quantities, the corn-crib provides one of the most satisfactory drying mediums, as it supplies the best of air circulation along with protection against storms and vermin.

A post in which a number of nails are driven at an angle of forty-five degrees, and the ears stuck on the protruding ends, provides a good medium for drying seed corn ears. These posts with a platform at the base may be readily removed to places where artificial heat can be used if necessary.

Where relatively small amounts of seed corn are used, selected ears may be hung up to dry in the attic, kitchen or furnace room.

Corn which has been thoroughly matured and thoroughly dried gives the highest percentage and most vigorous germination, but seed corn which has reached the dough or firm dough stage of maturity, when harvested, if well dried, usually makes good seed. When thoroughly dried and surrounded by dry atmosphere, even zero weather will not injure the germination of seed corn.—Prof. W. J. Squirrell, Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph.

Lge, Guelph.

Straw for Idle Horses.

Straw is a feed very high in fibre and the horse's digestive system is not suited to the liberal use of this roughage. It is not a suitable feed for horses at hard work, but during the winter months may be used to advantage where hay is scarce, and particularly if a little grain is fed along with it. It is just a question whether it is more economical to feed good hay and no grain than it is to feed a percentage of bright straw and a ration of crushed oats. Only clean, bright straws should be used for horses and one to two pounds per day, replacing hay should be found advantageous under certain circumstances. We have seen horses wintered in good condition on oat straw and a light grain ration. If hay were available for a light feed once a day the other two feeds could be composed of straw, and little grain would be required than where the entire roughage ration was straw. Oat straw makes the best feed, barley straw coming second and wheat and rye straw last. A few roots may be used to good advantage with the straw, and under no circumstances is it good policy to skimp horses on straw without supplementing it with at least one or two light feeds of oats per day.—Prof. Wade Toole, Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph.

Hints on Harvesting Root Crops.

Root crops should be taken up before the weather becomes too wet and dangerous for the fall if in any quantity. It is also work at any time and becomes much more unpleasant in damp conditions. Lift the roots with a digging fork and twist off the tops, putting them in piles and covering with the tops. If a heavy crop is to be lifted and one is pressed with a heavy hoe he can very quickly remove the tops, but this will not keep quite as well. The roots should be ploughed out, throwing them as much as possible on the top. Bins with slatted sides and bottom should be used for storage where possible, as this gives the roots a chance to sweat. If the outside frost temperature is above 40 degrees F. cover them with sand. Carrots should not be deeper than two feet in a bin, others may be four feet. Where cellar storage is not available use pits. These should be three feet wide, of any three feet high and of any length. Pack the pits earth and south where possible and have them on well drained ground. Put a layer of straw on the ground and cover first with straw six inches deep, then six inches earth, and then frost coat longer cover with fresh straw mixture. Have ventilators every 15 or 20 feet of all roots sweat in storage. These may be filled with straw during cold periods.

All roots should be as free from dirt as possible when put in storage. It is often advisable to leave a few days in small piles on the land and lifting and gathering will be removed.—A. H. MacLennan, B.S.A., Ontario Vegetable Specialist.

BREEDING SHETLAND PONIES IN CANADA



Edith of Transy and her foal, and a foal she is nursing besides.

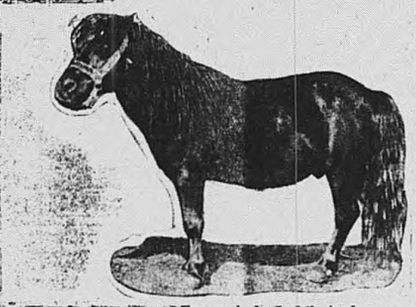


Youthful visitors—the two children on the left belong to Mr. Percy Cowans, of Montreal, who takes an active interest in the Victory Loan Campaign.

IT was in 1912 that Mr. T. B. Macaulay, President of the Sun Life Assurance Company of Canada, first imported Shetland ponies to Canada, but long before this date he had made a careful and very close study of the breeding of these ponies. It was, therefore, very natural that during Mr. Macaulay's visit to the north of Scotland he looked for and secured the best possible pedigreed ponies. On his beautiful estate, which is situated on the Heights at Hudson, Quebec, near Montreal, there are today some of the most famous pure-bred Shetland ponies in existence. The Canadian Pacific Railway passes through part of the estate and passengers to Point Fortune and Ottawa, there very often wondered to whom the little jet-black ponies belong.

Mount Victoria Pony Stud Farm at Hudson Heights welcomes visitors. It is a sight well worth seeing. Ponies of all types can be seen—from the tiny twelve or eighteen inch foal to the father of the herd, Silver Star of Transy, champion of all Scotland, who stands but thirty-six inches in height. Possessed of a long mane and tail Star looks the part. He is jet black and although ten years old is in prime condition. Then there is Edith of Transy, another prize winner, and a fine type of genuine Shetland pony.

Another pony that all visitors see is old Dorothea. She is just thirty years old, but you can't tell her age by just looking at her, for she looks quite as well as the three year olds. She is one of the most famous Shetlands in the world, with a concentration of the best blood in Shetland



Champion Silver Star of Transy, the head of the herd.

Prince and Thule, the strain which Dr. Donald, author of "The Shetland Pony," says is the source of the best riding blood in the breed. Dorothea is believed to be the only Shetland now riding-to-day which is practically pure bred to Prince of Thule on both sides.

The ponies in the herd are black, chestnut and white, and black and white. Ponies suited especially for the use of children are bred, while experiments are being conducted to produce a new breed of pony by cross-

ing pedigreed Shetland mares with a prize winning Hackney pony stallion. This is calculated to bring out a pony with all the gentle characteristics of the Shetland and all the fine action of the Hackney pony.

Besides ponies and all the stock that is found is a prosperous farm there is a herd of elk on the slopes of Hudson Heights. These run loose winter and summer and add to the attractions of one of the beauty spots near Montreal.

J. E. C. S.

Mysterious Subterranean Chambers



Under six feet of snow.

THE Nakimu Caves at Glacier, B.C., whose mysterious subterranean chambers, washed out of the marble heart of a Canadian Rocky Mountain by a glacial river, are reached in summer from an Alpine meadow six thousand feet high, surrounded by beautiful snow-clad peaks, though the meadow itself is gay with flowers. In winter, however, the snow falls deep, and in early spring Mr. Deutschman, who originally discovered these caves, and who is employed by the Canadian Government to show them to passing tourists, has to prospect for the entrance, which may lie ten feet under a snow drift. All around are the tracks of wild animals which pass this way in winter over the Baloo Pass to the heights where only the keenest hunter is likely to follow them—grizzly bear, mountain lion, wolf, caribou, goat and mountain sheep. In summer, of course, the fiercer animals are, but rarely seen, but the whistling marmots come and play around the cabin door, cheekily begging bread from the luncheon sandwiches, while overhead the eagle flies in lazy circles watching for his own prey. The caves themselves are entirely uninhabited, and so far no man have

Mr. Deutschman digging for the main entrance to caves.

been discovered in the waters of the river. Under the blaze of a magnesium ribbon, however, there is scenery enough, and to spare—the marble flowered walls contrasting strangely with the water worn floor. Up to the present no one has discovered what becomes of the torrent which rages through the caves. It does not find any exit in the Illecillewaet Valley below, but there are strange springs on the mountain side forty miles away, which Mr. Deutschman suspects to be connected with this subterranean river.

J. C. S. B.

THE KNOX W. M. S.

Hear An Instructive and Inspiring Address On the Work In Western Canada By a Missionary Miss McLaren, at Their Thankoffering Meeting

The Women's Missionary Society Knox Church held its annual Thankoffering meeting on the 18th., inst.

The meeting opened with a hymn and prayer, after which Mrs. W. H. Burgess read the Scripture lesson, the 66th., and 67 th. Psalms of Thanksgiving. Members of the Mission Band sang a hymn, followed by a very interesting address by Miss McLaren, a general stocktaking account of the work of the Society. The Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church was organized to train and educate strangers coming into our land to make their homes with us. There have been as many as one hundred and ten different languages spoken in Toronto alone, and in one schoolground in Winnipeg twenty different languages were spoken. But through time English was learned by them.

Hospitals are the entrance to the hearts of these people. The basis on which the Society works is to get the children educated and Christianized.

A few years ago a large number of Hindoos landed in British Columbia and settled there. Steps were taken to make them welcome, and they became loyal British subjects. They have been trained so that they take prizes for produce and stock at Agricultural contests. When the rush for gold was made to British Columbia hospitals were opened and nurses sent to help these people. Day schools were also opened.

There are Quakers in our midst also as they accepted the offer Britain gave them when they were driven from their own land and settled here.

Ruthenians are another race of people being benefited by the Missionary Societies. These are largely trained in school homes. They take great pride in their lessons, and equal the Canadian children in ability and excel them in application. The hearts of the parents are won by training the children thus.

In Manitoba schools are established for Indians. These people were the original owners of that wealthy country, but the Government bought it for five dollars and a blanket. In the recent war there were twelve hundred of these Indians fighting. Girls are being trained for nurses. Boys are sent to schools and Collegiates, and some of these have been educated to the extent of translating large portions of the Bible into their own language. Some are ministers. Large home schools are kept up for these Indian children, who attend to the age of eighteen, and are taught everything.

In Manitoba there are also Jews, chiefly in the cities, and in Quebec there are French Canadians to be trained and taught the gospel.

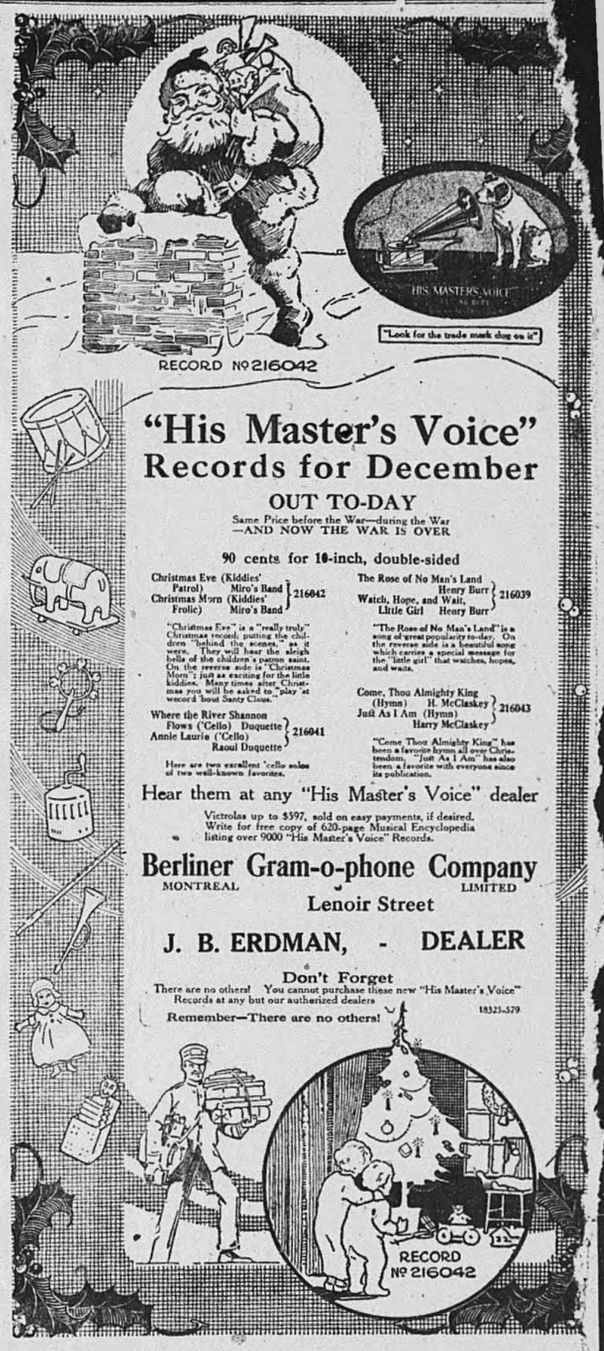
Unmade material in large quantities issued at these different schools both west and east of us to give the children the opportunity to sew. Many of these schools have farms connected with them, and the boys raise Crops, and make money in that way. Girls receive a number of years of training there also, and go out afterwards to start Mission Schools for others, and thus the work goes on. The Women's Missionary Society in all its different branches aids extensively in the upbuilding of our fair Canada.

Two dollars in talent money which a number of the members of Knox Church Mission Band have been making to grow during the summer was handed in and totalled nearly thirty dollars.

After the dedicatory prayer the meeting closed with a hymn and prayer.

A SUNDAY BOAT RIDE

Two young men from near Stoney Island, had a boating xperience last Sunday that they will not forget for a while, says the Kincardine Review. They went out for a row on Old Huron and while the craft was seaworthy, the accoutriments were not of the Ned Hanlan type. A short pole and a paddle were all the propelling accesories available. Just after they had left the shore they had dropped the paddle and had nothing but the pole left to supply the necessary energy to complete a successful trip. About this time a storm suddenly arose and they were carried out upon the lake. It was a rough night and they had decided that they were having heir last boat ride. After being tossed about all night and nearly perishing, as one of them had no coat on, the wind shifted to the west and the craft landed about three miles north of Inverhuron. They were taken home that day and have been under the doctor's care ever since. It is expected that they will recover.



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TOWN AND DISTRICT NEWS

There has been a new issue of three cent stamps by the Dominion Government. The former mark I.T.C. which meant 1 cent war tax has been eliminated on the new stamps and the postage is now straight postage rate without any extra war tax included.

Miss Rolston, missionary organizer of the Walkerton district, gave a very interesting address to the Women's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church, Paisley, on Thursday afternoon at the earnestness, which was very much appreciated by the many members and visitors present.—Paisley Advocate.

"My friends, have you ever heard of the town of No-Good, on the banks of the River Slow, where the Some-Time or Other scents the air and the soft Go-Easies grow? It lies in the valley of What's-the-Use, in the province of Let-Her-Slide; its the home of the reckless I-Don't-Care, where the Give-It Ups abide. The town is as old as the human race and it grows with the flights of years; it is wrapped in the fog of the idler's dreams; its streets are paved with discarded schemes and are sprinkled with useless tears.

Early Closing At Strathroy

A by-law ordering all grocery stores in Strathroy to close at 5.30 o'clock p.m. on week days and 10.30 o'clock on Saturday nights, from November 20th, 1918, to April 1, 1919, is being presented to the mayor and town council for their sanction for the purpose of saving fuel and electric power. The butcher shops and dry goods stores have started to close at 5.30 already.

Cutting-Down B. C. of L.

Some persons have been busy the past couple of weeks at Southampton laying in a supply of bedding and fine linen for the winter, and without cost either, so far. We heard of four clothes lines which have been visited recently and a lot of the weight on the line removed. In one case it was a good supply of underwear, in a couple of others supplies of bedspreads, blankets etc. were secured, and in another case a nice assortment of choice linen. In the most recent cases the "lifting" was done before 10 p.m. The frequency with which offenders along this line escape in this town would seem to indicate it is a good method of keeping down the high cost of living, providing of course that you have a conscience which doesn't condemn such actions.—Beacon.

A Fighting Porker

Mr. Geo. Heath had an adventure last week that he won't forget for a time. It was something like a boar hunt in Bavaria, except that he hadn't his gun along, and he wasn't the hunter. About 9.30 p.m. he heard his dog barking desperately, and concluded that he should see what was the cause of the alarm. It turned out to be a visit from a stranger to the Heath premises, Mr. Sam Pollock's old sow having wandered away from home. George undertook to drive the old porkine lady away, but to this she strenuously objected, retaliating by leaping at her human tormentor like a wild beast of the forest. Her teeth caught the waistband of George's trousers and tore the nether garments down one side to the knee, but without leaving a mark on his hide. George was prostrated by the punting blow, but was on his feet, again in an instant, and quickly armed himself with a club, which was too much for the woofing belligerent. The next morning the sow was still at large and down town. Two other men had to use striking weapons to make her move away. Mr. Pollock has since sold the beast for shipment, and she will soon be due for the last encounter with human hand.—Paisley Advocate.

BE HAD A LOT OF SENSE

There was a young man and he had a lot of sense. He started up in business on a dollar eighty cents. The dollar for stock and the eighty for an ad. brought him three lovely dollars in a day, by dad!

Well, he bought more goods, and a little more space, and he played that system with a smile on his face.

The customers flocked to his two-by-four, and soon he had to hustle for a regular store. Up on the square, where the people pass, he gobbled up the corner that was all plate glass. He fixed up the window with the best that he had and told them all about it in a half page ad.

He soon had 'em coming and he never, never, quit, and he couldn't put down his ads. one bit. And he's kept things humping in the town ever since, and everybody calls him the Merchant Prince.

Some say it's luck, but that's all bunk; why, he was doing business when the times were punk!

People have to purchase, and this man was wise—for he knew the way to get 'em was to advertise.

Start now and do the Christmas shopping. It is not too early.

One million dollars in cash was paid out by the Dominion Sugar Company last week to growers of sugar beets in the Chatham district for this year's crop.

Dr. R. H. Fortune handled the Tp. of Normanby alone in regard to subscriptions for the Victory Loan. The objective was $100,000, and the township exceeded its amount by 25 per cent. which entitles it to an honor Flag and British Crown as well. The hustling clerk of Normanby is to be congratulated as a financial sniper for he must have picked off some nice loans from the wealthy farmers of his township to reach $125,000 single handed.—Chesley Enterprise.

Writ Issued Against Mildmay.

The refusal of the village council to pay the costs in connection with the incorporation of the village of Mildmay, has resulted in a writ being issued against the corporation by Messrs. Robertson & McNab, barristers, of Walkerton. The local Council considered the bill of costs unreasonably high, and therefore withheld payment.—Mildmay Gazette.

High Prices for Years

J. Ogden Armour of the big Chicago packing house made this statement on Saturday on the outlook for food costs: "I do not think food prices will decline much for four years. Provisions may not go any higher, but at the same time they are not likely to decline much for some time to come. There will be a big trade for the next four years. It is fortunate that we have good stocks as Europe will need a lot. It looks to me as though prices for grains will not recede materially and the same applies to many other things and it will be some years before values get down to the normal."

Peck's Bad Boys

"Spec" and "Dot" Schulze left on Wednesday morning for a trip, accompanied by Constable Duke. "Spec" goes to the Industrial School at Mimico, and "Dot" who is too old for that institution, goes to Walkerton for trial by the judge. The sigh which will go up at the departure of this precious pair from our midst will be one of satisfaction on the part of our citizens generally. They (of not, neither do they spin,") does not apply in this case for they were a pretty busy pair, and someone usually suffered as a result of their activities. Peck's Bad Boy would be awarded a good conduct medal in comparison with these two. The cause of their departure from our midst was the result of an appearance last Tuesday forenoon before Justice of the Peace Andrew McIntosh for recent misdemeanors and the general hope is that they may never come back.—Southampton Beacon.

CARD OF THANKS

The Childrens' Aid Society desire to thank the following for donations to the Shelter: Mrs. White, Miss Smyth, Mr. Etsells, Mrs Condy, Mr. Goode, Miss Rowand, Mrs Addis, Miss Thompson, Mrs. Warren, Mrs. Hall, Mr. Wahn, Mrs. W. S. McGregor, Mrs. McKechnie, Mrs. Cousins, Mr. Lamberton, R. Perdue Sec. Sunday Schools and Victory Bonds

Each Anglican Sunday School in the Co. of Bruce has taken a Victory Bond and some two Bonds.—R. Perdue, Rural Dean.

20,000,000 MEN LOST IN THE WAR

211,358 Men Canada's Share

The London Express estimates the casualties of European nations during the war as follows: Germany, 6,900,000; Austria, 4,500,000; France, 4,000,000; Britain, 2,000,000; Turkey, 500,000; Belgium, 350,000; Roumania, 200,000; Bulgaria, 200,000.

With the under-estimated casualties of Russia and others not included in the above list, the Express estimates the total casualties of the war at 26,000,000 men.

In the awful conflict that ended to-day Canada's glorious effort has cost heavily in life and limb. Up to and including October 31st., the latest figures available, the total casualties were 211,358, divided as follows:

Killed in action	54,877
Died of wounds or disease	15,457
Wounded	132,779
Presumed dead, missing and prisoners of war	8,245
Total	211,358

Absolute casualties in the war, made public up to 31st. June of the casualties of Dominions totaled 65,520. Of these 12,140 were killed in action. Thousands more have been killed, wounded or captured since. It will probably be many weeks before the last list is compiled.

Wiarton ministers have signed advertisement in last week's issue of The Echo informing the public that except on the written order of the Medical Officer of Health, they will not conduct funerals on Sunday.

Father Cadot of Cape Croker Indian Reservation has arrived home from the Caribbian Islands and gives a sad report of the ravages of the Spanish Influenza. Out of a population of 275 many were ill and 50 had died. Had a doctor not been sent, in answer to an urgent request, the Priest believes fully 50 per cent of the population would have succumbed.

Thanks The Bruce Press

In a letter to Lorne A. Eedy, County Publicity Chairman for the Victory Loan, Mr. M. O. Hammond, Ontario Press Chairman, thanks the newspapers for Bruce for their cordial support in the recent campaign.

Fight For Carrick Reeveship

The year is rapidly drawing to a close, but the municipal pot still remains cold and dormant. It is rumored that there will be a fight for the Reeveship of Carrick, and there may be a change or two in the village council next year.—Mildmay Gazette.

Catholic Army Huts

The Funcken Council of Kitchener of which W. J. Motz is Chairman, has been conducting a campaign for the Catholic Army Huts and report the following receipts from Bruce County:—Formosa, $125.00; Walkerton, $107.00; Deemerton and Neustadt, 104.00; Mildmay 100.00; Chepstow, 75.00; Hanover, 60.00; Carlsruhe, 46.00; Teeswater, 39.90; Riversdale, 20.00; Hollyrood, 18.60. Total, $746.00. Waterloo County contributed $7531.52 including a county grant of $2500.00.

BRANT COUNCIL

Brant Council meeting Nov. 11th., 1918.

The Brant Council met in Monday the 11th. day of November. Members all present. Minutes of last meeting read and declared correct.

Rowand —Johnston —That the Reeve and Clerk issue on the Treasurer for all accounts passed at this meeting of Council.

ACCOUNTS AS FOLLOWS

F. B. James services as Engineer	12 00
R. V. Brocklebank, Rock Elm	6 32
Louis Hacker, building culvert	6 50
Dan Ernest, building culvert	6 00
Ed Connors, lumber	6 00
Wm. Dandy, building double culvert	8 25
Louis Leitso, repairing bridge 12 Con. lot 31	16 30
Hugh McNeill, sheep and lamb killed by dogs	41 50
John Dankert, drawing gravel on T. L. R. R.	15 20
Wess Abell, work on cement roadway Con. 6	47 75
Frank Lang, work on cement roadway Con. 6	234 70
Eli Melhausen, balance compensation labor Elmwood	41 09
Thos. Chisholm two lambs killed by dogs	30 00
ed by dogs	30 00
Geo. Sirrs, sheep valuator	1 35
John Kurtz, refund of overcharge on Hydro light	4 20
Josiah Dierstein, cement tile and gravel	27 05
August Ternoster sheep killed by dogs	14 00
Jos. Monk sheep valuator	1 35
Vincent Hammere, 34 yds. of gravel	3 40
Thos. H. Tanner, right of way for gravel	2 00
Chris. Pegelo drawing steel for bridge, Lot 25, Con. 11	9 00
Sid Parker, 130 yd. gravel 13 00 selecting jurors 4 00 Judges court 3 00	20 00
M. A. McCallum, special meeting of council 2 80, B.O.H. meeting 2 40 Judges court 10 00, selecting jurors, 4 00, drawing tile and building culvert 6 00 27yds gravel 20	25 50
D. Willoughby B.O.H. meeting 2 80 selecting jurors 4 00, Fee to Registrar office 1 35	8 15
Wm. Rowand, B.O.H. meeting	2 30
Dr. Dickson, antitoxin syringes 6 00 telephoning 25 B.O.H. meeting 3 00	9 25

Findlay —Gregg that this council do now adjourn to meet on Monday the 16th. day of December, for the appointing of Deputy Returning officers, poll clerks, polling booths and the place holding nominations and the transaction of general business.—Carried.

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TOWN AND DISTRICT NEWS

No matter how well you know your business, some cheerful idiot is always trying to tell you how you should run it.

Fiftieth Anniversary

Purdy's Methodist Church, Greenock, will celebrate its fiftieth anniversary on Sunday, December 1st. Rev. W. J. Fiddis of Cayuga will be present and Rev. J. W. Sanderson of Walkerton has been invited to take part.

Died At Winnipeg

Mr. Albert Monkman, a former Walkerton man, died at Winnipeg on November 6 at the age of 65 years. He was educated in the public schools of Bruce and afterwards by private tuition in Toronto. He commenced the study of law in 1871 at Walkerton and soon after as a student joined the staff of Cameron, Michael and Hoskin, barristers in Toronto. He was called to the practice of law with the firm of Morphy & Morphy and continued with them for 3 years when he left the city of Toronto and went west to Winnipeg. His first law practise in that city was in partnership with the present Lieut. Governor of Manitoba, Sir James Aikins. This partnership lasted for several years but was broken up finally when Mr. Monkman, Dinsman and Jamieson. At different times until 1893 Mr. Monkman was in various legal partnership, but in that year he established business for himself and thereafter practised alone until the day of his disease with the exception of about two years during that time he acted as District Registrar at Morden. At the time of his death he was senior practising member of the Manitoba bar.

NEW FUEL ORDER COMING

Mr. Alexander from the Fuel Controller's office has been visiting neighboring towns making a general survey to see if the larger buildings are using all the soft coal possible, and seemed quite pleased with what he found.

Some time ago it was announced that the towns would get as much coal as in 1916. Now it appears that the municipalities are to receive only 70 per cent. of their 1916 consumption. This being the case, anyone who has in his full supply has a part of someone else's share.

A new order is about to issue, prohibiting any dealer from delivering coal to any person in possession of three tons or more. No person or firm will be allowed to get more than five tons of hard coal per [illegible] no matter what their [illegible] is.

Surveys are to be made of [illegible] churches, manufacturing places, office buildings and other large buildings, showing amount used yearly, the style of furnace and other information with a view to having soft coal substituted for anthracite where it can be done satisfactorily.

You claim that you are overworked. But isn't it a fact that you are merely trying to make up the time you waste while you are loafing.

A silver-black fox was shot in the neighborhood of Alvinston last week. The fox was one of the most prized breeders. This is the second fox to be shot there within two years.

Out On Pacific Coast

Mrs. Adu Teasdale Brown, of Cashmere, Washington, in a letter to the Telescope says:—The harvest here has been good and the weather all one could ask. We join with you in heartfelt rejoicings at the cessation of the war and only hope the terms may be such as not to make us feel that any of our boys have been uselessly lost.

Hanover Merchant Dead

George E. Gruetzner, who kept a furniture store and undertaking establishment at Hanover, died Monday morning at his home after an uphill struggle with Spanish influenza. Mr. Gruetzner contracted the disease a week ago last Friday, and it developed into pneumonia last Thursday. Everything possible was done to save his life, four doctors being in attendance. Mr. Gruetzner, who was 30 years of age, is survived by his wife, three small children, his father and two sisters in Newark N. J.

BADGES FOR FOOD PRODUCTION SERVICE

The Organization of Resources Committee, representing the Ontario Government and Legislature in their plans for encouraging the production of food as a war-time service, has had prepared a Food Production Service Badge for awarding to children and others who have done good work during the past season. It offers the badge to War Production Clubs, Agricultural and Horticultural Societies, Resources Committee Branches, School Boards, Teachers, Women's Institutes, Sunday School Clubs, or any other group of responsible persons, at a fraction of its cost for distribution locally at public meetings. In the distribution of these badges the purposes are:—To commemorate the splendid response made throughout Ontario to the Empire's call for increased production in the season of 1918; to stimulate community interest in local achievements; to recognize deserving effort in national service, and to encourage a continuance of the work next year and so long as the world's need of food is urgent. The badge may be awarded for other services besides gardening. Boys or girls who have helped materially in farm work during their holidays; those who have worked with their parents in a worth-while home garden scheme or those who have raised poultry or produced pork will also be entitled to the badge. The badge, a sample of which may be seen at this office, will be cherished in after years as a very interesting war-time souvenir.

Sir Clifford Sifton has resigned as Chairman of the Commission of Conservation.

Dr. Brown Dead

Dr. W. N. Brown, the well-known Newcastle doctor, is reported to have passed away at the residence of his son, at Redcliffe, Alta. Dr. Brown who was a specialist, visited Walkerton and neighboring towns occasionally. He was a man of culture and fine character and stood high in his profession.

Letter From France

Mr. T. H. Wilson, Durham Road East, had an interesting letter last week from his nephew, Jack Wilson, son of Mr. D. C. Wilson, Toronto. Jack has been in France since 1915 but never was in such good spirits. He was back in the trenches again after having been twice wounded. "We have them going" he writes. With so much stuff to move forward every body was busy. The civilians gave them a wonderful welcome. The only scarcity was tobacco.

PROTECT YOUR WATERPIPES FROM FROST

Thawing frozen water pipes has resulted in some very serious fires every winter and a lot of unnecessary destruction to property. The use of a blowlling torch and fires built around water pipes is a very dangerous practice, that should not call forth any special prohibitory comment. But notwithstanding that fact each winter seems to produce the usual crop of thoughtless, foolhardy, careless people.

As an example of what can happen from this source we need only draw attention to a fire which occurred in Toronto last winter in a mercantile building. The pipes became frozen, and the janitor, with the knowledge of the owner of the building, started to thaw out the water pipes by winding cotton rags around them which were saturated with coal oil, and then set fire to the coal oil. The result was that a very serious fire occurred which resulted in a loss of $28,952, and affected the business, and no doubt the profits, of five firms in the building. If the owner of this building had taken precautionary measures and properly protected the water pipes at a slight expense, in comparison to the enormous loss caused by the carelessness of his employee, great waste would have been avoided.

The only safe and sane method of thawing out frozen water pipes is by direct application of hot water and cloths to the pipes. If this does not prove effective, a plumber should be called in.

The prov. Fire Warden appeals to owners of property who have had frozen water pipes to protect them before the cold weather sets in and avoid the trouble and inconvenience of having the water frozen and the consequent necessity of having to thaw it out.

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LIVERY BARN BURNED

Fire Started in Chimney at Lettner's Livery and Gutted Livery— The Horses Saved and Most of Contents—Loss Fairly Covered By Insurance.

Fire broke out in Lettner's Livery about eleven o'clock Monday night and badly gutted the building. The blaze appears to have originated in the chimney below the office and ran up between the walls of the roof which was soon in flames. Passers-by noticed the blaze before it had developed far and got the horses and most of the vehicles, harness and other contents out. Some hay and straw in the loft was also burned. Mr. Lettner cannot account for the fire. He states that he and some friends were chatting in the office until about half an hour before the bell rang and left for home. There was only a small fire in the stove but the chimney appears to have caught fire. The roof is nearly burned away and part of the left destroyed. The damage done to the ground floor is not so heavy. The owner of the building, Mr. Tory Gibson, will have several hundred dollars loss which is fairly well covered with insurance. The contents, belonging to Mr. Lettner were also insured. Mr. Lettner has found accommodation for seven horses in the barn at the rear of his residence on Victoria St. He has a phone in and is doing business there until he can arrange permanent quarters.

1918 Pack Now Ready

New raisins, currants, shelled almonds, and walnuts, peels, figs, prunes, apricots, peaches and canned peas, corn and tomatoes, we please in quality, service and price. —Goode&McKay.

HONORED RETURNED MEN

Public Reception Given At the Town Hall Tuesday Night To Two Young Walkerton Heroes Recently Returned From Overseas—Jim Stalker Discusses The Returned Man.

The Town Hall was filled last night for the public reception to Jim Stalker B.A. and Frank Zettel, two of Walkerton's returned heroes. Rev. R. Perdue, of the Walkerton Preparedness League, occupied the chair, and words of welcome to the boys were given by Rev. J. W. Sanderson, Rev. W. H. Burgess, and Mr. John Rowland, who took advantage of the occasion to make some uncomplimentary remarks about Mr. F. Rennie's recent letter in the local papers. Frank Zettel thanked the ladies for the parcels sent Overseas and told them how much the boys appreciated them. Jim Stalker expressed his thanks in a few appropriate words. A splendid address which he had written out dealing with the problem of the returned soldiers was read by Rev. W. H. Burgess. The men coming home, he said, were sensitive, perhaps supersensitive, needed sympathy—not the consolatory kind, but a real fellowship of feeling and appreciation, not ostentatious but quiet and sincere, of what done. "Invest your faith in these men," were his final words, and you will receive interest a hundred fold."

Conductor Cox Dead

Conductor Cox of the G.T.R. who has run through Walkerton on the Southampton Bus for years, dropped dead while attending Church service at his home at Southampton on Sunday. He had been apparently in the best of health and the news of his death was received with deep regret by his friends here.

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Stationery in fancy boxes, all prices.
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1919 Calendar Mounts for your pictures or with local views.
Xmas Post Cards, Booklets, Stickers.
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Nickel frames.
Thermos Bottles—pints and qts.
Auto Strop Safety Razor—$5.00
Gillette Safety Razor—$5.00
Cigars in boxes of 25 and 50
Cased pipes, Cigar Cases
Playing Cards
Flashlights
Ladies fancy combs, all kinds.
Dressing combs—white and black.
Manicure and toilet sets
French ivory in new pieces, pair, $1.50 up.
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Shaving mirrors and Sets
Travelling Cases
"Everrite" Hot Water Bottles, guaranteed, $2.00
Brushes—Hair, Baby, Shaving, Cloth, Hat, Bonnet.
Tags, Seals, Ribbonzene, Tinsel Cord.

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NEWSY ITEMS ABOUT TOWN

December

Local news on every page.

Lorne A. Eedy spent Friday in Toronto.

Mr. David Traill is ill at the Bruce County Hospital.

Send your friend the Telescope for 1919 as a Christmas box.

Mr. John Clancy of Cargill was in town on business last Thursday.

Regal on your shoes means quality in them. Sold at Ramsey's shoe store.

Mrs. George Lambertus has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Geo. Frank of Carrick.

Mrs. Courtney of Schomberg is visiting her aunts, Miss Johnston and Mrs. McCullough.

Every Canadian Soldier will be home within a year, according to an official announcement.

Miss Annie Lambertus, of the Bank of Commerce, Walkerville, is home ill with influenza.

Rev. Dr. Laird, formerly professor at Queen's University, will preach at Knox Church next Sunday.

For fall and winter there is nothing better than a Dr's. special shoe sold at Ramsey's shoe store.

Miss Donalda McKechnie is home from Essex, the schools being closed owing to a second outbreak of the Flu

Mrs. James M. White of Moose Jaw arrived here this week and will spend a month with her sister, Mrs. E. Myles.

Mrs. Hugh Fraser, East Ward, left last week to reside with her daughter, Mrs. James L. Smith at London.

Mrs. Wm. White of Toronto spent the week-end visiting her cousins, Mrs. Dr. Hall, Mrs. Isaac Glinz, and Miss Agnes G. Smith.

Special assortment of fine china now on display at right prices. Do your Xmas shopping now.—The People's Grocery and China Store.—Goode&McKay.

For the holiday trade we have in a great variety and beautiful new designs in fancy china, dinnerware, toilet sets, jardineres and other lines. —Everything marked at low prices. —Goode&McKay.

The election of W. H. Fraser liberal candidate in North Huron by some 1200 majority gives the Ontario Government something to think about. The farming Community voted pretty solid for Fraser. The farmer's organizations are making their influence felt throughout the Country and the next election for both Provincial and Dominion Houses will no doubt see a tremendous increase in the number of farmers presenting themselves for parliamentary honors.

Local news on every page.

Less than three weeks until Christmas.

Miss Eleanor Gregg returned home last week from Almonte.

Mrs. (Judge) Klein has returned home from Washington, D.C.

Mrs. Tuppon has taken a position as car cleaner with the C.P.R.

Handsome club-bags and suit cases suitable for Christmas gifts at McCarter's.

Buy Life-buoy swag proof rubbers and you get the best. Sold at Ramsey's Shoe Store.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Taggart removed their household effects to Hanover on Tuesday.

Life-Buoy rubbers are made with leather inner heel and counters. Sold at Ramsey's Shoe Store.

The Methodist Sunday School will hold their Christmas entertainment on Friday, December 19th.

Mrs. Beers who has been visiting her father, Joudge Klein, returned home this week to Walkerville.

C.P.R. Freight Conductor Sherman and family removed their household effects to Toronto on Tuesday.

When in town don't forget to call and see Sandy McCarter's fine display of single and double harness, blankets, leather goods, etc.

Mrs. Peter Porter and her daughter, Laura of Preston visited last week at the home of Mrs. E. M. Stauffer who is a sister of the former.

Fresh and smoked sausage, two popular lines for the present season —a product that everybody likes— we sell them.—Goode&McKay.

Mr. James T. Clancy was taken ill with influenza on Sunday. Mr. Clancy arrived home from visiting her parents at New Germany on Monday.

Lucy, the eight year old daughter of Mr. Chas. Benninger of Culross, who was operated upon for appendicitis recently, was able to leave the Hospital on Friday.

Cheer up! The sun has not gone out of the sky, nor all the good Lumberger Cheese out of the buying— We can still show you a fine stock 35c. cake.—Goode&McKay.

Mrs. W. G. Cheshire had word on Monday, that her brother, Mr. J. H. Robertson, asst manager of the Woolworth Stores at Hamilton, was very ill with the flu. Latest report is that he is improved.

Chief Ferguson was called to Port Colborne on Friday morning by the serious illness of his second eldest son, Stanley, who is down with the flu. When the Chief left for home on Monday night he was very much improved.

Buy at home.

Local news on every page.

Christmas Fair, Thursday, Dec. 19th.

Get your Christmas toys at Paterson Bros.

Mr. Henry Kroetch went to Midmay on business Tuesday.

The Methodist Congregation gave a Thanksoffering of $436.

Lieut. Norman Helwig of Hanover has been awarded the Flying Cross.

Everything in Christmas toys for the children at Paterson Bros. hardware.

Take a day off and attend the Walkerton Christmas Fair, Thursday Dec. 19th.

Christmas Fair, Dec. 19th., will be a great success if everybody helps. Do your bit.

The V.A.D. shoe for women made on a combination last, sold at Ramsey's shoe store.

Cadet Norman Yack, is home from Camp Borden and expects to get his discharge in a week or so.

Lieut. Gordon Pfeil of the Royal Air Force has been home from Toronto on a few days leave.

Marjory, the seven year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Williams (nee Maud Wesley) of Toronto is reported to be seriously ill with the flu.

Cadet Clare Hugill, of the Royal Air Force, arrived from Toronto Tuesday on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. E. Myles. Clare expects to get his discharge in a few days.

Mr. James Crawford has had word that his son Harold who has been in the Hospital at Detroit for a month with the flu and pneumonia was able to sit up for the first time on Monday.

Mr. Norman Miller returned home on Tuesday from Eye Brow, Sask., where he has been engaged with Mr. Ed Lettner since March. The crops in that section, he states, were good.

Clarence Kreuger, who bought Mayor Johnston's barber shop and took possession on Monday, has had a bit of hard work. A severe cold has confined him to bed the first week he had been in business.

St. Thomas Church will hold their annual bazaar in the School Room, Wednesday, Dec. 11th., commencing at three o'clock Tables for fancy work, Aprons, Dolls, Home-made cooking, Tea table, Kitchen table, pop corn, vegetables, and fishpond.

Mr. E. C. Kennedy, formerly with the Walkerton Egg & Dairy Co. called on friends in town this week. Mr. Kennedy was recently promoted to the managership of the Sudbury Co-operative Creamery, a concern which is developing a large business. Sudbury has expanded greatly the past few years through the development of the mining industry and its growth at present is limited only by the amount of power available.

Help Wanted

Help wanted during the sale. Apply to C. Patrick.

A Snap

Second hand organ in good condition. Snap for quick sale. Apply at Telescope.

Oysters and Fish

Get in touch with us for Oysters, Haddie, Cheese, codsteak and codfish—our prices are right.—Goode & McKay.

Like A Letter From Home

In renewing her Telescope to January 1921, Mrs. A. A. Eckel of Young Sask., writes, "The Telescope is like a letter from home to me."

Bought Searle Stock

Mr. C. Patrick, grocer, has bought the Searle Grocery stock from Miss G. Padbury and is advertising a big sacrifice sale in this week's Telescope.

Girls Wanted

For the making of Light Rubbers. Piecework. Pay while learning. Excellent wages, and steady employment. Full particulars on enquiry. The Kaufman Rubber Co., Limited, Kitchener, Ont.

Son of E. H. Glinz

Cadet Leslie Glinz of the Royal Air Force came up from Toronto on Monday to spend a week with his relatives in this vicinity before returning to his home in the West. Leslie is a son of Mr. E. H. Glinz, an old Brant boy, well-known here, who is now a prosperous merchant of Oak River, Man. where he has a large department store. Another son was recently wounded in France.



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From a Men's Store

Where you are sure to get them correct in style. He will appreciate them the more if they come from the store where he buys himself.

Neckwear.....25 to 2 50	Wool gloves....2 00 to 2 50
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Armlets.....25 to 50	Fine Mocha Mitts.....
Fine Sox.....25 to 1 50	.....2 00 to 2 50
Silk Mufflers....50 to 1 50	Fine umbrellas.2 00 to 4 00
Wool " ....50 to 3 00	Linen Handkerchiefs.....
Lounge robes & slippers	.....25 to 75
.....10 00 to 12 00	Silk Handk's.....50 to 1 50
House Coats.10 00 to 13 00	Fine and silk shirts.....
Pajamas.....1 50 to 2 50	.....1 50 to 5 00

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OLD RESILENT CALLED

Late Mrs. James Flett Was One of the Finest Original Stock That Has Left Canada A Rich Heritage In Sterling Christian Character—Husband Was A Pioneer Merchant of Walkerton.

There passed away at her home, Colborne St. Walkerton, on Sunday, December 1st., one of Walkerton's oldest residents in the person of Mrs. James Flett in her 85th. year. Mrs. Flett had been in poor health for some time and for the last four months had been confined to her bed. Mrs. Flett, whose maiden name was Janet Muir, was born on the Island of Sandy, one of the Orkney Islands, on November 4th., 1833. She left the Old Land at the age of 18 with her father's family, settling at Smithfill in the Niagara Peninsula. She was married in September 1855, and came to Walkerton as a bride. Her husband, who was a son of Walkerton's first citizens as well as one of the oldest pioneer merchants, kept a boot and shoe store at that time on the present site of the Canadian Bank of Commerce. At the next corner the late Mr. Wisser had a store and the intervening space which is now the centre of Walkerton's business activity, was owned by Mr. Flett and Mr. Wisser. Mr. Flett carried on business successfully for many years and at length retired to his farm on the 8th., Brant for his closing years. After his death in 1896, Mrs. Flett and her two daughters came to Walkerton where they have since resided. Walkerton was but a sparse settlet when Mr. and Mrs. Flett first came in. Mrs. Wisser sr. is probably the only resident of those days still surviving. Mrs. Flett was one of the first members of Knox congregation, belonging to the original congregation which met in a little building on the Durham Road, and later in a frame church in the East Ward. She came of the pioneer race that was sturdy in physique and of sterling character. Her lovely Christian character afforded a daily example of right living to her family and friends. A better neighbor never lived, was the comment made to the Telescope by one who lived near her for years. Two sons and three daughters survive. They are:—John, wholesale merchant, of Vancouver, B.C.; James of Wiarton; Mrs. W. J. McNally of Brant; Elizabeth and Janet at home.

The funeral took place from her late residence on Tuesday afternoon to Walkerton Cemetery and was largely attended. Rev. W. H. Burgess B.A. B.D., conducted the service. The pall-bearers were:—Jas. Flett, W. J. McNally, William and Alex Tulloch (nephews,) and Donald and Douglas Flett (grandsons.)

Little Pigs For Sale

Little pigs for sale four weeks old. Apply at G.T.R. Station.

Removed

Mr. Neil Thompson has removed his boot and shoe repair shop to Mr. Sandy George's former coal and wood office on Durham St.

Death of Miss Klein

The death occurred at the Bruce County Hospital, on Tuesday afternoon, Dec. 3rd., of Miss Bella Klein, last surviving daughter of the late John Klein. She had been ailing the last six months or more with stomache trouble. Miss Klein made her home with her father to whom she faithfully ministered in his declining years. Six brothers survive. They are:—Judge A. B. and Otto E. of Walkerton, Isadore and Edmund of New York, Theodore of Cleveland, and Oscar of Milwaukee. Private funeral will be held from Judge Klein's residence on Friday.

Bell vs. Hunter

Two of Ontario's leading legal lights, Hartley H. Dewart of Toronto and Hon. Wm. Proudfoot, Leader of the Ontario opposition were pitted against each other in this case and showed their skill in the cross-examining of many witnesses. Before the case was concluded, the two parties got together and arranged a settlement the plaintiff to pay the defendant $2400 and each party paying his own costs. This action which is now quite familiar to the public, arose out of an accident which occurred at the Port Elgin Dominion Day Celebration in 1916, when an auto driven by the daughter of Mr. Wm. Hunter, Ex-Reeve of Kincardine, in order to avoid the crowd at a corner quickly turned aside and in so doing crushed Allan Bell a farmer of Bruce Tp. against an electric light post fracturing his limbs and injuring him permanently, he claimed.

KNOX HONORS MEMORY

Of Brave Boys "Who Gave Their To-day for our To-morrow"—A Thoughtful and Inspiring Sermon by Rev. W. H. Burgess B.A., B.D. —An Appropriate Program of Music

Memorial Service for the brave lads who have fallen was held at the Knox Church on Sunday evening. No less than 116 boys went out from Knox congregation to do their part Overseas and of these fourteen made the Supreme Sacrifice.

In an eloquent and thoughtful discourse, Rev. Mr. Burgess drew lessons, from the sacrifice that has been made by the boys in France, such as were calculated to inspire his hearers to higher ideals of living. He showed how in the easy-going pre-war days, we were wont to take for granted such blessings as the right to vote, the freedom of the press etc. Now our eyes are opened to a new understanding. We realize that our many privileges of citizenship come to us as the result of endless sacrifice on the part of those who have gone before. Life and what fill that means has been handed to us as a going concern but we have paid nothing for the "good-will". When we think of what might have been, and of the sacrifice that has been made, the question comes to us: Are we worthy of such sacrifice? The least we can do with the blood-bought lives of ours is to consecrate them to the highest purpose. Take up the torch thrown from their hands. Present your bodies a living sacrifice to finish the task which they have so well begun.

A fine program of music which harmonized perfectly with the spirit of the occasion was rendered by the choir under Prof. Leeson's able leadership. The numbers included an organ prelude: Trio from Chopin's Funeral March; Anthem, "They Laid the World Away"; Anthem, "There is a Green Hill," Miss Rowland taking the solo part, Solo, "The Prelude of Life," Miss Hazel Irwin. After the reading of the list of those who fell by the Pastor, the congregation remained standing, while Mr. Leeson rendered, "The Dead March From Saul."

Rev. Mr. Burgess referred to the tablet which has just been placed in the Church in honor of Flight Commander C. Eric Robertson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Robertson who lost his life in France while leading a British fountain of planes into action on July 12th, 1917. Mr. Burgess said that he hoped before long steps would be taken by the Church to commemorate in a similar way all those who had fallen.

The full program of the day's special services is reproduced on page 6 of this week's Telescope.

Making Democracy Safe

"Making Democracy Safe For the World" was Mr. Burgess' timely topic at the National Thanksgiving Service in the morning. The task that awaits us, said the speaker, will not be completed in four years. It will take a century. We have seen how democracy or people-rule may be a greater menace to a nation and the world for a time at least than autocracy. Nor is this menacing form of democracy confined to Russia only but is to be found all over Europe and to some extent in America. It does not show itself here but its roots are in our soil and when the right conditions arise we shall feel its menace. Bolshevism, the offspring of ignorance and oppression, is one of the great problems we shall have to deal with.

The ignorance of our people in regard to morals, religion and politics is by no means as deplorable as in the case of Russia, and yet even a superficial investigation reveals the fact that it is deplorable enough. We must educate our children in morals and religion. Because of petty denominational jealousies the world's greatest text book, the Bible, has been kept out of the public schools. 25 hours a week are given to secular education, less than one hour to bible study. Many educators are beginning to realize this, and already Community Schools of Religious Education have been started in communities in the U. S. and the experiment has so far proven a great success. Since coming to this town, the speaker when passing the empty Public School building, had often thought what a splendid thing it would be if we could duplicate the Community work that has been started across the Line, and lead Canada in this work. One expert Christian teacher would be enough to start with. Nothing would [illegible]

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P. S. HONOR ROLL

List of Walkerton Pupils Who Head Their Classes for the Month of November.

GRADE I.

Sr. Primer—Florence Thompson Mary McGregor, Eldred Ernest, Borden Riehl, Mary Threndyle, Violet Bannister, Murray Carr.

Mid. Primer—Elizabeth, Eedy, Armond Royce, Jack Leeson, Muriel Bell, Jean Bell, Lorne Allen.

Jr. Primer—Margaret George, Mary Moore, Mildred McConnell, Elmer Burrows, Margaret Harper, Elmer Buehlow, Jack Arscott, Hazel Bannister, Hugh Thompson.

A. D. Thompson.

GRADE II.

First book—Honors—F. Leeson, A. Shaw, E. Richardson, G. King, E. Reed. Pass—R. Yates, P. George, H. Taylor, D. Trimble, M. Harrison, B. Trimble.

Primer—L. Procknow, F. Speiran, W. Hampson, L. Winter, A. Holden, L. Polley, E. Knepflar.

W. Thompson.

GRADE III

Junior Second. Pass—Frank Beck, Edith Long, Helen Royce, Florence McCarter, Gladys Hilker, Billy Johnston, Walter Monk, Bernice Foster.

Senior First. Honours—Marjorie Bell, Donovan Hynes, Ruth Pye.

Pass—Herbert Dietz, Mildred Silver, Frank Hartman, Geo. McGregor, Milton Ramsey, Helen Reichenbach.

A. Halladay.

GRADE IV.

Honours—Margaret Jones, (Cora Pauli and Lomax' Player) Dorothy Boch.

Pass—Bernice Cheshire, Arthur Beck, Stewart Channing, Kenneth Tucker, Elizabeth Taylor, Verna Bolden, Gretchen Schwindt, Armond Frey, Annie Kerney.

Agnes Warren.

GRADE V.

Honors—Ruth Hunter, Herbert Moore, George Dietsche, Ruttel Dietsche, Margaret Shaw.

Pass—Armond Taggart, (Howard Bush, Lillian Mortimer.) Kathleen Fortune, Mildred Appel, Mina Dietz, Elmer Orner, Richard Fruin, David George.

M. Ross.

GRADE VI.

Honours—D. Gowanlock, W. Jerome, E. Riley.

Pass—D. Crawford, H. Hampson, W. Hartman, V. Anderson, W. Helm, R. Gowanlock, D. McNeill, A. Reichenbach, J. James, W. Hunt, H. Pauli, R. Johnston.

J. Stead.

GRADE VII.

Sr. IV. Honours—I. Harrison, E. Ramsey, M. Schwindt, M. Lumley, E. Kelpin, and H. Campbell (equal), A. Lee, E. Fennel, and D. Van Horne, (equal) N. Tuckey, G. Ramsey.

Pass—J. Knepflar, H. Inglis, M. Hyslop, D. Truax, E. Faust, G. Sutton, I. Elliott.

Jr. IV. Pass—I. Moore, J. Van Horne, H. Sherman, J. McConnell, C. Wallace, K. Pye, K. Perdue, A. Royce, F. Bush, E. Yates, D. Anderson.

Thos. Rankin,

A Remarkable Prophecy

A startlingly accurate prophecy made in Canada by the late Lord Roberts is referred to by L'Evenement of Quebec. The paper says Lord Roberts while in Canada ten years ago, stated on one occasion — "They refuse to believe me, we are asleep under a false security, for I do not hesitate to affirm that we will have a frightful war in Europe, and England and France will have the hardest experience of their existence. They will, in fact, see defeat very near, but the war will finally be won by the genius of a French general named Ferdinand Foch, professor in a military school in Paris." L'Evenement says Lord Roberts' prophecy was heard by a number of people, and that the Duke of Devonshire has repeated the prophecy, attributing it to the field marshal.

PA SAYS

(By Edmund Vance Cook)

"'Ja says my manners are a sight;
He says my language is a fright;
He says I ought to be perlite
To fathers such as he.
Pa says I ought to watch my jaw
And guard my tongue; but gee!
If I should ever jaw my paw
The way my pa jaws me!
'Pa says a life's fratered tooth
A-puttin' in the mouth of youth,'
And boys should set the seal of truth
Forever on their brow.'
But when I've took a trip or two
With 'pa,' he says, 'Remember now,
You're under twelve, Hell-fare for you
Is too much anyhow!'
"Pa says that while men fight and die,
He thinks boys ought to self-deny
Of candy, cake, and maybe pie,
He says you ought to jump
To help our solders play the game,
And take our little bourap,'
But fer his coffee, jest the same,
He sneaks a second lump!"

TELESCOPE LETTER BOX

RATEPAYER MAKES SUGGESTION

Editor Telescope,
Dear Sir:—

Kindly allow space for a few suggestions re sanitary work &c. Judging by the complaints ratepayers are making, the town's sanitary system does not seem to be satisfactory. Walkerton is not alone in this system for other towns are having the same trouble. The only logical solution is a more perfect sewage system and connections for everyone on the sewer. The town has several petitions for sewers on file, and work has been held back on these due to war conditions. Now that the war is over and the employing of surplus labor is the problem, what better move could be made than to construct these sewers where at all practical and build some permanent roads. Debentures could be issued for a term of years and the tax rate need not be increased. Walkerton is in such good condition financially, that this could be easily done.

The 1918 Council deserves credit for what they have done, considering abnormal war conditions. The 1919 Council will need courage and initiative and it is to be hoped that the ratepayers will see to it that a good strong council is elected, worthy of the County town.

Yours for a model County Town.
Ratepayer.

Dr. McCullough, Provincial Medical Health Officer, says that "Whiskey is no good for influenza as it is not good for pneumonia."

The Bruce Peninsula News, published at Lion's Head which has been defunct since the war began, has been revived with Harry Oswald as Editor and publisher.

Everybody is anticipating a good Christmas trade and governing themselves accordingly. Money is plentiful and notwithstanding the Victory Loan Campaign, payments continue good.—Lucan's Bulletin.

Send us the news from your community, and keep on the map. Send it in early and don't be discouraged or offended if we sometimes condense, eliminate or alter the reading of parts of it; there may be good reasons for this doing. Lastly—sign your name; this for the editor's information only.

The Hospital for Sick Children

TORONTO

War Laid Heavy Hand on Children's Charity.

Dear Mr. Editor:—

The annual report of the Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto, marks a new record, despite the heavy handicap the war placed upon its work.

The task of ministering to the suffering youngsters of this province was no light one in view of the Hospital's splendid response to the national call 25 doctors and 43 nurses from its forces have seen service overseas.

Yet the number of patients treated is 5,048, or 1,305 more than last year. Of these in-patients, 759 were from 266 places outside of Toronto.

The tireless efforts of the staff made possible also a reduction in the average length of stay necessary for the little patients from 24 days in 1914 to 14 this year.

These results show that the Hospital has again paid to the children rich dividends of health upon the interested kindness of its supporters.

There has been careful stewardship of the funds entrusted to the Hospital. There has been saving—almost scrimping—in every direction except where it would prevent the Hospital's soothing the suffering or shortening the sickness of one child. The daily cost of operation was held at the lowest point which would still allow the children entrusted to the Hospital to get the best medicine and the best of care.

And yet so high has risen the cost of every item in the Hospital's budget—in labor, in fuel, in food, and, above all, in medical supplies—that the minimum expense of taking care of one child for one day has risen from $2.34 back in 1914 to $3.21¾ in 1918. Of that, $1.66¾—the amount per patient per day that the official Government grants do not cover—must come from voluntary contributions.

During the past four years debts were incurred to the extent of $100,000, which the Trustees felt assured would be wiped out by the public as soon as the war drew to its close, and those heavy demands cease which have been made upon the generosity of the loyal people of this province. The time has now come when it is necessary to make known the Hospital's dire need of financial assistance.

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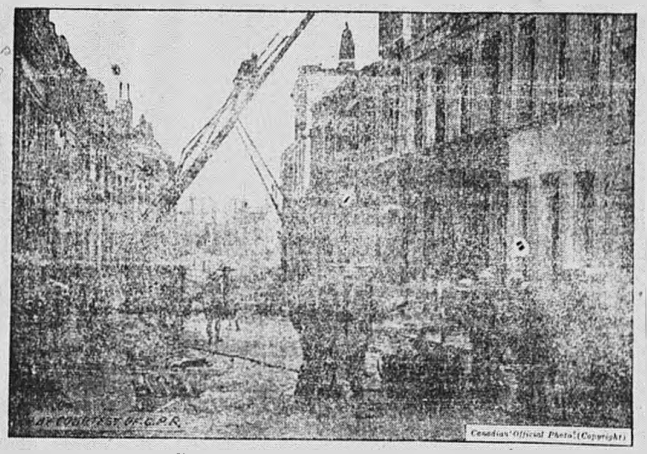
Little children have lost a big-hearted friend, and the province a noble benefactor. It is for the public to decide whether his life-work shall be replaced with a mortgage within less than a year of his passing.

What think you?

Send your answer as soon as possible to the Secretary-Treasurer, Hospital for Sick Children, College Street, Toronto. Meanwhile the Charity will "Carry on," trusting in your support.

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FUNERAL OF GENERAL LIPSETT



Funeral of General Lipsett near the lines. Taking the coffin from the gun carriage. H.R.H. the Prince of Wales following the coffin.



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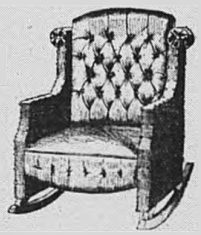
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NEWS TOPICS OF WEEK

Important Events Which Have Occurred During the Week.

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TUESDAY.

King Haakon of Norway sent a congratulatory message to King Albert of Belgium.

Lieut. A. A. McKibbinney, Ottawa, has been killed in an airplane accident at Vendome, France.

U. Starkman, Toronto, was fined $500 in the Police Court for a breach of the Ontario Temperance Act.

The Hungarian Government has requested the Allies to hold an immediate discussion of peace terms.

Chief of Police Grandchamps of Montreal has been summarily dismissed. No explanation has yet been given.

Police officers raided the butcher shop of Sydney Lee, at Harrowsmith, and found a whisky still in operation.

The National Council of Austria has placarded the streets, warning the public against the counter-revolutionary movement.

C. A. Pilion, farmer, of Sandwich West, was awarded $1,000 damages for personal injuries, against the Essex Terminal Railway.

Influenza has struck Cobalt in full force. Cases are developing at an alarming rate. About nine deaths occurred over the week-end.

Lieut. W. N. Hanna, R.A.F., only son of Hon. W. J. Hanna, was killed on Nov. 20, after the armistice had been signed, while serving in Italy.

Fourteen organizers for labor unions who make their headquarters in Toronto left last night for Ottawa to take up with the Cabinet labor legislation for the coming session.

The bodies of six Lengua Lee Indians were found in the bush north of Grant, a small town on the Canadian Government road. The men died from lack of treatment for influenza.

A flotilla of mine-sweepers left the Firth of Forth yesterday to clear passage to Kiel for the British squadron, which it is understood will disarm and intern the remnants of the German navy.

WEDNESDAY.

Gen. Ludendorff has left German soil for Sweden.

Maj.-Gen. Ironside, of the British forces, has been appointed commander-in-chief of the Archangel front, succeeding Gen. Poole.

The members of the new Serbian Government at present in Paris will leave for Serbia at once, as will all the Serbian deputies residing in the various entente Allied countries.

It is semi-officially announced in Berlin, according to a despatch to the Berliner Tageblatt, that the entente powers will probably consider the lifting of the blockade after consulting with President Wilson.

Winston Churchill, Minister of Munitions, speaking at Dundee, said he would do everything in his power to make a league of nations powerful. But a league of nations, he contended, was no substitute for the supremacy of the British fleet.

The Inter-German conference decided that the National Assembly would be held at Frankfort. Measures were taken to assure the unity of the empire. The representatives of South Germany have been invited to sit in the assembly.

Gen. Allenby, who commanded the victorious Allied troops in Palestine and Syria in their operations against the Turks, has returned to Egypt from the battlefront. The general, followed by his staff, made his solemn entrance into Cairo. Immense crowds acclaimed the officers along the entire route.

H. J. Daly, whose appointment as director of the repatriation and employment committee of the Dominion Government, was announced yesterday, has already undertaken his duties, and has gathered together the heads of all departments concerned in the work of reabsorption, for the purpose of co-ordinating and defining their activities.

THURSDAY.

Eleven hundred Jews were killed during the recent massacre in Lemberg.

The German Government will invite President Wilson to visit Germany while he is in Europe.

It is reported in Japan that Admiral Kolchak, the dictator of Siberia, has been assassinated at Omsk.

Forty-nine Belgian priests were tortured and put to death by the Germans during the occupation, declares Cardinal Mercier.

Twenty-seven German submarines were surrendered on Wednesday to the Allies. This brings the total of German U-boats turned over to 114.

Marshal Foch arrived at Strassburg and reviewed the army of occupation. He then passed through the town at the head of the troops.

A convention of delegates representing all the Soldiers' and Workmen's Councils in Germany has been summoned to meet in Berlin on Dec. 16th.

Lt.-Col. Bishop, V.C., D.S.O., M.C., Canada's most distinguished aviator, has been appointed an honorary aide-de-camp of the Governor-General.

The Second Canadian Tank Battalion is now on its way home. The First Tank Battalion is not coming at present, and the date of its return cannot be learned.

H. H. Asquith, Liberal leader and former British Premier, will be opposed for his seat for the East District of Fifeshire in the coming elections by Mrs. George E. Hope, widow of Lt.-Col. Hope, who was killed during the war. Col. Hope was a nephew of the Earl of Rosebery, former premier.

Stating that while he was a supporter of the movement for a clean city he regretted the publicity given to the matter as discrediting to a Protestant citizen and Roman Catholic city, Mayor Martin of Montreal voiced an emphatic protest against the publication of the report of the committee of sixteen on vice conditions in Montreal.

FRIDAY.

Belgium is clear of German troops.

The first aerial banquet in history was held yesterday on an airplane 2,800 feet above the new flying field in New York.

Russian Bolsheviki troops on Tuesday captured Pskov, 160 miles southwest of Petrograd. The fate of the volunteer northern army is unknown.

Dr. Grenfell has left Ottawa for Newfoundland.

Six American officers, described as "of the American Relief Committee," arrived at Treves, conferred with the Workmen's and Soldiers' Council, and proceeded to Coblenz.

Thomas J. Meaney, sentenced to be hanged on Dec. 13 for the deaths of 10 persons killed by a bomb explosion in San Francisco in July, 1916, has had the sentence commuted to life imprisonment.

Advance guards of the British troops have reached the Belgian-German frontier in the region between Bobo and Stavelot, and are in possession of more than 1,400 surrendered German guns.

King George, accompanied by the Prince of Wales and Prince Albert, arrived in Paris on Thursday. His Majesty was received at the Bois de Boulogne station by President Poincare, Premier Clemenceau, Foreign Minister Pichon and other Cabinet Ministers and the presidents of the Chamber of Deputies and the Senate.

There were fully seven hundred men present at the great gathering of Conservatives who at a complimentary dinner to Hon. Robert Rogers, ex-Minister of Public Works, at the King Edward Hotel, Toronto, applauded a demand that the Liberal-Conservative party take up as a party the work of reconstruction in Canada.

SATURDAY.

Ten thousand American soldiers have married French girls already since the war began, and more are expected to follow.

The opening of the Saskatchewan Legislature has been postponed until Dec. 6, owing to the absence of Premier Martin in Calgary.

Prince Antoine Gaston Philip, of Bourbon-Orleans, great-grandson of King Louis Philip of France, has died in a military hospital from injuries sustained in the fall of an airplane.

Austria-Hungary lost 4,000,000 killed and wounded during the war, according to an Exchange Telegraph despatch from Copenhagen. Eight hundred thousand men were killed, including 17,000 officers.

In the raw, misty weather of a November morning, Frau Augusta Victoria, wife of the once German Emperor, arrived at Maarsbergen, Holland, from Potsdam to join her husband in exile in Amerongen Castle.

London still is the financial centre of the world, notwithstanding the vast loans made by the United States to the various countries of Europe, according to a statement issued by Leopold Frederick, director of the American Smelting & Refining Co.

It has been decided that the Canadian Expeditionary Force (Siberia), organized on the lines originally intended will be despatched. Accordingly the troops now in waiting at Victoria, will proceed forthwith to join the detachments already at Vladivostok and en route.

Premier Lloyd George, dealing with the question of the responsibility for the invasion of Belgium, said the British Government had consulted some of the greatest jurists of the kingdom and that they unanimously had arrived at the conclusion that in their judgment the former German Emperor was guilty of an indictable offence for which he ought to be held responsible.

President Wilson himself will head the American representation at the Peace Conference. The other members of the delegation will be: Robt. Lansing, Secretary of State; Col. E. M. House; Henry White, former Ambassador to France and Italy; Gen. Tasker H. Bliss, former chief of staff of the army, and now American military representative on the Supreme War Council at Versailles.

MONDAY.

Bucharest is burning, peasant revolts having broken out in all parts of Roumania.

Capt. J. R. DeLamar died in New York. He was president of the Domo Mines Co., vice-president of the International Nickel Co.

Dr. John Mackay, formerly member of the Ontario Legislature, passed away at St. Catharines Saturday afternoon after an illness of about six months.

Major H. B. Denton, of the Royal Air Force, announces that two thousand cadets had been demobilized since Tuesday of last week, and have proceeded to their homes.

Cawthra Mulock, son of Chief Justice Sir William Mulock, a prominent Toronto business man, and one of Canada's youngest millionaires, died suddenly in New York City.

The German Council of the People's Commissioners has fixed Feb. 16 for elections to the Constituent Assembly, conditional on the approval of the Soldiers' and Workmen's Congress which meets Dec. 16.

Casualties in the Royal Air Forces from April, when the air forces were amalgamated, to Nov. 11, were: Killed, 2,620; wounded, missing and prisoners, 4,909, according to an official statement by the Air Ministry.

The Hungarian Government has decided to intern the whole of Field Marshal von Mackensen's army of 170,000 men, in accordance with the demand of the French Government. Von Mackensen has declared he would yield to the decision.

When the correspondent of the London Mail visited the royal palace at Berlin recently, he found the aged servants there bursting with indignation over the fact that Dr. Karl Liebknecht, the Radical Socialist leader, had slept two nights in the former Emperor's bed.

TO END NOBILITY

Canadian Plan Strikes at Very Ancient Institution.

Proposal is Called Radical and Affects Titles That Run Back to the Old French Regime.

The report from Ottawa that the Canadian nobility is to be abolished may be the first news to not a few on this side of the border, as well as to many on this side, that Canada has a nobility. The proposal is called radical, and it certainly does strike at a very ancient institution, states a writer in Providence Journal. If such a law is enacted in accordance with the recommendations of the government, in the form of an order in council, "no hereditary title shall hereafter be conferred upon a British subject resident of Canada," and "appropriate action shall be taken by the government to provide that, after a prescribed period, no title held by a British subject now or hereafter ordinarily resident in Canada, shall be recognised as having hereditary effect."

The reference presumably is to the titles that have come down from the period when the King of France conceded his North American possessions in fiefs of duchies, marquisates, counties, viscounties, baronies and other seigniories to the members of the noblesse, military officers and other men of merit admitted to the noblesse" —according to the old chronicle. And although, as one of the ancient regime has plaintively observed, "democracy has a hatred for natural superiority and endeavors to crush it out," the titular nobility seems to have survived among the "bourgeoisie" and "peasantry" of the husky young Dominion.

Canada has its college of arms and a number of American citizens who can claim descent from patrician families, or who by feats of arms or other public achievements have shown their merit, have qualified in some of the orders, and are privileged to display the ribbons and wear the court dress of "dark blue, red cord, gilt buttons of the imperial two-headed eagle, cavalry saber, and blue, red or green sash." At about the time of the Civil war one of these orders invited the membership of "those of the American states disgusted with the vulgarity and tyranny of democracy," and its rolls contain the names of General Gordon, General Vance and other distinguished personages of the Southern confederacy. Among the old French titles are Duc d'Arkansas and Baronet of Nova Scotia.

Fire Losses in North America.

As has often been pointed out, the fire waste in the United States and Canada is extravagant. But Canada now proposes to reduce the damage by the adoption of compulsory fire prevention measures in accordance with the recommendations of the commission of conservation, says Providence Journal.

Excluding forest fires, the commission finds that since confederation the loss has been $700,000,000, while every year 200 lives are sacrificed in fires, and 500 persons seriously injured. Canada's per capita fire loss is the largest in the world—$2.73—and that of the United States—$2.26—is second. England's figures are small—64 cents—but large in comparison with the 12 cents reported in Switzerland. France has a per capita loss of 74 cents. Conditions in these several countries do not seem to justify such an extraordinary difference in the fire records. Probably the explanation of the poor showing on this side of the ocean lies in the better enforcement of safety regulations in Europe, and in holding property owners accountable for the damages caused by fires starting on their premises.

The remedy proposed in Canada is in putting more responsibility upon owners of buildings and other combustible property.

Colored Regiments.

In 1866 congress passed a law that colored regiments should be a part of the regular army. The Ninth and Tenth cavalry and the Thirty-eighth, Thirty-ninth, Fortieth and Forty-first regiments of infantry were organized March 3, 1869. A consolidation act was passed and the Thirty-eighth and Forty-first were reorganized as the Twenty-fourth regiment of infantry; the Thirty-ninth and Fortieth were reorganized as the Twenty-fifth regiment of infantry. The Ninth and Tenth cavalry won the reputation of being among the best Indian fighters on the frontier. At the outbreak of the Spanish war, in 1898, the four colored regiments were among the first troops ordered to the front, and they won distinction. At the first battle in Cuba, the Tenth cavalry played an important part of coming to the support of Colonel Roosevelt and the Rough Riders. The Twenty-fifth infantry took a prominent part in the battle of El Caney. The Ninth and Tenth cavalry and the Twenty-fourth infantry rendered heroic service in the battle of San Juan hill.—Boston Globe.

Of Like Minds.

Isabella one day had been exceptionally trying, and finally, after numerous corrections, her mother remarked:

"Isabella, I should think you would get tired hearing me talk to you so much."

In most decided tones the child returned:

"Well, mother, I do."—Harper's Magazine.

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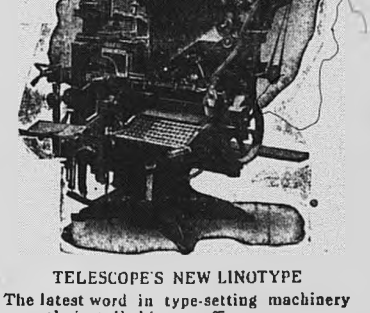
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FRENCH GO BACK TO CANDLES

Scarcity of Materials Used for Lighting Has Led to Revival of an Ancient Art.

While the war has wrecked some industries in France, it has at the same time created new ones and revived older crafts. An excellent and interesting example of the latter is the art of candlestick making, which has taken on a new lease of life. Even in some of the big towns there are houses which are not supplied with gas, where before the war petroleum or spirit was used for lighting purposes. Now that the use of these is restricted closely, recourse has to be made to the old-fashioned candle.

This is true in the country especially where candlesticks are in great demand, and every one is buying them according to his means or fancy. At first they were made of copper, but when that metal became scarce brass was employed. Some of the modern examples have several branches and are very artistic.

A domestic art metal worker at Aix, who has specialized in this kind of work, and has become quite a celebrity, has just constructed a series of tall iron candlesticks of very solid proportions which can hold several candles. They have been critically inspected by art metal critics and are claimed to be true works of art, and to appeal to all lovers of ironwork.—Scientific American.

LONG FAMOUS IN HISTORY

Vicissitudes of Old City of Jerusalem May Be Said to Be Without a Parallel.

The capture of Jerusalem by English troops recalls the tragic and fascinating story of that day, which carries us back through the mist of ages to the days when the throne of David was established within its walls. From that date we pass to the glories of the temple built by Solomon, which for centuries was to stand as the center and pivot of the Jewish nation and faith. The time came, however, when her days were numbered, and the drama of Calvary was followed a few years later by the onslaught of Titus, the Roman emperor, who encompassed the city round on every side and leveled it to the ground.

Round its ruined walls Saracen and Crusader were to fight continuously for its possession, and Christian knights flocked from all lands to the rescue of the holy places, until in 1099 Godfrey de Bouillon defeated his enemies and was chosen as the first Christian king of Jerusalem.

Following this, for a considerable period the city remained in Christian hands, until in 1517 it was captured by the Turks.

Strain of Flying.

Aero-neurosis is the name which is sometimes given to nervous troubles brought about by the strain of flying. It has been said that an airman's life consists of "long spells of intense fear." He has to endure intense cold, rain, wind, and fog, the nerve-racking noise of the engine, the anti-aircraft fire, and to "loop, spin, dive, or sideslip, apparently out of control, to deceive an opponent. An interesting nerve test has been devised in France for selecting the best type of airmen for fighting. Around his chest is a pneumograph, in his left hand a trembler, and around two fingers of his right hand a pneumatic "deigiter." Behind the candidate a revolver shot is fired or a magnesium flare is set off, and a record of the effect on his nerves is obtained by means of stylets writing on a blackened revolving cylinder.

One of Uncle Sam's Boys.

Although he had twice been unable to make his way through a steam-filled compartment, Walter D. McLea, a chief machinist's mate, national naval volunteers, United States navy, made a third go at it, and with success. In doing this he prevented a much more serious accident, and for his valor has been commended by the secretary of the navy. The engine room had been filled with live steam when the breaking of the filler carried away the exhaust lines of the steering engine. At the first alarm McLea tried to enter the compartment where the steam was escaping, but it was not until he had made three trips down the ladder that he was successful in stopping the flow. McLea went into the navy April 8, 1917, entering the naval volunteers at Erie, Pa.

The Blessing in Disguise.

Girl—How much for a marriage license, please?

Registrar—Ten shillings.

Girl—I've only got five shillings with me.

Registrar—Then you're lucky.—London Opinion.

Dry Egypt.

Scientists have discovered an immense amount of underground water in Egypt and plans are under way for boring an extensive system of wells for use in dry seasons.

Set for About Five.

"What kind of an alarm clock have you, Smith?"

"Two years old, chubby, full of ginger and with lungs like a fire gong."—Boston Evening Transcript.

Vaulting.

"Speaking of vaulting ambition—"

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"Ferdy wants to be a champion at the high jump."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

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It is the purpose of the progressive concerns whose names appear on this page, to present arguments of such convincing nature that the people of this community will respond thereto with the result that they will make a solemn pledge, to first endeavor to get what they need from home merchants before sending their money out of town.

The time for considering this question couldn't be more opportune than the present. "Preparedness," the watchword of Canada, should begin at home and can be exemplified in no more far reaching manner than by real co-operation in this vitally important "BUY AT HOME" movement. It is a thought that should be taken to heart and given consideration by every person who cares their living in, or owes their success to this community.

This campaign is launched in the firm belief that the people of [illegible] county will follow the dictates of their good sense, and bring the "BUY AT HOME" to an actuality that will be of vast benefit to the entire territory.

This movement is no selfish propaganda of these progressive concerns who have combined in co-operative community appeal. They urge that you read the brief message they will give each week through the columns of The Telescope. They invite you to give careful consideration to the facts which will be presented. To talk this matter over with your friends and neighbors. Results are sure to follow.

The firm resolve to "BUY AT HOME" will not only help the retail merchants, but the manufacturer and jobber, the farmers, adjacent to our town, the general merchants in the nearby towns, it will help every line of business, it will either directly or indirectly benefit every individual of this section.

NOW IS THE TIME TO SELECT your Christmas presents. If you are thinking of buying anything in the jewelry line just give me a chance to show you what I have in stock and you will save money. C. Reichenbach, Jeweler.

THE ELITE MILLINERY CARRIES the latest creations in ladies' and children's trimmed and untrimmed hats. Just think of our store when thinking of a hat. Boost Walkerton. The Elite Millinery Parlors.

WINTER IS HERE. HOW ABOUT that winter suit or over coat. Our stock is large and every pattern of cloth to choose from, also we carry a line of mens' furnishings. S. A. Rife & Co., Tailors.

DON'T SEND OUT OF TOWN FOR groceries. Just call me up and your money will stay in town. I sell just as cheap as the fellow in the big city. Give me a trial. C. Patrick, Grocer.

WHEN GIVING YOUR NEXT OR-der for groceries just insist on them sending you a loaf of O'Malley's Bread, or call us up and we will deliver to your home. John O'Malley's, Bakery.

WE PRIDE OURSELVES ON OUR baked goods. If you have not tested our products yet you have missed a good deal, so get busy and call our wagon. We deliver. A. Hehn, Baker.

YOU WILL FIND IT TO OUR AD-vantage to get our special prices in blankets, robes, mits, gloves and single harness. Buy at home and help build up Walkerton. R. E. Heughan, Harness.

THE DOLLARS YOU SPEND OUT of town are gone forever. If you buy at home you are liable to get it back the next day. See us for your Hardware, Stoves, etc. Our prices will help to keep the trade at home. S. W. Vogan, Hardware.

BRING IN YOUR CATALOGUE AND we will compare prices in Harness and robes, my stock is large and I guarantee all my goods. Now for repairing harness, I can do your job, at a fair price, give me a chance. Alex McCarter, Harness, Etc.

WHEN IT COMES TO DRY GOODS and Groceries we carry a complete line of both, so why send out of town when you can do just as well and better here buy at home and boost our town. J. H. Appel Gen. Merchandise.

WE CAN SUPPLY THE WHOLE family in shoes in any style and our prices are the lowest. See us first and save money. We are boosters for Walkerton, are you? If so buy at home. M. J. Ramsey, Shoes for the Family.

Now's the time to Order Your **New Suit and Overcoat**

You get fit finish and style if you order it from

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Buy at home.

Local news on every page.

The pension department is paying out to-day at the rate of $15,000,000 annually. These pensions represent allowances to more than 50,000 men or dependents. The number has grown from 3,000 in 1916, the year in which the pension board was inaugurated.

County Council Sitting

Bruce County Council is holding its December meeting this week. Straightening up the odds and ends of the year's business will be the chief work. County Road matters will come up for considerable discussion, and the Soldiers' Land Scheme is to receive consideration.

Local news on every page.

At Haileybury last week, the Haileyburian says, $30 a ton was asked for hay. Please keep off the grass.

Fell Sixty Feet

Cadet Oscar Schwindt writes home from Dublin, Ireland, that he fell 60 ft. in his recent "crash". His machine being smashed to smithereens.

Fred Anderson Home

Fred Anderson, one of the 164th. stalwarts, who had a job as Military Police while the battalion was mobilized in Walkerton, arrived home yesterday noon from Overseas. Fred's home is at Cargill. He is one of four brothers who went Overseas, of whom Lou Anderson, of Truax's factory is one.

CARD OF THANKS

Misses Marie and Jeane Miller and Mr. Albert Miller wish to thank their friends and neighbors, and also the ladies of the I. O. D. E. for many kindnesses during their recent illness.

Buy at home.

Local news on every page.

Andrew Kirstine Hurt

Mr. Andrew Kirstine, South Line, Brant, received a severe jolt on Saturday evening, when a cow that he was tying in the stable, turned on him and shaved him violently against the side of the stall, badly wrenching his shoulder. Mr. Kirstine, who had but lately recovered from a lengthy indisposition, will be laid up a few days.

BORN

CHESNEY—In Walkerton, on Monday Dec. 2, to Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Chesney, a daughter.

HOHNSTTIN—In Carrick on Monday Nov. 25th., to Mr. and Mrs. John Hohnstein, a son.

O'CONNOR—At Arlington, Ill., on November, , to Mr. and Mrs. P. D. O'Connor, a son.

HUTTON—In Brant, on Tuesday Dec. 3, to Mr. and Mrs. Russel Hutton, a daughter.

Buy at home.

Local news on every page.

HOSPITAL REPORT FOR NOV.

Supt's report for the month of November:—

No of patients treated during the month..... 31

No. of patients admitted 16

No of patients discharged relieved 14

No. of patients died..... 2

No. of operations..... 6

Dr. Stalker attending non paying patients.

Drs. Stalker, Hall, Sinclair, Henderson and Bricker attending pay patients.

Dr. Porter, anaesthetist, Drs. Laird Leonard and H. Stalker assistant surgeons.

A number of influenza and pneumonia cases but no deaths.

Donations for Nov.

Mr. John Condy, bag of apples, and a bag of potatoes; Miss Hawkins, 5 doz. eggs, carrots and onions; Mrs. Addis, apples and pickles; Mrs. O. Klein, infant's dress; Mr. Wilton, bag of apples and cabbage; Mr. Malcolm Nicholson, treat for nurses. NOTE—Old linen or cloth of any kind is requested.

High School Notes

There will be much weeping and wailing on the part of those students, who, having been neglectful of their studies, failed to imbibe sufficient knowledge to obtain an average of sixty per cent on the examinations of the past month. It is hoped that any such delinquents will turn from their evil ways, and walk henceforth in the straight and narrow path. The all too frequently published report appears in this week's issue of the local papers, and some of the young pupils are afraid to go home for other reasons than that of darkness.

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The pupils were very busy on Saturday gathering papers. Their collection was quite a success, as a great many newspapers and magazines found their way to headquarters. Those on the reception committee, whose duties were to tie up all loose papers, had a busy time of it; but nobody died from over-exertion, strange though it may seem.

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Some of the boys became greatly interested in the fall assizes here recently, and went so far as to attend court instead of appearing at school. While they enjoyed themselves at the time, they had to serve another little court on their return, and they have since decided to leave courts strictly alone.

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The students are becoming anxious about the number of cases of influenza in town. They fear that the schools will be closed and, ready to submit to any ruling of the Board of Health, they hope no such action will be taken. The situation, however, warrants this step and the citizens endangered for their children. They feel that it is their duty to make the sacrifice and are prepared to shelve their own interests.

WALKERTON HIGH SCHOOL

The results of the weekly examinations held during October and November are given below. The [illegible] aimed for honors is 75 per cent, and to pass 50 per cent. The names are given in order of merit. Where numbers occur after names they denote percentage.

FORM I.

SUBJECTS—History, Arith., Eng. Grammar, Latin.

HONOURS—A. Rueta, B. Hunter.

PASS—R. Wilhelm, S. Wilton, W. Zettel, H. Walker, I. Inglis, L. Kelly.

Between 66 and 50 per cent—J. [illegible] Friesel, I. Stevens, G. Lettner, A. Weller, E. Weiss.

Below 50 per cent—J. Rennie, A. Reichenbach, W. Johnston, J. McNally.

SUBJECTS—History, Arith., Eng., Grammar, Rl. Science.

HONOURS—G. McCarter.

PASS—F. Obrecht, N. Schorbach, G. Eichenbach, A. Pinkerton, A. Brockelbank, M. Pettepiare.

Between 66 and 50 per cent—Godwin, H. Tolton, F. Crawford, Meagher, G. Gale, I. Scott, E. Tam[illegible], G. Swanston, L. Lippert, M. Bell.

Below 50 per cent—V. Anderson.

Those that wrote on fewer than four subjects with their percentages—M. McGregor 66, K. Sutton, 54, Johnston, 47, L. Brockelbank, 3[illegible], Schumacher, 31.

FORM II.

Subjects—Composition, Geography Art, Arithmetic.

HONORS—H. Dietrich.

PASS—D. Kenny, G. Miller, S. Brenner, S. Oberle, V. Skelton, J. Reuber, M. Yuck, E. Elder, G. Kirchhofer.

Between 69 and 50 per cent—J. Isenay, C. Cuinn, C. Coumane, F. O'Hagen, E. Kryderman, L. Miller, V. Bush, S. Cargill, C. Garland.

Those that wrote on fewer than four subjects—G. Van Horne, 72, A. Lauchentur, 67, G. Thompson, 44.

FORM III.

Subjects—Composition, Literature Chemistry, History.

Pass—C. McNab, A. Reinhart, I. Moore, M. Kenny.

Between 66 and 50 per cent. N. Shaw, S. Grenzebach, H. Johnston, E. Ramsey, E. Stevens.

Below 50 per cent—H. Irwin, S. Reichenbach, A. Condy, L. Wallace, J. Norrish, R. Weller, F. Brockelbank, T. Wilton.

Those that wrote on fewer than four subjects—E. Lindsay, 58, M. Wilson, 49, H. Farewell, B. Thompson, 42.

FORM IV.

Subjects—History, Trigonometry, Physics, Literature.

A. McCool 87, V. Tavell 68, B. McCool 66, C. Cargill, 53, W. Ramsay, 50 per cent on two subj. etc.

Landed in Halifax

Mr. Henry Williams receive[illegible] gram Tuesday afternoon that [illegible] Bell had landed at Halifax. [illegible] few days before a cable from Eng[illegible] announced Vic's arrival in Old L[illegible] from a German prison camp.

NEWS OF OUR NEIGHBORING TOWNS, VILLAGES AND COUNTRYSIDE

:-: Happenings of the Past Week Collected for the Readers of The Telescope by a capable Staff of Wideawake Correspondents :-:

CARGILL

Don't forget the big concert "Ellan Comes Today", in the Foresters' Hall, Dec. 13th. Have a jolly evening and help the Red Cross.

Mrs. Johnston (nee Estella Keyes) and babe are visiting at Mrs. Thos. Keyes'.

Rev. Ferguson of Stratford occupied the Methodist pulpit on Sunday night in the interests of the Lord's Day Alliance.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sparling of Norval, Ont. who visited at Mr. H. Cliff's the past week or so have returned home.

The merchants are busy getting ready for the Xmas trade.

Wm. and Karl Cliff left this week for Oshawa where they will reside in future and where their brother have good jobs.

Mrs. Wells of Southampton visited at Mr. S. Cargill's on Tuesday.

EDEN GROVE

Many were the pies burned and cakes scorched last week while our curious cooks flattened their nasal pianos—I almost said nasal organs but Eden Grove is up to date, against the window pains to watch the real estate shuffle. .

It was some shuffle. , The slums of our great City resembled an active ant hill or Camp Borden in its palmy days. Firstly Mac Scott, our genial Merchant Prince, moved from his old home at 309 Chicken Row to his new abode in the old McKeeman mansion at the corner of Bargain avenue and Cheap Street. Secondly the Mayor of Palmerston in 1920 moved to that City from his residence in the shade of the Century Building. Mr. W. Fair was one of our oldest and most esteemed citizens. In fact, with the double exception of myself and the late lamented Monsieur Bum, he was the best loved of our vill—I mean City. A Methodist expressed the sentiments of all when he said, "He hoped Allah would, among his new kids, enjoy a lucky run of cards now enough to boost the pot." (Did he mean anyhow?) A carving set was presented to Fair and a gold watch and a good sum of money to William as a parting gift by his neighbors.

Just come to my notice that Edmore in the county police Ha, Ha, Ha, Ha, Ha, Oh, Ha, Ha. What am I laughing? I don't know, Ha, Ha, Ha, Ha. Someone please tell us who the mysterious figure that in the air regularly winds his way down the main artery of our City with a hunt hook over his shoulder? Please explain how this instrument is used in an affair of this kind.

Is the fact that the extra men laid off this section at the same time a large proportion of the present on strike prove that they had eggs?

Don't you glad you're not burning coal this Xmas? Santa would have to risk a slide down your chimney if you were.

I laughed in my sleep last night. A little mirth provoking frag- ment of my dream still abide with me.

It appeared to me that in the land of Nod, they were choosing a delegation to the Heavenly Alliance. Purgatory or something and several of Eden Grove were trying to get the job by giving reasons for sending them down.

"The time I spent a nickle foolishly" suggested John Seiler with pardonable pride.

"Mine was no time. I am still building a house" said Scudy Gallingly.

"Your alarm clock is too quiet. I'd like one that wouldn't" exclaimed T. R. Agent.

"I haven't sold my house yet" was Hansen's contribution.

"Get me a wife and I'll tackle anything" cheered Mike.

Finally they gave John Killen the job of ten days leave of absence with his mate.

MILDMAY

The Alvin Concert Co. are conducting concerts till Wed. evening of this week and are holding a contest for the most popular young lady in Mildmay.

The ladies of the Mildmay Public Library are in charge of a sale of home baking in the store of Friday. They also intend to have a fish pond for the merchants of the village. The funds thus secured are to be given to a most worthy cause, the Sick Children's Hospital, Toronto. We commend the industry of both Mr. J. T. Kidd and Mr. Jacob Schwalm and all- so by the pupils in this work.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Waechter of the Elora road South made a short business trip to the County town on Monday.

The time of the falling of snow has come and the voice of the dying porker is heard in the land.

The season for skating is near now but no one has leased our rink so far. It is to be hoped some one will take it in hand so far.

Mrs. Schulter received a letter from her son Pte. Anthony of the 160th, which was written Nov. 11th. "Tony" said that the officers just came around and told the boys that the armistice had been signed and he said he hoped to be back home again soon.

The young mens' organized Bible Class of the Evangelical Church met last Monday evening at the home of Mr. Garfield Eickmeir. A good meeting was held and some fine singing was given. Mr. and Mrs. Eickmeir then served the boys with an appetizing lunch. These are monthly meetings and are a fine thing for the moral welfare of not alone the young men but the entire village.

Mr. Fred Buhlman who was working near Edmonton in Alberta came home last Sat. night and will spend a month or so of his home here.

No work has been done at the water tank near the fire hall for the past six days the cold wet weather being the cause.

Mr. Garfield Eickmeir is open for business as usual in his barber shop.

PINKERTON

Mr. Ferguson of Stratford preached in the Presbyterian Church here on Sunday in the interests of the Lord's Day Alliance.

Miss MacIntyre of Glamis spent a few days with Mrs. Fitzimmons whose condition is somewhat improved.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Cummins and Mrs. Elliot of Molesworth motored up and spent a few days at Mrs. James Murray's.

Rev. Mr. Gale left on Friday for a short visit at his son's, Rev. Jas. Gale of Hyde Park.

Hughie Campbel youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Campbel fell and broke his arm while sleigh-riding on Saturday.

RIVERSDALE

The Ball held in the Forester Hall last Friday evening under the auspices of two young gentlemen was in every way successful. The music which was furnished by a local orchestra was grand.

Mr. Jos. Bannerman and Miss Annie spent Sunday at Jack Cassidy's.

Mr. Archie McKinnon and daughter Jessie returned home after visiting his sisters in Detroit.

BORN—On Thursday Nov 28th, to Mr and Mrs. Stephan a daughter.

The Sacrament of the Lords Supper will be held on Sunday Dec. 8th, in the Presbyterian church here. Preparatory service will be held on Friday and conducted by the Rev. Mr. Reid of South Kinloss.

Mr. Wilfred Caskanette has returned home after spending the last few months in the West.

Miss Florence Cunningham of Walkerton spent a few days of last week with Miss Grace McDonald.

The young Ladies of the R. C. church held a very successful euchre party in the Hall last Wednesday night, Mrs. Nick O'Hagan and Mr. Gues Cassidy winning the first prizes and Miss Agnes Cassidy and Mr. Val Schurter of Chepstow the booby prizes.

Mrs. P. O'Hagan of Guelph is visiting the home of Mr. Albert Dietrich this week.

GLAMIS

Miss Pearl Vance sundayed at her home on 4th. Bruce.

The Red Cross Workers here purpose holding their annual meeting (which was postponed owing to the epidemic) on Tuesday Dec. 17th, 1918.

Miss McIntyre spent the week-end with Mrs. Fitzsimmons of Pinkerton who is very low.

Rev. E. Cameron of Marshville preached in the Bantist Church on Sunday.

Mrs. McCormick returned to her home in Pinkerton on Friday.

On Sunday Purdys Church celebrated their 50th Anniversary. A number from here attended.

Quite a number from here are attending the Evangelist's Services in the U. B. Church, Con. 4 Bruce.

All will be pleased to know that our good friend Mr. Graves, Mail Contractor, for the past 11 years has again been re-engaged for a term of four years, at an increase of salary.—No one wanted to see "Daddy" lose the job.

Nell Colwell of the R. A. F. of Toronto visited his sister Mrs. J. D. Robertson on Monday.

GREENOCK COUNCIL

Rose's Hotel, Pinkerton,
Nov. 15th, 1918.

Council met as per adjournment, all the members present, the reeve in the chair. Minutes of last meeting read and adopted.

The following accounts were presented for payment: Chas. Webb, 85 yds. gravel, per sllv 54, $5.60; Jas. Quinlan, 133 yds. gravel, per dirs. 21, 22, $13.30; Jos. L. Arnett, iron for bridges, con. 10, $10; Geo. Bell, filling approaches at Clark's bridge, $1.50; P. Daley, cleaning ditch and hauling gravel, con. 10, $20; John O'Hagan, putting in culvert, s. l. 15, $8; H. Clark, lights at bridge, $4.75 A. E. Knox, room for council meeting, $2.

Sawyer—Gilchrist—That the foregoing accounts, being found correct, be paid, and that the reeve and treasurer be authorized to sign checks for same.—Carried.

Campbell—Symon That this council do now adjourn to meet at Chepstow on Monday, Dec. 16th., for general business.—Carried.

Thos. H. Purdy, Clerk.

TO THE FARMING PUBLIC

Last week a piece appeared in the Telescope that we had closed up our Walkerton Cream station. We wish to advise the public that we have been perfectly satisfied with the business we have had in Walkerton, and during the winter our patrons will ship their cream to us and save the expense of driving over to Walkerton, during the cold weather. But don't forget we will open again in the Spring, and pay you spot cash for your cream

The Wingham Creamery.



1½ H. P. Engines $90; 3 H. P. $160; 6 H. P. $275

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LIEUT. JACK McGARITY

Mr. and Mrs. P. McGarity of Brant have certainly reason to be proud of their son, Jack, whose commission as a lieutenant has recently been gazetted. Jack enlisted as a private, as did his gallant brother, Dan, who was killed in action early in the war, and besides winning promotion at the Front step by step Jack has been twice decorated for gallantry, winning the Military Medal with bar. Jack was in old London the day the Armistice was signed and he wrote home the following interesting letter:—

Dear Father and Mother,

Well I am back once more to my reserve unit in England and am quite pleased the way things are going. I passed my examination O. K., came second so that isn't too bad is it?

We had seven days leave and say I was in London on Monday 11th, Nov. and talk about a night, say the people nearly went mad. The doings were a sight worth seeing. Isn't it great that the war is practically over. I can hardly believe it and now I am longing to get home. I may have to go to France for a time but I am not sure. Anyway I won't have to dodge bullets this time. It is going to be a big job getting the men all home again. I hope I make it for Christmas. It surely will be a big day when all land in Canada. I would like to go back with the old 38th Battalion I am not sure if I will. I can hardly believe the war is over but we sure beat them to it. I hope those in authority get after those responsible for the war good and strong. I would like to deal with them and believe me they would suffer.

The training is still going on here but men are being sent home all the time I believe.

We have very good quarters here. This is Saturday evening and I am devoting my time to letter writing. I owe many and hope they won't get sore at me for not answering. I am in charge of the Roman Catholic parade to-morrow. I will write you about it later. How is Dad, I will be able to give him a hand in the spring I hope. By Jove it will be great to be home again.

I hope everybody is well. I will write soon again.

Best Love,
Jack McGarity.

Another Toronto doctor has been fined $500 and costs for issuing liquor permits to "patients" whom he had not examined.

KNOX HONORS MEMORY

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value to our churches and he hoped that those who are interested in Educational things would give this more than a passing thought, and help to see that something definite is done. If democracy is to be made safe for the world, rabid partisanship must go, and there must be a readjustment of social conditions. Not only must we discourage the formation of an aristocracy in Canada but we banish the class distinction that exists between the laborers and the idle rich. We must educate people to the dignity of laboring with their hands as well as with their heads. There must be a readjustment of industrial conditions. The laborer is worthy of his hire and we must see that he gets it. The church must come out strongly for democracy. Democracy can be made safe for the world only by Democracy being made Christian, and democracy can be made Christian only by Christianity being made democratic.

From a church announcement in Minneapolis: "What punishment is adequate for the Kaiser? Singing by the quartette."

Tenders Wanted

Tenders will be received up to the 16th. day of December for the Building of a wooden Bridge, Concrete Abutments at each end, over the Teeswater River and known as Symons Bridge. Tenders may be separate or in the whole, both timber and Concrete.

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Memorial Service for Fallen Heroes at Knox Church, Sunday December 1

ORDER OF SERVICE

MORNING

THANKSGIVING FOR CESSATION OF HOSTILITIES AND THE PROSPECTS OF AN EARLY PEACE

Organ Prelude — "O Canada" — Lavallee
Doxology
Invocation
Ps. Sel. 99 — "Now Israel May Say"
Scripture Selections & Responses — "Praise ye the Lord" — Music by Samuel P. Warren
Hymn 23 — "The Lord is King."
Prayer
Announcements
Anthem — "O Worship the King." — Maunder.
Offering & Dedicatory Prayer.
Hymn 474 — "O God Our Help in Ages Past."
Sermon — "Making Democracy Safe For the World."
Prayer
Solo — "Land of Mine" — H. Lane Wilson. Mr. E. H. Leeson.
Hymn 503 — "To Thee Our God We Fly."
Benediction
God Save the King
Organ Postlude — "Gloria" — Mozart

EVENING

MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR OUR FALLEN HEROES

Organ Prelude — "Trio From Funeral March" — Chopin.
Choir — "They Laid the World Away" — Music by Mr. Leeson
Invocation
Ps. Sel. 97 — "Unto the Hills."
Scripture — Hebrews 11 — "The Heroes of Faith."
Hymn 147 — "Come Ye Disconsolate."
Prayer
Announcements
Anthem — "There is a Green Hill" — Gounod (Solo Miss Rowland)
Offering & Dedicatory Prayer
Hymn 230 — "The Son of God Goes Forth To War."
Sermon — "Hold High the Torch"
Solo — "The Promise of Life." — Cowen. Miss Irwin.
Hymn 261 — "For All the Saints."
In Memoriam — "Our Heroic Dead."
Organ (Congregation Standing) — "Dead March From Saul." — Handel.
Benediction
Evening Prayer
God Save the King.
Organ Postlude

"THEY GAVE THEIR TO DAY FOR OUR TOMORROW"

IN MEMORIAM

"GREATER LOVE HATH NO MAN THAN THIS, THAT A MAN LAY DOWN HIS LIFE FOR HIS FRIENDS."

Joseph Best	William Lindsay
George E. Clark	Reginald McCarter
Howard Gransden	Daniel McPhail
Gordon Hogg	Clark Ottle
J. B. Huffman	C. Eric Robertson
Ray. L. Hyslop	William Swanson
Fred Kenny	Harry Wade

"These all died in faith, not having received the promises, but having seen them afar off, and were persuaded of them, and embraced them . . . . . And these all having obtained a good report through faith, received not the promise. God having provided some better thing for us, that they without us should not be made perfect."

"They laid the world away, poured out the red sweet wine of youth; gave up the years to be of work and joy, and that unbegot serene that men call age, and those who would have been their sons, they gave their immortality."

IN FLANDERS FIELDS

In Flanders fields the poppies blow
Between the crosses row on row
That mark our place, and in the sky
The larks still singing bravely fly.
Scarce heard amidst the guns below.

We are the dead. Short days ago
We lived, felt dawn, saw sunset glow,
Loved and were loved, and now we lie
In Flanders fields.

Take up our quarrel with the foe.
To you from failing hands we throw
The torch; be yours to hold it high.
If ye break faith with us who die
We shall not sleep, though poppies grow
In Flanders fields.

"LET US PLAY THE MEN FOR OUR PEOPLE, AND FOR THE CITIES OF OUR GOD, AND THE LORD DO THAT WHICH SEEMETH HIM GOOD." — 2 Sam. 10-12.

OUR HONOUR ROLL

FOR KING AND COUNTRY

*Louis Anderson	†Fred Kenny	Ruth Robertson
Wm. Anderson	*W. G. Kingsbury	H. L. Robertson
F. W. Anderson	T. G. Lamb	†C. Eric Robertson
William Anderson	Walter Lamb	Harold D. Robertson
Harold Bamford	*S. Leake	M. Roy Robertson
†Joseph Best	†William Lindsay	Arthur Robertson
Joseph Cain	George Marr	E. L. Robertson
*Henry Campbell	*R. J. Merchant	*Robert C. Rowland
Hugh Campbell	Levi Miller	J. W. Rowland
†George E. Clark	Maj. A. M. Moffatt	*Oscar Schwindt
John R. Clark	†Reginald McCarter	James H. Scott
E. R. Clark	G. M. McCarter	Stanley Scott
Lorne Craig	Stanley McConnel	T. A. Scott
*James Coulter	Leslie McConnel	Fred Service
W. T. Davey	*A. McConnel	George Sillers
G. A. Fenner	Alex McCannel	*Simon Small
Wilfred Freeman	*James McCallum	James Small (Missing)
Clayton Freeman	*N. McDonald	M. J. E. Stalker
Dr. J. J. Fenser	H. E. McDougall	†William Swanson
Gordon A. Gibson	Wilfred McFarlane	*Walter F. Swanson
David C. Girvin	*D. A. McGregor	*Arthur Taggart
*Austin Gransden	*Wilfred McKay	Frank Taggart
†Howard Gransden	Clifford McKay	W. B. Thompson
*Herbert Henderson	Charles McKay	Allan Todd
J. Henderson	*Arthur McNally	*Robert Turner
*Roy Henderson	Gordon McNally	†Harry Wade
Russel Hermeston	Neil McNeil (Missing)	J. J. Wallace
Marion Heughan	†Daniel McPhail	John Wallace
A. E. Heughan	C. E. McWhinney	William Weidner
Norman Hilbert	I. A. Nairn	Lt. Col. A. Weir
†Gordon Hogg	Elmer Nelly	George H. Wells
Norman Huck	J. C. Oliver	*Henry Wettlaufer
John W. Huckle	†Clarke Ottle	G. M. Wettlaufer
†J. H. Huffman	Harold Patterson	Russel White
Russel Hutton	*S. P. Pinkney	Jessie S. Wilson
†Ray L. Hyslop	*Earl Pinkney	T. Melville Wilson
John Jackson	Elizabeth May Hennis	W. C. Winters
*Fred Jewel	J. H. Rennie	H. W. Woods
*Stanley Johnston	*J. Reichenbach	116 Names

*Wounded †Killed in Action

"I am going just for one reason, because I think I ought to go. I am giving up everything I have to go, but after all there is nothing very wonderful about that, for millions of men have done the same thing. It is a time of sacrifice for everybody and with my youth and health I couldn't very well do anything else, could I?" — C. Eric Robertson.

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AN OLD ILLUSION BOBS UP

(London Advertiser)

The controversy which broke out two years ago over the "disappearance" of Lord Kitchener is once more raging throughout the British Isles and threatens to become a minor issue of the election campaign. Although the government has made it very clear that Kitchener perished while on his way to Russia when the Hampshire went to the bottom, there is still an amazingly large number of his countrymen who believe the official report of the disaster was a dodge to blind the enemy while the great soldier put over some sensational military feat.

The most popular of these explanations is that as a spy he assumed the task of penetrating to the innermost war secrets of the Hun. Later he was heralded as leader of the great Russian drive against Austria, camouflaged as "General Brussilof." Even the grotesque suggestion that he was leading some of the armies to destruction as Kaiser's German commander disguised as a porters. Now ...et found its supand Kitch... that the war is over, these ...ncer has not turned up, ne... sincere romancers profess to ...ing something political in his non-appearance. "Where is Kitchener" may become a slogan of the ballot-battle which has just opened in the Old Country.

The Kitchener illusion illustrates an odd twist in the mental make-up of many. Once the victim has become possessed of an idea, however unreasonable and easily refuted it may be, he sticks to it, or rather it sticks to him. He will never be convinced by explanations that are at once accepted by the average man as absolute proof. Right here in Canada we have an instance of this. Hundreds of citizens still believe that a huge Russian army passed through Canada two years ago bound to the western front. It doesn't matter that the British government has officially stated the Russians were brought from Archangel by sea or that a high C.P.R. official has declared the system has not carried a solitary Russian soldier. Folk at Winnipeg, Port Arthur, Toronto and Montreal had seen miles and miles of troop trains carrying Russians hurrying through at readnight, and that was all there was to it. Some of these clean-cut, spruce Canucks, from the coast and the prairie will not feel flattered perhaps, when they ... mistaken for a lot of shaggy, lumbering Muscovites. Those who "saw" what they couldn't possibly have witnessed are quite sincere in their contention. They are not Munchausens or just plain, every day liars. They "know" they are right, and will believe so to the end of the chapter, even were proofs to the contrary piled heaven-high. They will carry the illusion into the next world and will smile knowingly when the celestial information bureau tells them they were wrong.

WAR SAVING AND THRIFT STAMPS AT POST OFFICE.

It is the intention of the Canadian Government to offer for sale on and after December 2nd, War Savings and Thrift Stamps.

By this means not only will the Canadian Government, it is hoped, secure moneys that can be profitably expended in the reconstruction period, but the war savings plan offers to the small investor an ... absolutely safe security at an ... absolutely interest, being or ... cellent rate of compounded ... er 4½ per cent., Savings S... emi-annually. A War the G... amp is a stamp for which or ...overnment will pay you $5.00 ... Jan. 1st., 1924, and will cost you between $4.00 and $4.11 during 1919 depending upon the month in which it is purchased. A thrift stamp is a stamp costing 25 cents to be applied in payment for a War-Savings stamp. It does not earn interest. The purpose of its issue is to enable people to accumulate in small sums the amount necessary to pay for a War-Savings stamp. If you want to begin to save on the War-Savings plan take $4.00 to the post office, buy a War Savings stamp and ask for a War Savings certificate. You will get fuller information on application.

TO CHECK CONTAGION.

"Do not cough or sneeze without a handkerchief before the face." Since the outbreak of influenza, how often have doctors, and others interested in public health, advised us of this, and yet how frequently is the warning disregarded?

The failure to obey this simple rule is probably responsible for the spread of much contagion. Take for example those in the early, unaffected stages of consumption — a single, unguarded cough may release millions of deadly tubercle bacilli; to be breathed in by others around.

Until recent years consumption was considered incurable, but we now know that it can be cured if taken in time. The Muskoka Free Hospital has proved this without a doubt, for thousands of its patients have been restored to health and lives of usefulness.

One ex-patient of that hospital writes as follows: "Just eight years ago this Christmas time I entered your Sanatorium. I was a very sad and discouraged girl that Christmas Eve, but I have been home over seven years, and I can hardly believe that I ever had T. B. I look back to the days I spent there, with great thanks to God and those faithful workers who understood our cases and needs, and ministered to us so faithfully."

To carry on this great work the Muskoka Free Hospital for Consumptives is again appealing for help. There is much to do. Will you lend a hand?

Contributions may be sent to Sir William J. Gage, 84 Spadina Avenue, Toronto, or to George A. Reid, Secretary-Treasurer, 347 Bathurst Street, Toronto.

HYDRO ON THE FARM

Tara Farmer Lights His Buildings, Yards, and Uses "Juice Freely For Power

One of the most prosperous farmers of ...cesaive and Mr. Allan Donald ... this district is ...ead of Derby ... of the 6th., side Tara Leader ... Township, says the the hydro ... He recently installed what ... on his premises and on in... Tara the Reeve and Council of ...ara accompanied by Messrs. Wm. Collins, W. J. Taylor, Chas. Koehler, John Watson (jr.) and C. R. Van Buren motored to his farm last night to inspect the lighting system. On approaching Mr. Donald's premises the first thing that is noticeable is that the yards are brilliantly lighted. That Mr. Donald is an up-to-date farmer was quite apparent when one looked through his buildings as they are a model of cleanliness and convenience. The barns and stable are completely equipped with the hydro and in the stalls running water is provided for the stock. Mr. Donald informed us the cost of installing the hydro system was about $400.00 and he expected the cost to him for light would average about five dollars per month including service charge.

T...A ROOM'S GOOD WORK

...oung Ladies Raised Over Thirteen Hundred Dollars the Past Year To Meet the Expense of Sending Parcels To Our Boys in The Trenches.

The Walkerton Soldiers Overseas Auxiliary have met with great success during the year just ended. In the winter months the tea room was carried on as usual in a building given rent free by the owners, fuel, stoves, and light were kindly donated as before. The people of Walkerton and our friends in the country kept up our supplies every week. A lecture was kindly given by Lt. Col. Fraser and it proved both interesting and financially successful. The Garden Party had as an attractive feature a splendid parade showing the energy and genius of some of our patriotic citizens. About 250 parcels were sent during the year to boys of Walkerton and vicinity and letters received from them show how much these parcels were appreciated. Money was sent every month for our two prisoners of war, letters of sympathy were written to all whose sons had made the Supreme Sacrifice. One Honor Roll (the work of B. H. Farewell) was completed and placed in the public library and now that the war is over we hope to complete the other one in the coming year. The following officers were elected:—

President, F. Rowland, vice president, M. E. White, sec. treas. D. Benton, overseas sec. M. Robertson, D. McFarlane, and C. M. Wettlaufer, were added to executive, other members are R. Schwindt, G. Eckel, G. Oberle, F. Vogt, N. Rowland, F. Cosens, H. Farewell, E. Greig, and H. Whitehead.

Cash on hand, Dec. 1.	$414.50
Receipts	
Tea Room Receipts..	330 03
Small Suppers..	48 56
Donations..	58 33
Halifax Benefit.....	53 70
J. J. Fraser's lecture.....	64 60
Garden Party..	337 76
Total..	1337 54
Expenditures	
Running Expenses.....	72 60
Lecture	8 59
Garden Party	78 68
Soldiers Parcels 465 22	
Prisoners of war.. .....110 60	
French Orphanage..	25 00
Halifax Relief..	54 60
I.O.D.E. (for navy).. .. ..100 00	
Total.. .. .. .913 19	
Cash on hand.. .. .. .. .423 35	

Daisy Benton,
Sec. Treas.

JUROR FELL FROM TRAIN

Returning From Court At Walkerton Arran man Took Mysterious Tumble

Mystery surrounds the circumstances as to injury to Mr. Wilbert Simpson, of the 10th., Con. of Arran, who was returning home on the train Tuesday night from attending the Fall Assizes at Walkerton where he was one of the jurymen, says the Tara Leader. It is surmised that he went out on to the platform of the coach to see if the train were approaching Tara and as the train swung around the curve at Arrauvale he was thrown on the ground unconscious for over two hours as it was nearly one o'clock in the morning before he was able to walk to the home of Mr. Sam Harwood near the track to inform him of the accident and get assistance. He is suffering from injuries to his head and shoulder. It is hoped that he is not seriously injured. He was taken to his home yesterday afternoon.

Died In West

Mrs. Ray Caswell, of Success, Sask., wife of a former Pinkerton boy, was a recent victim of the flu. By her death her husband and five little children are sadly bereft.

Rev. Dr. Ross Breaks Leg

We regret to learn that the Rev. Dr. Ross of Norwich, a former pastor of the Methodist church here, while putting on storm windows the other day, fell and broke his leg.

The Boy Who Lies Out Yonder

These are the fathers and mothers who wept when the whistles blew,
Visioning over and visioning over, a little lad they knew;
Visioning over and over, and seeing once and again,
The little lad they had seen march off—a man—with men;
Broken of heart, undone, visioning now in their tears
An empty chair.....and the lonely, empty years.

What shall repay the services which nought on earth can repay?
How shall a nation render a thanks in its heart this day?
Whistle and horn and clamor, trumpet and shout and song—
But the boy who lies out yonder.....he will sleep long.
And the father and mother who lost him steal up to an empty place,
The mother with lips a-tremble, the man with his stony face
His room, she had kept it ready to welcome him back again.
Since the little lad they had cherished marched off—a man—with men
What shall requite their service, which nought on earth can requite?
Who shall appraise or name it who measures its worth aright?
Out from the noise and clamor, now while the siren blows,
What shall a nation whisper, knowing the debt it owes?
When the father and mother who lost him steal up to his room to weep
What word shall a nation send them to lighten the watch they keep?
For not in whistles or trumpets, and not in the tunes they play
Shall a broken heart of a mother find comfort and strength this day.
Not in the horns and trumpets—but e'en as the mourners kneel,
Thus shall a nation whisper "Now ye the pride we feel.
Ye who have paid your ransom, paid it in blood and tears,
Your sons have bought us freedom. Look! They have cleansed the years
And the thing they have bought us finer than palace of jewels and gold
The right of the weak to flourish as the strong have flourished of old,
Ye—ye have sown in your tears that a world may reap in joy.
Ye also have cleansed the years.....with the life of your boy."

These are the fathers and mothers who wept when the whistles blew,
Visioning over and visioning over a little lad they knew:
Visioning over and visioning over, and seeing once again
The little lad they had seen march off—a man—with men;
They have bought freedom....theirs are the holiest tears;
They and that sleeping boy, who have cleansed the years.

The Toronto Star Office.
Monday, Nov. 11, 1918.

G. H. M.

News About Town

Less than three weeks until Christmas.

Mr. C. L. Grant, drygoods merchant of Durham, was taken suddenly ill last Tuesday but is now reported to be making good progress. He is the father of Dr. C. L. Grant of Walkerton.

Presented With Purse

Rev. H. R. Musik, formerly Lutheran pastor here, was presented with an address and a well-filled purse on his birthday by the members of his congregation at New Hamburg, recently.

Should Let 'Em Grow

Mrs. Bridley was doing her marketing, and she was determind that the grocer should not take advantage of her youth and experience. "These eggs are dreadfully small," she criticized. "That's the kind the farmer brings me," answered the grocer. "They are just fresh from the country this morning." "Yes," said the bride, "and that's the trouble with those farmers. They are so anxious to get their eggs sold that they take them off the nest too soon."

Hydro At Pt. Elgin

Reports from reliable sources show that it is quite probable that the Hydro Electric commission will undertake large construction in Port Elgin by next Spring. For some time it has been known that Eugenia Falls is not sufficient to meet urgent requirements. Port Elgin plans were completed, but were held up on account of the war. Termination of hostilities has caused the Ontario government to turn its attention to the resumption of work which has been suspended, and the Hydro work will likely be pushed ahead. It is understood that two or three hundred men will be used to construct the work planned and that the job will take a couple of years—Port Elgin Times.

Compensation To Workmen

The total number of accidents reported to the Workmen's Compensation Board during the first three-quarters of 1918 was 16,602, as compared with 26,729 during the first three-quarters of 1917. This was an average of 156 accidents per day. The number for the first three-quarters of 1918 exceeded the total number reported during the whole of 1918 by 88. The fatal cases, however, showed a falling off, there being only 307 fatal cases during the first three-quarters of 1918 as against 382 fatal cases during the corresponding period of 1917. The total amount of compensation awarded under the provisions of the Act during the three-quarter year was $2,479,081.95, being an average of $16,-833.70 per day. The amount of compensation awarded during the first three quarters of 1917 was $2,284,811.-20.

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OF

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At a public hearing in Ottawa the other day in connection with paper conservation, the Paper Controller for Canada intimated that regulations about to be issued would include one of the effects that:

> Publishers of newspapers must cease sending their newspapers to subscribers three months in arrears, unless subscriptions be definitely renewed, and all arrears fully paid.

The reason for this regulation of the Paper Controller is that it is the practice of some publishers to send their newspapers until ordered stopped. It is to prevent paper waste that the new regulation has been decided on.

The manufacture of paper consumes labor, wood, coal, chemicals and transportation facilities, and every ton of paper means just so much more labor, raw materials, chemicals, fuel and transportation available for urgent war needs. For these reasons the Government insists that paper shall be saved and proposes that only these who pay for their publications will receive them.

Under these regulations The Telescope will have no choice in the matter of dealing with subscriptions in arrears for more than three months.

We need The Telescope, and we want to continue sending it to you. So, if your subscription is in arrears, please pay up at once to prevent a discontinuance of your subscription.

YOU WILL !

Remember your friends at Christmas with some token of friendship and you cannot think of anything more suitable than your photograph which must come from YOU. They cannot buy

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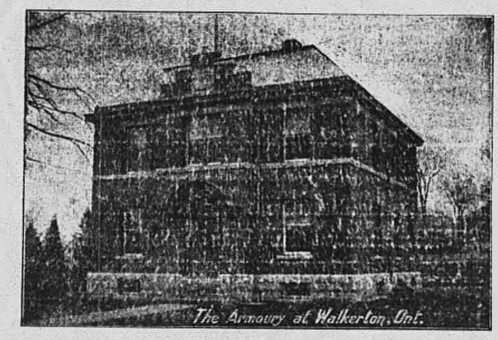
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Girls and boys who have been working hard on the farm during the summer should have a chance to improve their education this winter. Circulars free to any address.

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FAMILIAR SCENES IN WALKERTON:- No. 2



The Armoury at Walkerton, Ont.

THE ARMORY, WALKERTON.

TOWN AND DISTRICT NEWS

Local news on every page.

Miss Florence Cunningham spent a few days last week at Riverdale.

The principal of the Binscarth, Man., school carried on a correspondence course of study with his high school pupils while the school was closed on account of influenza.

It is estimated 25,000 persons anxious to go abroad remained in New York when three large Atlantic liners sailed, being unable to get accommodation on board the ships.

One of the first discharged men to reach home here was Herbert Erb, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Erb of Culross, who arrived home last Thursday from London where he had been training since June.

Mr. Frank Secord, editor of the Meaford Express, and son-in-law of Mr. Reid. Pinkney of Maple Hill, won the recent suit brought against him for criminal libel, the suit being dismissed and the plaintiff having to bear the costs of the action.

Report Not True

Mr. Peter O'Connor of Preston, must have been surprised last week when he read an item in a local paper stating that he was the father of a new daughter. The only thing wrong about the item was that it was not true.

Transferred To Toronto

Mr. Wm. Lumsden, son-in-law of Mr. R. H. McKay, who has been in charge of the out door plant in the Kingston—Toronto district for the Bell Telephone Co. has been promoted to an important post at Toronto, which will necessitate Mr. and Mrs. Lumsden removing from Belleville to the city.

Christmas Advertising

Just two weeks more, Mr. Merchant, to tell the folks what you have for Christmas presents. The war is over and 1918 Christmas will be one to be remembered. Use The Telescope advertising columns to tell your story. It's the best way. Make arrangements for special display space, if you have not done so already.

He Stopped Chautauqua

Miss Rita Irwin daughter of Mr. Wm. Irwin, publisher of the Durham Chronicle, returned last week from the West, where she was engaged in Chautauqua work. Owing to the prevalence of influenza the company had to give up after a couple of weeks work, and were sent to Swift Current where they spent five weeks waiting. The Company decided at last to abandon the work for the present. It may be taken up again next Spring but nothing definite is yet known.

Memorial For Our Soldiers

A Walkerton lady phoned the Telescope this week that she approved of the suggestion made in these columns last week to establish a soldiers' ward or endow the hospital as a memorial to the Walkerton boys who fell, and suggested further that if a down town monument be erected it take the form of a fountain on the armoury grounds which would add to the attractiveness of the Town's beauty spot. The Collingwood Bulletin last week suggested that a suitable memorial for that town would be to provide an endowment for the hospital, sufficient to ensure hospital attendance and service for returned men in years to come. This would stand as a reminder of those who died that others might go on enjoying the liberty of free men and at the same time bearing recognition of the services rendered by those who were privileged to take part in the struggle and return.

Local news on every page.

The loneliest job in the world is the job chosen by three Wyoming women, who are sheepherders on a ranch in Wyoming. Each girl cares for 2,500 sheep.

Reeve C. E. Whicher of Colpoys is putting an electric power plant in connection with his mill at Colpoys. It is expected that Mr. Whicher will also supply electric lighting for the village.

The oldest inhabitant has never seen so long a spell of continuous fine autumn weather, such as we have been enjoying this fall. Farm work never was finished up so well, and there has been a great saving in both feed and fuel.

The Boston World advertises that it's minimum rate for obituary poetry is a dollar a line. This month the Packet enters on its forty-ninth year, and has never yet published an obituary "poem". A uniform tariff of ten cents a line has proved prohibitive.—Orillia Packet.

We still cannot believe in our hearts that the war is over. It has lasted so long that it is a habit of thought which we find difficult to throw off. Then how much harder will it be for the men who have been soldiers for so long that they forget all about a civilian life.

To Promote Early Rising

Servant Girl—"I'm so awfully sleepy in the morning, doctor."

Doctor—"Ah! Have you a sweetheart, too? I ask?"

Servant Girl (blushing)—"Yes."

"Why is he, may I ask?"

"He's the night policeman."

"Ah, then, give him up, and fall in love with the milkman."

Mr. Cosens At Paisley

Paisley Methodist congregation made a big push against that huddle-out fee of church organization—lack of financial support—on the occasion of their anniversary on Sunday and Monday last, and latest reports indicate that the objective of $3500 offering will likely be attained. In point of spiritual and intellectual interest the anniversary was also a red letter occasion, as the people had the opportunity and privilege of again hearing a former pastor, Rev. C. W. Cosens, now of Walkerton, who during his pastorate of four years had won a warm place in the hearts of not only the denomination he ministered under, but also with the community in general. Mr. Cosens has lost none of his interesting individual style of preaching.—Paisley Advocate.

They Have Their Cross

A Canadian lady, who has lost her husband in the war, and who had sent her congratulations to one who had received the Victoria Cross, received the following in reply, a message to the bereaved so timely and helpful that one could wish that all sorrowing ones should see it:

A word of thanks for your congratulations. There are crosses and crosses—the Iron Cross of the Kaiser; the Victoria Cross that (by some fluke) is mine; but there is another and a greater, and those people at home have it who have lost husbands, fathers, and sons. I think Christ has conferred on them His Own Cross—the supreme distinction. And they have their Cross with little Crosses (my medals for them) their beloved are under Flanders mud—and all those sacrifices have only led down the ages of time, and will be in vain, for us, if we do not learn the lesson they have taught us. Those who have made the supreme sacrifice have only led down the Ages for their friends.

Local news on every page.

Christmas is just around the corner. You'll be wise to start your shopping now.

A Burnside, Man., correspondent writes that farmers in that part of the country have sown a lot of fall rye on the stubble. They have taken this method to hold the snow during winter and thus improve conditions in the Spring.

In York County police court last week a motorist was fined $20 and costs for "hogging" the road. The magistrate complimented the man who laid the information, saying that the practice is all too common on the Ontario highways.

Sandy was going on a visit to Glasgow, and having reached the booking office window, he planked down a pound note on the sill and said, "Single tae Glesca'." "Change at Stirling," said the booking clerk, proceeding to date the ticket. Sandy shook his head determinedly. "Na' tak na change here. I wull."

Big Price For Calf.

A brother to the calf which Mr. Abram Howard bought lately from the A. C. Hardy, Stock Farm at Brockville, has been sold since for several thousand dollars. The calf is a son of Champion Echo Sylvia Pontiac whose half-brother Mr. Hardy sold a few months ago for $106,000.

Death of Aged Resident

The death of Mr. Jos. Kuenemann of Deemerton which took place on Sunday afternoon, Nov. 25th., removes one of the earliest settlers of this township. Deceased was born in Waterloo county about 77 years ago and came to Carrick about fifty years ago. His death was due to old age, having been confined to his bed for about two weeks. He leaves to mourn his death, his widow, three sons—Joseph of Carrick, Frank of Hanover and George of Detroit; and five daughters—Mrs. Wm. Lang of Newcastle, Mrs. Michael Nieser of Deemerton, Mrs. Jos. Berker of Elliston, Mrs. Frank Lettner of North Dakota, and Mrs. Jos. Lettner of Saskatchewan. The funeral took place on Wednesday morning and was largely attended. The funeral service was conducted by Rev. A. C. Muntag of Mildmay.—Mildmay Gazette.

Brings Band Instruments Home

Last Saturday the Mayor of the town went over to Walkerton for the band instruments and colors, and brought them to Chesley. He met with opposition from some Walkerton citizens who considered they owned the 160th. Battalion until it became defunct, and everything connected with it. But the soldiers of the County town resolved to stand a large planet once more a contingency in the course of human events, and after making a strong protest they were allowed to keep some of the prizes won by the battalion while at Witley Camp, to keep Dave Robertson from having a nervous breakdown. About 24 brass instruments, 2 snare drums, bass drum, 16 [illegible] 12 bottle drums, and two large drums, two pairs of cymbals and the colors of Bruce were brought over to the Chesley train which Mayor Hamilton took over for the big event. About May 24th., 1919, Chesley band will be playing outdoor concerts on the new [illegible] and there will be a big time when the 160th. Bruce comes over to the musical centre to Bruce where they will meet a welcoming committee and escorted that will [illegible] their service [illegible] Chesley Enterprise.

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TOWN AND DISTRICT NEWS

Separate School Closed

The Separate School has been closed since Friday owing to the illness of one of the Sisters and the prevalence of Influenza among the children.

Will Teach in Toronto

Miss A. Halladay who has been teaching on the Public School staff, has been engaged by the Toronto Board of Education, and will commence her duties in the City school at the New Year. Miss Halladay, has been a faithful and efficient teacher here and takes with her the best wishes of scholars, parents, and friends.

Children's Aid Society.

Walkerton Children's Aid Society was reorganized for the coming year with the following officers:—Pres. Jos. Morgan, M.A., 1st. Vice Pres., Mrs. D. Robertson, 2nd, Vice Pres., Rev. C. W. Cosens, Sec. Rev. H. Perdue; Treas., W. A. Burrows; Executive Committee, Mrs. Rowland, Mrs. Beaton, Mrs. Skelton, Judge Klein, Mrs. Wingefelder, Miss Recher, Rev. W. H. Burgess, Mr. John McCool, Mr. Victor Bell Released.

Mr. Henry Williams had word this week from Mrs. David Bell that her son, Pte. Victor Bell, formerly of Walkerton, who has been a prisoner of war in Germany the last couple of years, had been released and had reached London Eng. safely. The good news came in a cable from the Red Cross Society. The family and friends are now eagerly awaiting news direct from Victor after his long weary years in a prison-camp.

PATRIOTISM.

"Breathes there a man with soul so dead
Who never to himself hath said,
"This is my own, my native land."

Thousands upon thousands of men have met untimely deaths during the past four years; never has the love of home and country called for such a sacrifice. Patriotism does not begin nor end with war. We cannot all serve on the battlefield—but we can be as truly patriotic in looking after the welfare of our countrymen here at home.

There is an enemy in our midst—consumption. Lurking in unsuspected places, it seeks but a foothold to drag its victims down to death. Surely it is a true test of love of country to devote our energies and our means towards exterminating such a foe.

We have just learned of a family, once quite comfortable, now in the grip of poverty and suffering. The father contracted consumption; after a [illegible] illness that exhausted their [illegible] he died, leaving the mother and four little ones penniless —worse still, all the children have contracted the same disease. This case is not exceptional, for [illegible] family is suffering a similar [illegible]

The Muskoka Free [illegible] for Consumptives—the [illegible] war against the Great White Plague—is your active help to carry on its work. Consumption can be cured if taken in time. Must the fight be lost for lack of funds?

Gifts may be sent to Sir William J. Gage, 84 Spadina avenue, Toronto or to George A. Reid, Secretary-Treasurer, Gage Institute, 223 College street, Toronto.

Home From Overseas

Pte. Bob Turner, a Walkerton boy who went over with the 34th Batt'n in 1915, arrived home Tuesday night. Bob saw a lot of service in France but, latterly was recuperating in England. He is with his Aunt, Miss Margaret Baird, East Ward, with whom he made his home before enlisting.

Reported Improving

Mrs. H. Heffernan had word from Toronto on Saturday that her son, Sergeant Harry Heffernan, who underwent a second operation at the Hospital at Davisville last week was doing nicely. On the first occasion a rib was removed from his side and grafted on the injured arm but was successful. This time a portion of his skin bone was grafted on.

Specials At Christmas Fair

The directors of the Christmas Fair have prepared a prize list this year which should appeal to all classes of exhibitros. In the horse class several specials are offered in addition to the regular premiums. These include a special for the best heavy horse any age to be shown on the halter, $5; best light horse any age, to be shown on the halter, $5; Potato Race (Saddle horse) $5, $3, and $2. The prize lists will be ready in a few days when they may be obtained from the Secretary, Mr. D. McKerracher.

Jack Clancy Home.

Sergt. Jack Clancy, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Clancy, Cargill, was one of four 160th Batt'n men who arrived home from Overseas yesterday noon. Jack went to France with a Railway battalion soon after the Bruce Batt'n arrived in England in 1916 and put in a lot of hard service at the Front. He is tickled pink to get home and is receiving a hearty welcome from his many old friends. Jack says he can't get back into civies too soon, if its only overalls.

Good For Bruce!

The Judging team from the O. A. C. Guelph, has beaten all the Colleges of North America at the International Fat Stock Show at Chicago. Moreover they took the highest aggregate that has ever been taken in the history of the competition. Out of the team of five a Bruce man came first taking the highest individual points of any taking part in the competition. He is R. E. Ross of Tiverton. Another Bruce man the team, Chas McKenzie of Underwood took third.

Will Be Brought Home

[illegible] the death of Peter Wehengel, [illegible] Mr. and Mrs. Michael Wehengel, [illegible] at Fernie B. C. several weeks ago, the parents wired to have the body sent home for interment. Through some misunderstanding the funeral took place at Fernie. After further wiring, Mr. Wehengel at last received a message on Tuesday that the body would be lifted and shipped East in a few days. Mr. Wehengel expects to receive it on [illegible] that the [illegible] from England first.

"I was never exactly buried alive," said an old clerk, recounting his experiences, "but I once worked in a store that didn't advertise. When I came out my head was almost as white as you now see it. Solitary confinement did it."

Children's Aid Society

The Board of the C. A. S. wish to thank the Evangelical Church, Chesley for a generous donation of clothes, vegetables, and jam, also a donation of $2. The following are also thanked for donations of vegetables, Mr. Tolton, Mr. Dippel, Shaw's Hill; Mr. Mach Silk Mar.; Mrs. Goodfellow, Mr. Steele, Mrs. Connors, Mrs. Sutton, $2, Miss Clark $2, Rev. E. Perdue Sec.

Struck Luck on Island

Jos. Cope was on the Manitoulin Island recently selling scales and had phenomenal luck. He and his two colleagues sold eighty on the trip and 210 during the summer. The U. F. O. who elected the Memonite preacher to the Legislature, picked up those scales like the boys take to Coney Island red-hots at Toronto Fair. The three agents had four legs amongst them, and as Joe's walking outfit was of flesh, blood and muscle, it will be seen that the others were half a man and half a tree. Joe was fed on the best to be found on the Island that was once Bob Gamey's stamping ground, and all he paid was 50c per meal. There is a stylish little hotel at Little Current where the charges are $4.50 per day, but there were no scales on Joe's eyes and he eschewed the swell hotel where the grub was only average, the linen spotless, and the chinaware and silverware of the richest quality, with a history that dates far back as the Hohenzollerns.

RESULTS OF INFLUENZA.

Medical authorities have stated, "There is no knowing how far-reaching the results of the influenza epidemic will be."

From the nature of the malady it is feared many cases of tuberculosis will develop. If you have not fully recovered from the "flu," or you are run down in health from some other cause, seek a doctor at once. Consumption may have developed, but even that may be cured if taken in time. A case in point has recently been brought to our attention—a farm laborer with a wife and five small children. He had not been feeling right for some months, not sick enough to go to bed, or stay indoors, but always tired. His daily work on the farm had become a task to him. So of his own accord he went to the Muskoka Free Hospital, to try and find out what was the matter. He was found to be suffering from tuberculosis, and was immediately taken in and put to bed. The doctors say this man is making a good recovery, and that he will shortly be able to return home.

The Muskoka Free Hospital for Consumptives is now appealing for aid in fighting the Great White Plague. The money you give will help restore to health just such deserving cases as this, bringing happiness untold to reunited families.

Contributions may be sent to Sir William J. Gage, 84 Spadina avenue, Toronto, or to Geo. A. Reid Secretary-Treasurer, Gage Institute 223 College street, Toronto.

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New stock of wrapperettes in the latest designs @ 35c. yd.

Special in 4 yd. linoleum @ $4.00 per yd.

Pure wool hose special @ 85c. per pair.

WOOL UNDERWEAR @1.50
Mens' Black Scotia, woolen underwear, special $1.50 per garment.

SWEATER COATS
We have a big range of all kinds of sweater coats, Childrens Ladies and men's at low prices.

PURE FOOD GROCERY

Our stock is pure and fresh, new Christmas goods coming in daily.

Let us have your next order, and prove our superior quality and service.

Raisins @ 15 and 18 c. per lb.

Fresh Prunes, Dates, and Candied Peel.

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PIONEER COUPLE TAKEN

Mr. and Mrs. Robert White, of Culross, Called Away Unexpectedly Within Two Days Of Each Other, And Were Laid Side By Side In Greenock Cemetery At Double Funeral Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert White, a highly esteemed couple, of Culross, passed away within forty-eight hours of each other last week and were buried at the same time, being laid away side by side in the Greenock Cemetery. Mr. White succumbed suddenly to heart failure on Wednesday afternoon of last week in his 78th. year. He had been about his work as usual a few hours before but not feeling well he laid down. When an enquiry from his son, John, as to how he was feeling brought no response, the shocking discovery was made that the spark of life had fled. His beloved partner in life, who had been in poor health since sustaining a slight stroke two years ago took another stroke the day following her husband's death, due no doubt to the shock of his sudden demise and passed away on Friday. The funeral which had been previously arranged for Friday, was then delayed another day, and a double funeral held on Saturday. While the shock of the double loss is a sad blow to the bereaved son and daughter-in-law, there was something beautiful about this fine old couple being called away at the same time after a life happily spent together. Their memory will be revered by all.

The late Mr. White was born in County Down, Ireland, and came to this country as a boy with his parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. White. At first they settled at Halton Coun-

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EXPECTED HOME CHRISTMAS



CAPT. ROY WHITEHEAD

Capt. Roy Whitehead cabled home a few days ago that he was sailing for Canada. Roy has been a patient in the Prince of Wales Hospital, London, Eng. with a gunshot wound in the thigh the past couple of months, and the news that he would be home to eat his Christmas dinner with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Whitehead, came as a glad surprise.

Mr. Armand Whitehead, who received his discharge from the Army recently spent the past week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Whitehead. Armand will resume the practise of law in Toronto.

For Sale

A good second-hand cutter for sale. Apply at Telescope Office.

NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Buy at home

Local news on every page.

Fresh Lettuce at H. M. Nesbish's.

Christmas toys at Paterson Bros.

Mrs. Attwood sr. is laid up with a bad cold.

Toy autos for the children at Paterson Bros.

Miss Rausch of Detroit has been visiting her aunt, Miss J. Glinz.

Engineer Gilt Moore's family are down with the grippe this week.

Rev. R. M. Gale of Pinkerton spent Friday with friends in town.

Councillor Wm. Johnston of Brant is attending the Guelph Fair.

Christmas presents for the wee kiddies at Paterson Bros. Hardware.

Miss Tilda Cain of London is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Cain.

Mrs. Harry Pletsch who was ill for a few days, is able to be out again.

Mr. Roy Wesley and Mrs. J. A. Wesley are ill with the grippe this week.

Mr. H. Beligessner and son, Cyril of Formosa, were visitors in town Saturday.

Mr. Bryden of the Dept. of Agriculture was among those who took in the Guelph Fair.

Teeswater is in the grips of the flu. The schools there are closed for the second time.

The Separate School which was closed last week owing to the flu, was reopened on Monday.

Santa Claus will be tickled with the beautiful toys Paterson Bros. are showing for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. and Mrs. N. C. McKay are visiting at Guelph where the former is attending the Winter Fair.

Mr. Robb of Markham spent the week-end with his son, Mr. G. W. Robb, B. A. of the High School staff.

Capt. Howes of the Salvation Army, Listowel, had a successful campaign selling Christmas War Crys in town this week.

Mr. Jim Clancy, G.T.R. Agent, who was very sick with the grippe is getting along fine and expects to be on duty again in a week.

Rev. C. W. Cosens will preach at Tara next Sunday. Rev. Mr. Daniels of Tara will conduct services at the Methodist Church here.

You will find in our drug store everything that is needed in the drug and toilet line. At this season we draw your attention to the many and useful articles suitable for Xmas remembrances to young and old. We invite your inspection.—Hunter's drug store, phone 35.

Buy at home.

Local news on every page.

Christmas Fair next Thursday.

Read Rourke's Christmas ad on page 1.

Mr. Andrew McLean is reported to be in a low condition.

Miss Mabel Goodfellow, who recently took a position at Woodstock, has been forced to give it up on account of ill health.

Hon. W. L. MacKenzie King, of Ottawa, arrived here Tuesday night on a visit to his sister Mr. H. M. Ley.

Mr. Thomas Halladay of Kelfield, Sask. is home to spend the winter with his mother, Mrs. Halladay.

Patrick's delivery horse ran away yesterday noon and badly smashed the sleigh before it was stopped.

Chief Ferguson's son, Stanley, who was dangerously ill with the flu at Port Colborne, is reported to be greatly improved.

Rev. Andrew Laing of Fordwich will preach at Knox Church next Sunday. Rev. Mr. Burgess will conduct anniversary services at Fordwich.

Mr. T. E. Attwood, who has been confined to his room the past two months, continues poorly, his condition not changing much from day to day.

The Tea-Room will be open Thursday December 19th., (Xmas Fair Day) from 11 to 6. Afternoon tea will be served also Boston Beans and Salads.

Christmas Tree and Entertainment in the Presbyterian Church, Pinkerton, on Tues., Dec. 24 at 8 o'clock. Admission 25 and 15. Good Programme.

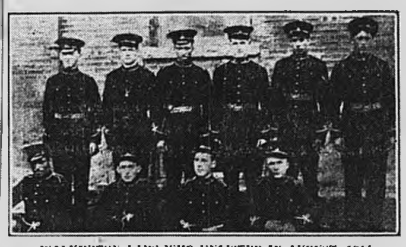
Mr. John Longmier of Hepworth, passed away at the House of Refuge on Monday in his 89th., year, death being due to senility. The body was taken to Hepworth to be buried from his son's home.

Don't forget that Christmas will soon be here and it's none too soon to place your order for cut flowers and blooming plants which we will be prepared to offer in an unusual assortment. H. M. Norrish, Florist, Phone 118.

Presentation To Miss Taggart

The Bell Telephone staff gave a nice send-off last Saturday night to Miss Iva Taggart before leaving for her new home in Hanover. Miss Taggart was presented with a handsome club bag and an address. A jolly supper was also served in honor of this popular young lady at which all the members of the staff were present.

FIRST BOYS TO ANSWER COUNTRY'S CALL



WALKERTON LADS WHO ENLISTED IN AUGUST, 1914.

Back Row:—Jos. Reichenbach, Walter Pitt, Jack Anderson, Austin Gransden, J. Jerome, Tom Reinhardt. Front Row:—Art Curtis, Herb Hehn, Walter Eliff, Charles Sutton.

The above picture is from a snapshot taken on the Armoury Lawn in August, 1914, when Walkerton's first Contingent for Overseas were lined up ready to proceed to Valcartier Camp. Only four boys in the group (Sutton, Jerome, Gransden and Pitt) were accepted at Valcartier and it is a remarkable thing that all four boys have survived the terrors of four years warfare. One of the four, Chas. Sutton, has never even been wounded. All the others in the group except Arthur Curtis were later accepted for service. Not a single one of these boys, who were the first to volunteer and have seen years of hard fighting was killed in action. We are endebted to Mr. T. Boss for the above photo.

Miss Elizabeth Wilson, of Essex, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Lorne A. Eedy.

Little Pigs For Sale

Little pigs for sale five weeks old. Apply to John Hilker, near Grand Trunk Station.

Christmas Decorations

Velvet Poinsettias, Red Ruscus, Red and Green Chinille etc.—H. M. Norrish, Florist, Phone 118.

Lost

Imitation lamb-gauntlet with knit mit inside. Finder please leave at Myles' Furniture Store.

For the Wee Kiddies

Toy autos, hay cars, sand cars, bake-boards, rolling-pins, clothes wringers and a hundred and one other toys at Paterson Bros.

Strong Prize List

Subscriptions for the Christmas Fair this year have broken all records. The prize list has been extended and several specials added also.

Sewing Bee

A general invitation is extended to all to help sew for the French Refugees at the I.O.D.E. rooms Friday Dec. 13th., at 2.30. Come and help.

Heifer Lost

Strayed from Con. 6, lot 20, Greenock, a Holstein heifer, coming two years, black and white spots, turned-up horns. Kindly notify Pat Murray, Chepstow.

Indian Beat Wife

David Sims, a Cape Croker Indian, was brought down to the County Gaol on Thursday to serve a two months' sentence for beating his wife. The sentence was imposed by Magistrate H. B. Miller of Wiarton.

Brant Preparedness League

A meeting of the Brant Branch of the Bruce Preparedness League will be held in the Town Hall, Walkerton on Saturday afternoon at three o'clock. A full attendance is urgently requested. Jas. A. Lamb, Secretary.

Lost Infant Son

The many Walkerton friends of Mr and Mrs. Frank Boylan (nee Emma Royce) of Caron, Sask., will learn with regret of the death of their eight months' old son, Harris, who succumbed to the Flu. The news was received here last week in a letter to Mrs. Tovell.

Commencement Exercises

The Commencement Exercises will be held in the High School next Wednesday at 2.30 p. m. The Diplomas and also the Medals in connection with the sports will be presented. Rev. Mr. Burgess will deliver an address. There will also be brief addresses by other and several musical selections. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Took Law Into Own Hands

A Soldier's wife from Allenford was brought to Walkerton on Tuesday, charged with throwing acid in a man's face to disfigure him. The woman, who is the mother of four or five children, claims that the man persistently bothered her and she took this means of getting rid of him. Bail was arranged at $2,000 the defendant going surety for $1,000 and two citizens of Allenford the balance, and she returned home on the next train. Her husband went Overseas with the 160th. Battn.

Children's Aid Society

A healthy boy of 7 years and a baby girl of 18 months for adoption. Apply Rev. R. Perdue, Secretary.

Running Night and Day.

Pletsch Bros. flour mill is now the full 24 hours a day. Roy Van Horne is in charge of the night-shift.

Reception For Bob Turner

A public reception will be tendered Pte. Bob Turner who recently returned from Overseas at the Town Hall on Monday evening next at eight o'clock.

Chimney Caught Fire

A chimney at Mr. Jos. Freiberger's West Ward, caught fire about 9 o'clock Monday evening. An alarm was sent in but fortunately the blaze was put out in a few minutes and the brigade was saved a run.

Ill With Pneumonia

Misch Hinsperger of Mildmay was brought into Bruce County Hospital Tuesday suffering from a light attack of pneumonia. Misch had a bad attack of the Flu and was very ill but is now reported to be doing fine.

Non-Support Charged

George Wayland, of Kinlough, has been sent up for trial by Magistrate James Johnston of Kinlough on a charge of not supporting his wife. Wayland, who is about 30 years of age, has a wife and five children.

Died of Pneumonia

William Dieter, a Chesley painter died at the Bruce County Hospital, on Thursday of pneumonia, in his 71st. year. Mr. Dieter lived in Walkerton at one time and was well-known here. The remains were taken to Chesley for interment.

Candidates Look Scarce

We understand that all the present Town Council is dropping out at New Years except Reeve Douglas who says he will stay if the people want him. Alex McNab is the only Mayoralty probability we have heard mentioned. Ex-Coun. Sandy McCarter announces that he is in the ring. Ever since Sandy's two boys, Reg and Milt left for Overseas he has said he wanted to be in the Town Council the year the Walkerton boys come home.

"A Man's Job" Ahead

Good men are needed in the Town Council more than ever this coming year. So many matters have been shelved until "after the war" that men of ability and initiative will be required to handle the Town's business during the year's immediately following peace. The taking over of the Power Plant, the building of permanent roadways, and sewers are matters that will have to be dealt with. The Town's most capable men should be on the job. During the past year the Council's job has been to "sit tight" and keep the lid on the financial chest. They were unable to initiate anything and at the same time practise war time economy. We believe they have given the town pretty good service and trust that there will not be the wholesale dropping out that is threatened. In the meantime it is up to our citizens to select some good men for vacancies at the next Council and get them to stand for election.

OUR HEALTHY TOWN

Practically No Infectious Diseases In 1918, Is the Report of M.H.O., Dr. Porter—No Street Lighting By-law Will Be Submitted—Council Adjusts Scavenger Rates With Dissatisfied Citizens.

The Town Council held its regular monthly meeting on Monday night.

Present, Mayor Johnston, Reeve Douglas, Couns., George, Pletsch, Vogan, Lippert.

Jos. Yarch was paid $2 for his services as Sec.-treas. Fire Brigade for 1918, Simon Herrgott $3 as steward.

Fire Chief McCartney asked that Fred Fry be appointed fireman in place of John McIntee resigned.

Chief McCartney said that at present the Firemen were greatly handicapped in getting the reels to a fire. As the town owned its own team the other teamsters naturally held back, and there was no regular town teamster to get the team out. The Council gave the Chief authority to name one of his men to be responsible for getting the team out in case of fire. The Chief appointed Anthony Wingefelder.

No Electric Light By-Law

Reeve Douglas asked whether the Clerk had got ready a by-law to submit to the ratepayers making a contract with the local company for street-lighting.

Town Clerk Collins replied that he had not done so, as the company had not demanded a contract.

Mayor Johnston asked why the town should worry if the Company was satisfied. They were providing street lighting at the old price without any contract.

Reeve Douglas—They might raise the price. They might shut them off.

Mayor Johnston—Let them do so if they wish.

Grant For Christmas Fair

President Robt. Goode and Secretary D. McKerracher appeared before the Council asking for the usual grant of $50 for the Christmas Fair. Mr. McKerracher said the public were subscribing more than ever this year and the prize list had been increased. Their request was granted.

John McKinnon, Chas. Huck, Thos. Jenkins and Lou Anderson were paid $3 each for acting as special constables on Armistice Celebration Day.

Collects For Boxes Taken

Albert Benninger, boot and shoe merchant, billed the Council for $12 for 40 packing cases taken from his shed to make a bonfire on Nov. 4th.—Paid.

Mrs. Geo. Inglis, whose house was burned last summer asked for three months' rebate of water rates—Granted.

Mr. David Robertson asked for rebate of taxes on Soldiers Aid Tea Rooms which he and the other owners had been giving rent free—Not Granted.

Town Scavenger Quits

George Siegfrid sent in his resignation as town scavenger. The Council considered this not necessary as his term has expired.

Louis Severson asked for three months' rebate of water rates.—Granted.

Chief Ferguson reported he had turned in $19.43 Court fees to the Town Treasurer for the month of November.

Money For Road-work

Town Treasurer Collins reported the receipt of $712 from the County Treas. as a grant from the County Council towards road work.

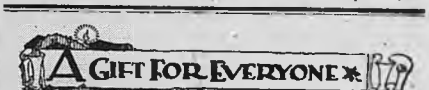
Work Was Not Satisfactory

The Special Committee composed of Mayor Johnston, Reeve Douglas, and Coun. Lippert, which was appointed to investigate complaints re the Town Scavenger reported that they had called a meeting on the 29th. ult., when ratepayers had been invited to bring in their complaints. They found that the work had been done in a most unsatisfactory manner. The Committee recommended that the Scavenger tax be adjusted by charging citizens where the scavenger had only called once $1, where he had called two or three times $1.25, four times $1.50 and more than four times the full fee of $2.50. All citizens who refused to allow the scavenger to enter their premises $2.50. The report was adopted.

The Scavenger was allowed $537 for his year's work, instead of the full amount $685.

Reeve Douglas complained that Town plumbers were making indis-

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Wool "	50 to 3 00	Linen Handkerchiefs	
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SAYS FARMERS ARE WAITERS AND JANITORS IN A COW HOTEL

"Life is Just One Hunch of Chores After Another" Says Old Man Wrinkle—"The More Acres Yuh Got, the More Feedlies Yuh Have to Feed and Less Time Yuh Have Yourself."

In these days when city folks are prone to say many unkind things of the farmers because of the high prices of everything eatable, it is rather refreshing to hear something from the farmer's viewpoint, which is as full of fun as it is of facts. It was written by Malcolm McDonald and is reprinted from the Canadian Countryman—Old Man Wrinkles is talking:

"This country's no darn good," he said. "The pioneers logged up all the enjoyment, and burned it. They cleared the country of timber and a good time. Some feller said they built a land of homes where toil could make us free. He lied like blazes; what he got is a penitentiary grounds of big stock barns where toil had made us slaves to a lot of cows. The people are just cow-lackeys to the millionaires.

"We've gone plumb to the bad. This place where we are now was a nice swamp when I was a boy. You could wade out there where that golden-rod sticks up, and in the winter you could trap minks and coons. Now look at it; just like an asylum grounds, with fences penning everything off every few feet. It's like a fair ground when there ain't no fair goan on. If a man has a tree, he puts a fence around it, and calls it a wood-lot. When you take a huntin' trip, you walk around that tree and sic your dog on the crickets. When you go fishin, you buy one of them corustalk-things with a spool on it, and sit beside a puddle in the head of the crick, watchun a carp that got strayed away. No fish went come up the crick. The ground is so full of tile that the rain starts for the lake the minit it falls, and drives the fish back home.

"My first farmun outfit cost me thirty dollars. I farmed forty acres and you bet I had a good time. I could shear a sheep, get the wool carded up and make it all into sox and things with less labor than it takes now to earn the money to buy the shoddy, make-believe stuff, we get. I cut my wheat with a cradle that cost me a dollar and a half and raked it up with a rake that cost a few cents. What wasted on the ground went to the hogs and then I butchered the hogs. Juthink I lived on pork rinds and embalmed cold shoulder—posteur-ed?

"How many days a year did it take me to grow my livun? Did I go fishun when I felt like it? I guess I did; and I just guess I could take my old cradle and harrah and plow and go it f'r a good time right now.

"People started off to make money. That's where the goblins and Jabberwrocks got 'em. As long as we lived the simple life and were contented with a good livun, we were all right. We aren't working for our daily bread no more; that's easy. didn't have to grow a million acres of wheat and so I didn't need no binder. Everybody's raeun to see who'll get the most money. That's why they want binders and three-thousand-dollar outfits a to farm with.

"Everybody can run in a race, but everybody can't win. In theory, everybody can be president or prime minister; but in practice there's only one. There's some winners, but there's a lot more also rans.

"Ontario used to be a lovely place to make a livun in. Stuff was so cheap that you had to eat it to get rid of it; people not fed up on everything that was worth while and despised it. Butter at ten cents a pound was hardly worth eatun. They wanted money, so they borrah-ed it. When we started that stuff about developun the resources of the country, everything went to the bad. We peddled the bush and everything for a chanst to get a jackpot, and now there's no place to hunt and people take to breedun cricket-hounds to have a bit of sport. I'd rather have the resources right here where I could lay my hands on them. I'm a great hand for resources. Stock exchanges and banks forty stories high aint never goan to satisfy a man with an appetite f'r the real things.

"Put people wanted the money. We had to get the country opened up. We had to build a lot of international continentals and intercontinental suppercolonials and soo-pee-arms and gee-tee-arrs, and we had to go to Europe and borrah the cash to do it. Then we went and spent a butter. Now a lot of people are payun for oleomargarine.

"Railroads are no good to a man who jist wants to make his livun. They're f'r the man who wants to get rich. And why doos a man want to get rich? Jist so he won't have to make his own livun. And if he don't make his own livun, who makes it f'r him?

"All the papers are bawling every time a cargo of cities is shipped over from England. They're afraid knight-hood 'll flower out again. The only aristocracy there is, or ever will be, is the feller who's got you so you have to make his livun f'r him. We have it right here, whether it comes out in blow or not, and every tomdickandhurry is huslin for a piece in it. The papers is jist chokun on the tail. We let a man sit there holdun stock all his life, and we hustle around twenty-five hours a day to make cheese and butter f'r him, and gather eggs and grow broilers f'r him, and feed a man to go and fetch him his hat; then we kick at calling him 'sur.'

"There's where we are at. We get up at three o'clock so we can grow milk f'r these fellers that developed the resources of the country and borrahed the cash—and keep it. There's also fillers to the right of us and silo fillers to the left of us, all rushing to feed more cows to get more milk to make more money to buy more binders to grow more corn to fill more silos; it's an endless circle with a stockholder aristocracy in the centre.

"There's my Pete; he hardly takes lot of money tellun lies to the Pollocks to get them to come in and settle and boost the price of land and time to wash his hands; and Marthy's so stingy she'll hardly let him have clean water to do it with. She hasn't opened her pevannah f'r ever so long. Jist rush. I told her t'other day to put it in mournun.

"The papers coun; there's three dailies, all with the same stuff in, and it's all mostly about the war; that and baseball; not the kind we used to play, but the baseball with money in it. They jist nibble the news and rush f'r 'Say Farmers are Just Waiters'—Two waiters, the ushers, proprietors and the stables. Milk; milk; milk; they come rushing in, all sweaty and plastered and got to bed jist in time to get up in the mornun.

"Hello Bill, George,—cow time.' And away it goes again. 'Coboss, coboss, coboss, coboss; here Coly, Coly, Coly; hey, hey, hey;' and the sun gets up to see what the darn-fools are makun such a row about.

"The cows have a fair time; and the hens and pigs. Pete and Marthy and George and Bill—they're the waiters, the ushers, proprietors and janitors of a cow hotel—a summer resort for pigs and hens.

"Life is jist one darn bunch of chores after another. On they rush—forever; the sundmen, the hailtics, a moonstruck mob crazier than all out-doors. Rush, rush, rush.—to sow, to plant, to reap and pulverize nice things f'r the cow; fill silo; engines snortun, f'r heaven, f'r hell; jist poor overworked lackeys f'r someone else's cows.

"Some day they'll die and leave the kids their glorious heritage of waltun on them cows. The neighbors 'll take 'em off and plant 'em in a nice pruned graveyard in a sandhill and then rush home to the milkun. The cow'll bawl a dead march, and the hens 'll cackle an elegy; and then Marthy and Pete'l be plumb forgot, lyun there in their nice pruned cemetery in the sandhill, and their heirs 'll holler 'Coboss, coboss, coboss, coboss, hey, hey, hey hey.

"A deed for a hundred acres is jist a privilege of grown a livun f'r six or eight families of darn do nothings. The more acres yuh got, the more families yuh have to feed and the less time you have for yourself. A teal big farm is a school f'r a lot of half-baked hired men. When you aren't waltun off the cows yuh have to wait on the hired man."

Buy at home.

Mr. E. H. Reid of the Bank of Commerce staff, has been transferred to Barrie.

Orillia and Collingwood papers want to know who starts the wild tales circulating through the country regarding infectious disease. We also would like some information on this point. Much injury is done to a town by such baseless rumors, yet there never seems any effort to trace them to their source. If a person can recover damages for slander, why should a municipality not be given under such circumstances? Were this the case the rumormong-Were this the case thch rumor-mong tongues.

MEMORIAL SUGGESTED

Rev. W. H. Burgess, B.A., B.D., Points Out How Supreme Value of Religious Education Is Coming To Be Universally Recognized and Suggests That The Vacant Public School Building Be Utilized As Community School of Religious Education.

The War has opened people's eyes regarding education. It is now seen that education without religion is worse than useless. Rev. Mr. Burgess, in connection with his National Thanksgiving Service told his congregation something about what a few communities across the Line are attempting in religious education and incidentally suggested a way which Walkerton might fittingly honor the memory of her lads who have fallen. To make democracy safe for the world, said Mr. Burgess, we must educate our youth in morals, religion, and politics. Because of petty denominational jealousies the Bible, the greatest text book of religion and morals, has been kept out of the public schools. At present twenty-five hours a week are given to what we call secular education, and less than one hour a week to religious education. In the small city of Malden in the Eastern States the several churches have united, and co-operated with the Board of Education to found and carry on the Malden School of Religious Education. All the children in the public and high schools are released a certain number of hours each day to attend this school. All the children of the community are getting a definite efficient education in religion and morals. The experiment has proved a great success and will no doubt soon be duplicated in many other places.

"Since coming to Walkerton," said Mr. Burgess, "when passing the empty public school, I have often thought what a splendid thing it would be if we could duplicate the Malden School of Religious Education here. And we could do it if we would and lead Canada in this work." Nothing would be of greater value to our churches, and what is more important, nothing would be of greater value to our young people than that they should be trained morally and religiously in this way. One expert Christian teacher would be enough to start with. He hoped some of his hearers who are interested in Educational things would give this more than a passing thought, and help to see that something definite is done.

REV. PROFESSOR LAIRD

Challenges Knox Congregation To Rise To The Opportunities For Service—One of the Finest Sermons Ever Heard In the Church

Knox Congregation heard inspiring messages on Sunday from one of the Church's greatest leaders, Rev. Dr. Laird, who is secretary of the Financial Board for Canada and Chairman of the Forward Movement Committee of Fifty. Dr. Laird presented the situation, which confronts the Church in Canada to-day pointing out the great opportunity and responsibility that lies before the Church. At the morning service, in answering the question, "are missions worth while?", he told how comparatively few years ago the people of the Fiji Islands were cannibals. In the great war they sent a contingent to help the Allies. It was wiped out. They sent a second. It was wiped out. A third, and a fourth. India maintained her loyalty and contributed a million men. Those in a position to know gave the missions the credit. He illustrated the need for workers by referring to the fact that in the island of Formosa, one Medical missionary had to serve 112,000 and when he was taken away, the door of the hospital had to be locked. The first Canadian student to offer his life service to minister to the Ruthenians in our Canadian West, had recently died of the Flu at Winnipeg. He challenged his hearers to rise to their opportunities. Knox congregation is engaged in the Every Person Canvass this week. The objective for Missions has been increased to $2310.

Very Much Alive

An item went the rounds of the district press a couple of weeks ago that Dr. Brown, the well-known specialist, of Neustadt, had died while on a visit to his son in the West. The Telescope published the report but now learns it was "very much exaggerated", the doctor now being on his way back East in halo and hearty condition. We feel sure when the Doctor reads the nice obituaries published in the local papers he will cherish a kindly feeling towards the men of the press the rest of his natural days.

NEWS TOPICS OF WEEK

Important Events Which Have Occurred During the Week.

The Busy World's Happenings Carefully Compiled and Put Into Handy and Attractive Shape for the Readers of Our Paper — A Solid Hour's Enjoyment.

TUESDAY.

Mr. James Muir, president of the James Muir Co., boot and shoe manufacturers, Montreal, is dead.

Rev. T. T. Shields, pastor of Jarvis Street Baptist Church, Toronto, has returned from overseas.

The transport Olympic is expected to arrive from England on Friday with 4,000 military and civilian passengers.

Ten days after the armistice was signed a German submarine arrived in Barcelona. The boat was interned by the Spanish Government.

Two men are believed to have been crushed to death as the result of a rear-end collision between two freight trains west of Scotiawin, Que.

Berlin maintains that Kurt Blaser, the Bavarian Premier, is no German, but an East Galician Jew, whose real name is Solomon Kisanowski.

Mr. A. W. Kennedy, of the Commercial Intelligence Service of the Department of Trade and Commerce at Ottawa, is dead, a victim of influenza.

Pte. L. H. Carey, 1st Depot Battalion, 2nd C.O.R., was sentenced to two years, less one day, with hard labor, for desertion. The sentence has been promulgated.

Two hundred women and children who came over from England on the Metagama, reached Toronto yesterday. Among the party were a number of former war brides.

It is reported that an agreement has been reached by the Allied Government for the issue daily during the Peace Congress of an official communication regarding the deliberations.

Seven members of the crew of the British tank steamer Konakry perished and one is missing as a result of a collision near Galley Head between the tanker and the Cunard liner Orduna.

R. E. Begg, Ontario Agricultural College student, won individual honors with 801 points out of a possible 1,000, at the International Live Stock Exposition, Chicago. C. F. McKenzie was third, with 791.

WEDNESDAY.

A British fleet arrived at the port of Libau, in Courland, on the Baltic. The Entente powers have granted a safe conduct to the German troops in Finland to return home.

The Dutch Government has decided to stop all exports to Germany in reprisal for the stoppage of the export of German coal to Holland.

The first of the fleet of ships carrying 270,000 tons of food for the relief of European peoples has arrived at Gibraltar and has been ordered to proceed with its cargo to southern Europe.

Lt.-Col. Alex M. Gordon, of the Chaplains' Service, has been awarded the D.S.O. for his gallant services. Col. Gordon is a son of the late Dr. Gordon, principal of Queen's University, Kingston.

President Wilson left Washington on a special train for New York, en route to the peace conference. He and his party will board the transport George Washington, on which the voyage across the Atlantic will be made.

Von Ludendorff has fled to a neutral country. His nerve ultimately collapsed to such an extent that he had recourse to drink and imbibed alcohol until he became senseless in order neither to see nor hear anything more.

Hon. T. W. McGarry, Provincial Treasurer, intends to put a stop to the existing practice of many moving picture theatres in the province showing war films which portray almost exclusively the actions of the American army, while ignoring the part played by the British and Canadian forces. He has advised the film exchanges that unless more films depicting the part played by Great Britain and Canada in the war are shown on the screen, that he would instruct the censors to cut out much of the material, such as that which has recently been shown throughout the province.

THURSDAY.

Mrs. John Drew, wife of the actor and herself an actress until her marriage, died at New York.

The large staff of the Military Service Branch, Department of Justice, is gradually being relieved.

The Manitoba Government will take advantage of the offer of the Dominion Government to advance funds for the erection of houses.

After a search through the woods at Kipawa, which took 14 days, Jos. Masse, Hull, is convinced that his son, Aldege Masse, a former Hull bank clerk, has either fallen prey to wolves in the woods or has died of exposure.

The University of Ghent has decided to confer the degree of Doctor on Premier Lloyd George, President Clemenceau, President Wilson, Marshal Foch, Marshal Joffre, Admiral Beatty, Gen. Leman, the defender of Liege, and Cardinal Mercier.

The Germans have delivered to the Allies 300,000,000 francs gold, which came from the Russian treasury. The French have recovered a rich collection of art works by Quentin Delatour, stolen from St. Quentin, and paintings by Antoine Watteau, taken from the museum at Valenciennes.

Although during the two years he had served overseas he had managed to escape all the dangers of the battlefield, J. B. Brown, of Metcalfe, near Ottawa, is to-day a mutilated man—a charge of dynamite went off and his left hand had to be amputated, and the sight of his right eye was destroyed.

Supported by a life preserver, markings on which indicated that it belonged to the yacht Grayling II, the body of a woman was found floating in Lake Erie at a point not far distant from Bar Point. It has been identified as that of Mrs. Otto Redwegil, aged 48, who with her 21-year-old son, Harold, had started out in the 31-foot cruising gasoline yacht, Grayling II.

FRIDAY.

Mr. J. W. Mahon, barrister, died at his home in Cobalt, from pneumonia.

Moses Brocklebank, one of Windsor's oldest residents, is dead, from paralysis.

Fourteen women candidates have been nominated for the British House of Parliament.

The Victoria Cross was presented to Charles Spall, Montreal, won by his son, who was later killed in action.

Guelph physicians have decided to increase the fee for a first call from $2 to $2.50, and that for subsequent calls from $1 to $1.50.

Rev. Capt. Lawrence Skey, pastor of St. Anne's Church, Toronto, has arrived back from the front, where he was a padre in the Y.M.C.A.

The British representatives at the Peace Conference will demand general and absolute abolition of conscription throughout Europe.

Rioting has occurred at Lethbridge, where 1,000 men are being employed in the Galt Coal Mines at Lethbridge, the United Mine Workers are threatening to strike.

The Trade and Labor Councils of the cities of Toronto and Peterboro passed resolutions protesting against the sending of Canadian troops to Siberia.

The world's total losses of merchant tonnage from the beginning of the war to the end of October, 1918, by enemy actions and mariner risk was 16,053,786 gross tons.

The consul-general of Japan has conveyed to the Governor-General of Canada the deepest gratification of the Emperor of Japan on receipts of his excellency's message of congratulations on the signing of the armistice.

Field Marshal von Mackensen, the German commander in Russia, fled to an unknown destination, leaving to his general staff the care of his troops, which had made their way into Austrian territory on their way home, declining to see them disarmed.

SATURDAY.

Polish troops have captured Brest-Litovsk and are approaching Kawa-uska.

Hector House's restaurant and Jas. O'Flynn's shoe store were wrecked by a gas explosion in Chatham.

Winnipeg Trades and Labor Council has passed a resolution demanding that Canadian troops now in Siberia and Western Russia, be withdrawn.

Mayor Hughes of Kingston has made application for two German guns which were captured by the 46th Battalion of Saskatchewan at Valenciennes.

The Russian Government has formally withdrawn the privilege heretofore held by the members of the Hohenzollern family of immunity from law.

There has been riotous demonstrations in Berlin by the unemployed. The disorders came to an end after meeting that labor leaders addressed the crowds, promising assistance, and finally pacified them.

The embargo on mail shipments has been removed by the Canada Food Board, and the export and import department now favorably consider application to export mail to the United States, Mexico, Central and South America, Cuba, the West Indies, Newfoundland and Japan.

The New Zealand General Assembly has passed the liquor bill providing for a national referendum, to be held probably next April, on the questions of the continuance of the liquor license system or prohibition with compensation to V...n interests. A bare majority will decide the issue.

Gen. Mangin has completely recovered from the injuries he received by being thrown under his horse while reviewing a brigade of French troops on Nov. 18, and has resumed command of the army occupying Lorraine. He is preparing to enter Alsace, where he will establish the bridgehead stipulated in the armistice terms.

MONDAY.

Dr. S. E. Boulter, V.S., died at Niagara Falls, aged 58.

Premier Clemenceau may act as president of the French delegation to the Peace Conference.

An unidentified man shot at Dr. Sidonio Paes, the President of Portugal, in Lisbon. The shot missed, and the President's would-be assassin was arrested.

Mrs. David Lloyd George, wife of the British Premier, is making a tour of Wales in an automobile, and addressing meetings in support of her husband's candidacy for Parliament.

The National Roumanian Council of Transylvania has proclaimed union with the Kingdom of Roumania. Roumanian flags are flying everywhere and great enthusiasm is manifest.

Col. J. C. T. Thompson, K.C., D.S.O., has been appointed by the Government to the Board of Pension Commissioners to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Col. Labatt.

The resignation of C. M. Schwab as Director-General of the Emergency Fleet Corporation, was accepted by President Wilson, in a wireless message from the transport George Washington to the White House.

Air traffic has been begun between some of the largest German towns. The airplanes are carrying parcel-post matter and passengers. One company is constructing a new, large type of airplane, able to carry 40 passengers.

The new Spanish Premier, Count Romanones, intends to expel the German Ambassador, Prince Ratibor, and also several members of the German embassy, who have been notoriously engaged in spying and supporting the anti-Spanish agitation.

The British authorities in charge of the occupation in the German zone assigned to the British army have ordered all the German men to raise their hats to British officers, according to an official announcement in Berlin. They must do similarly when the British National Anthem is sung, the announcement adds.

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Late Uriah Curtis Was One of the Grand Old Men of the Township

One of the first pioneers of Brant and a man whose life was so splendidly lived that it entitled him to be called "one of the grand old men" of the district, has gone the way of all flesh in the person of Mr. Uriah Curtis. A man of genial and kindly disposition and a man of deep religious convictions but of very tolerant views, he may be called the founder of the Methodist church in this section and the names of Uriah Curtis, and Rev. John Garner, recently deceased, will go down in local history as two of the brightest lights in Methodism of this district. He had attained the remarkable age of 91 years and 7 months, death taking place at the old homestead in Brant now conducted by his son, Robert, on Nov. 27th. He had only been ill a day or two before the end came, death being due to a general break down due to advanced age.

The late Mr. Curtis was born in Wiltshire, England, on April 8, 1825 and emigrated to Canada with his brother, Samuel, when a boy of 15 years. They took up residence in Peterborough. In 1843 he married Miss Agnes Patterson, who proved a fitting helpmate for a man of Mr. Curtis' trait of character. She was one of the most hospitable, capable and kind-hearted women of the district and with characteristic power adaptability, she "lent a hand" in times of sickness and distress, in fact the late Mrs. Curtis was one of the "mothers" of the early pioneer days in this vicinity. She passed away 18 years ago. After their marriage they spent a few years in Toronto, Rochester and Cayuga and came up to Brant township in 1854 and settled on lot 34, con. 6 then known as "Queen's bush," which has been the family homestead ever since. Their marriage was blessed with eleven children, two, Mrs. McNaughton of Chesley and Mrs. Somers of Dayton, Ohio, being deceased. Those living are Mrs. Ingals of Vancouver, B.C., Mrs. Christie of Sullivan, Mrs. Pfaff of Paisley, Samuel of Chesley, Mrs. Welch of Detroit, Robert of Brant, Joseph of Revelstoke, B.C., and Mrs. Schroeder of Southampton.

Shortly after the young couple took up their residence in Brant, Mr. Curtis, donated a half acre on the corner of his lot to the Methodist church, and all the people of various denominations worshipped there for many years. Mr. Curtis preached himself and also acted as superintendent of the Sunday School for many years. Rev. J. H. Watts and Rev. Mr. Moffat were among the itinerant preachers who conducted services in the church founded by Mr. Curtis.

ANOTHER POEM BY COL. McCRAE

Before the war, Col. McCrae was unknown as a poet. Now his memory is revered wherever the English language is read. His poem, "In Flanders Fields" is generally well known, but many of our readers have not read the other, "The Anxious Dead". It is appended:

THE ANXIOUS DEAD

O guns, fall silent till the dead men hear
Above their heads the legions pressing on!
(These fought their fight in time of bitter fear
And died, not knowing how the day had gone.)
O flashing muzzles pause and let them see
The coming dawn that streaks the sky afar!
Then let your mighty chorus witness be
To them, and Caesar, that we still make war.
Tell them, O guns, that we have heard their call:
That we have sworn and will not turn aside:
That we press onward till we win or fall:
That we will keep faith for which they died.
Bid them be patient, and some day soon,
That shall fell earth unwrapt in all-once sleep—
Shall greet in wonderment the quiet dawn,
And in content may turn them to their sleep.

Died In The West

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kelly received the sad intelligence by wire on Tuesday of last week that their eldest daughter, Mrs. (Ellen) Louis Hogan of Kindersley, Sask., had died of influenza the previous day. Mrs. Hogan who was in her twenty-eighth year was born at Chepstow and had been six years married. Three small children, including a baby girl two weeks old are left motherless by her sad demise. The funeral took place at Kindersley on Dec. 4th.

The Girl and the Tambourine

by Martha Gaiser



IT WAS the Saturday before Christmas. The winter's day was fast disappearing as Tom Danvers and John Harding stepped out of the club and joined the moving holiday crowd. For an hour they had watched it through the window as they smoked and talked, and Tom, while he had been much amused at John's cynical comment, had taken it all as a joke, for John was never pessimistic. Now, as they walked down the crowded thoroughfare conversation was difficult, and John was unusually silent. Recalling bits of phrases in their recent conversation, it suddenly occurred to Tom that there had been no unaccustomed tone, even a note of bitterness, underlying the smile and lightly spoken words of his oldest and best friend, whom he felt he knew as he did himself. At the thought he looked sharply and piercingly at him, but the strong, resolute profile bore no trace of the cynicism of the last hour, much less evidence of its cause. It was just imagination, Tom concluded.

As they stood waiting for a cross-town car an observant and clever beggar approached. Tom answered the appeal with a coin.

"Not from me," said John, in a disapproving tone.

"Oh, well, it's Christmas time," said Tom.

"Yes, that's just it, and he knows it and makes capital of it. It is sympathetic or sentimental charity, and I don't approve of it."

"Upon my word, Tom, you are funny this afternoon. What is the matter with you? First you condemn women, then you denounce this happy holiday crowd as a 'passing show,' and now this poor beggar. It's well you are going to be with me for a while; you need the home influence, and—by Jove! you need a wife! That is the antidote for you, old fellow," he concluded, emphasizing his conviction with a slap on the back.



"It's Christmas, You Know."

"No, thank you," was the laughing reply as they stepped aboard the car.

It was well filled. Across from the friends sat two good-looking women, evidently mother and daughter. Next to the younger woman sat a sweet-faced Salvation Army girl, with her tambourine in her lap. Her plain dark blue dress was in marked contrast to the fashionable suit and beautiful furs of the ladies beside her. Suddenly the younger of the two turned and spoke to her. She smilingly responded and shook her head, but as the other continued to urge a wistful look came into the Army girl's face as she glanced about the car.

"No, no," they heard her say; "the conductor would not allow me. The rules are very strict," she added in explanation. For a moment or so there was silence, and over the faces of both showed disappointment.

Then suddenly the younger woman, with the color suffusing her lovely face, caught up the tambourine and, depositing a coin in it, started down the car, ignoring the shocked and expostulating "Nancy!" and the detaining hand of her astonished companion. Passing from passenger to passenger, she extended the tambourine, always with a little smile and "It's Christmas, you know," or some little word, until each one felt it a privilege to contribute something. As she turned by the door the conductor stepped forward with, "Please, miss, I want to add something to that, too."

Flushing, she exclaimed, "Oh! thank you so much."

She passed on to her seat and returned to its owner the tambourine, that never before had received contributions so promptly and cheerfully bestowed.

John Harding's hand had gone at once into his pocket when he realized what the girl was doing, and now he was watching her with an almost awe-struck interest—her lovely, sympathetic face, as she talked earnestly to the little worker, in fine, apparently unconscious that her sudden impulse had first astounded and then knit together in kindly sympathy an entire car of strangers.

"By Jove! that was a great thing to do," said Tom enthusiastically, when the tension of an absorbing interest had subsided a little.

"Yes, I never saw its equal," replied John. After a moment's hesitation he added: "I should like to know that girl. Do you suppose we could find out who she is?"

"We can try," his friend replied; "but why do you want to know?"

"Well, I do," John answered curtly. Tom glanced quizzically at him and smiled to himself. This was another phase of John he was just getting acquainted with. When the car reached the railway station where John and Tom were going to take a train for Tom's suburban home, the two women also left the car. They went straight to the ticket window. Tom took out his commutation book and passed it to John.

"You follow them and I will join you," he whispered, the spirit of mischief at an adventure now possessing him. Having bought their tickets, the women turned from the window and hurried to the train. There in the same car Tom found them all.

"Well, if this isn't luck," he exclaimed, as soon as he was seated. And then, with the air of a boy bursting with news, he said: "They are going to D——."

"Yes, I know it," Harding replied. But as he vouched no information and did not seem inclined to talk, Tom took refuge in his paper and promptly forgot the whole affair, until he was abruptly called back by:

"Tom, I cannot tell you when a thing so impressed me as that did"—as if there could be but one "that."

"That?" asked Tom, a little puzzled. Then, "Oh, I thought you did not believe in that kind of charity—sympathetic and sentimental, I think you called it," he teasingly reminded him, remembering the crisp bill John had dropped in the tambourine.

"Oh, that is altogether different," John answered, half defiantly.

"Yes, different because a pretty girl made this appeal, an old man the other," laughed Tom. "But, tell me, how do you adjust your acts to theories?"

"Oh, theories, the dickens! What are they ever compared to acts? And that act this afternoon was a spontaneous expression of the true Christmas spirit, from which springs the desire to help, to bring some joy to a lot of poor unfortunates, because 'It's Christmas, you know,'" he quoted softly. "It was the real thing, and everybody in the car felt it."

And having, as it were, justified his position and interest, he looked across at the unconscious subject of their remarks. Truly she was good to look at, though at present all he could see was the well-cut profile and the glorious copperish-brown hair turning to dull gold where the western sun struck it, and eyes, that with her mood, he knew, varied from hazel to brown. A veritable gem of a girl, he thought, as she began adjusting her furs. With an intuitive feeling of understanding her, he turned to Tom.

"Don't mention the affair to anyone, not even Mary, for it would not please her. I am sure," he added, as the train pulled up at D——.

The station was small and John had just finished greeting Mrs. Danvers, when Billy Grant's deep voice broke in: "Hello, Harding; glad to see you," as they shook hands.

Grant, an old friend of both Harding and Danvers, also lived in D——.

"Now, I want you to meet our friends, for its cold and I want to get home."

While Tom and John were bowing in acknowledgment to "Mrs. North and Miss North," their host chatted on about its being "too bad they couldn't have met at the other end of the line, as long as they happened to be on the same train."

Nancy North threw a quick glance at Harding, but otherwise no outward sign was given, as he walked with her to the car, that they had ever seen one another before or that the same thought was in the minds of both, but John was so strangely elated that Miss North's color deepened each time she looked up and met his smiling eyes.

"Now, don't you fellows keep our bridge waiting tonight," called Grant, as he gave the signal to start.

"I'll guarantee our arrival on time, Grant," answered John, well satisfied with the arrangement, whether it was chance or fate, for somewhere within him something was thrillingly alert, tantalizingly expectant, confidently hopeful and the feeling of the afternoon that had expressed itself in cynicism and manifested itself in loneliness was gone.

At the wedding reception of John Harding and Nancy North, six months later, many of the guests were curious as to the presence in the gay assemblage of guests of a sweet-faced little woman in the dress of the Salvation Army, who was the recipient of much attention from the bride and groom, and was quite a center of attraction as she related again and again the remarkable story of that December afternoon, after which all looked with greater interest and understood why in the array of handsome and costly wedding gifts an old and battered tambourine occupied the place of honor.

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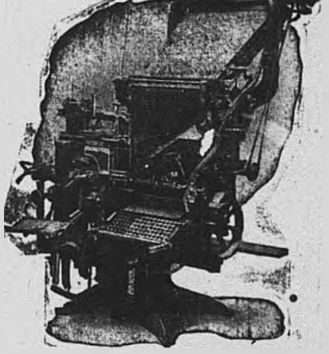
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Mrs. Bottenhorn Who Passed Away In Her Eight-Sixth Year Was A Remarkable Woman

The death occurred on Monday afternoon, December 9th., at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Julia Ball, Victoria St., of Mrs. Mary Bottenhorn, aged 86 years, 4 months and 15 days. Mrs. Bottenhorn had been poorly about a week before her demise, due to old age. She was remarkably active for one of her years. She took lively interest in all that was going on about her, and ever since the beginning of the war her knitting needles were never idle. She was a woman of lovely character, kind, patient and neighborly and always took pleasure in making those about her happy. Mrs. Bottenhorn was born at Redford, Jefferson County, New York State, and came to Hanover when it was only a small settlement. Her late husband was a boot & shoe merchant, conducting business in our neighboring town for many years. For the last seven years she had made her home with her daughter Mrs Ball. One son and three daughters survive. They are: Henry Bottenhorn of Saskatoon; Mrs. Ball and Mrs. James Raeburn of Walkerton; Mrs. Luesing of Patoose, Washington, U.S. On the same day as Mrs. Bottenhorn's death, a beloved grand-daughter, Miss Edna Luesing, was also called away. Miss Luesing, who was a talented and attractive young lady of twenty-three years, was attending college at Spokane, Wash., and was a victim of the Flu. Mrs. Bottenhorn's funeral took place from her daughter's home yesterday afternoon to Walkerton Cemetery. Rev. G. C. Rock, pastor of Walkerton Baptist Church conducting the service.

News About Town

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$11,550 For Farm

Messrs. B. Bolingessner and L. Kramer of Formosa, Executors of the Frank Kramer Estate, have sold the farm of 148 acres near Formosa to Mr. Joseph Rumig for $11,550.

Sale of Cows and Young Cattle

Auction sale of good grade Durham cows and young cattle will be held at the Queen's Hotel Walkerton on Saturday next, Dec. 14th., at 1 p. m.

D. McDonald, Prop. John Purvis, Auct.

Contest Ahead in Greenock

Reeve Denis Phelan, who has been frequently dubbed the uncrowned king of Greenock, is to have opposition for the Reeve's chair again this year. His former opponent, Michael McNab, of Chepstow, is understood to be in the field again. Phelan has been Reeve about ten years and this will be McNab's third attempt to put him out

Chief's Niece Dead

Chief Ferguson had word on Monday that Miss Grace Ferguson the daughter of his only brother who is a farmer near Wingham had died of the Flu. Miss Ferguson, who had been head nurse of the Niagara Falls Hospital for four years, came home to nurse her mother who was ill with the flu, contracted the disease and died.

Reid—Birkholtz

A quiet wedding was solemnized at the Manse, Walkerton, yesterday afternoon, Dec. 11th., when Miss Emma Birkholtz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Birkholtz of Chesley, was united in marriage to Mr. William J. P. Reid, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Reid of Pinkerton. The happy couple will reside on the groom's farm in Greenock.

May Be Election In Brant

There will be no election in Brant this year unless Reeve Willoughby fails to carry out his pledge made to the electors last year that he asked for the reservation only for one term. But as Mr. Willoughby is now reported to be making longing eyes at a second term, there is the prospect of a contest. If Mr. Willoughby retires he will be succeeded by Deputy-Reeve Rowand who has sat for a number of years in the Council, the last two as Deputy Reeve. The ratepayers showed their confidence in Mr. Rowand at the last vote two years ago by giving him a tremendous majority. In case Reeve Willoughby forces an election Ex-Deputy Reeve Archie Weir might possibly try the present Reeve another heat. Councillor Walter Findley will, we understand, be a candidate for the Deputy Reeve's Chair when Mr. Rowand steps up higher.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Ball wishes to thank her many neighbors and friends for much kindness shown, during her bereavement.

High School Notes

The Cadet Corps is now thoroughly organized. The senior officers were appointed a couple of weeks ago, and, on Monday, the remaining offices for four sergeants were also filled up. The sergeants are,—Cecil Wilton, H. S. McCool, S. Reichenbach, and C. McNab, in charge of sections one, two, three, and four respectively. One section is better than the others. Connundrum,—which and why.

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The students will be pleased to observe the smiling countenance of William Ramsey once more in their midst. William has been spending some enforced holidays owing to an accident to his arm at the Bobbin Factory.

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It is very difficult to account for the number of snowballs coming in the direction of the High School students who have to go through the Public School grounds. It is rather annoying to suddenly find a large amount of snow pressing tightly against one's eye and the pupils are righteously wrathful when anything occurs. Reprisals are made sometimes to the discomfiture of the enemy and on the whole, there are very strained relations between the schools.

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It would be a good idea for some energetic senior to organize an orchestra for the school. Of course this would be quite a step for any pupil to take on his own initiative, and it is respectively suggested that the Faculty take a hand in the game. There is plenty of talent in the school and it would liven things up if there were more music. Far be it from us to drop any hints, and yet the movement, if only commenced by the authorities, would be welcomed by the scholars. While, perhaps, the scholars would not produce anything like the Tschaikowsky quartette which most people in this locality heard during the summer, they could certainly make noise enough to lead singing, which in itself would be a good thing. The High School will hold Commencement Exercises before the fall term ends and the presence of an orchestra would interest people in these. Something should certainly be done right away and it is hoped that ere long sweet melodies will be proceeding from these halls of learning.

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The whole school was delighted to find Cadet Gordon Pfohl in his old place last Monday morning. Enlisting in the Royal Air Force on April 18 1918, as soon as he had reached the age of eighteen,—Gordon graduated from the various camps, Jesse Ketchum, Long Branch, School of Aeronautics, etc., in short order. At the Armament School, in Hamilton, although the youngest cadet there, he broke all records in gunnery, taking a score of 297 out of a possible 300. He was congratulated on his ability by Brigadier-General Hoare and, later, General Hoare watched him fire eighty rounds. At this test, Gordon smashed the target, making seventy-five bulls. For the last two months, Gordon has been flying at Camp Borden and he is now an expert aviator. It will be difficult for him to come back to ordinary life after doing loops, and spiral nose-dives at two hundred miles an hour, each day. Last year, Gordon was a very brilliant and popular student, and it was expected that he would capture the Carter scholarship. He was a prominent member of the famous S.O.L. society, and T.D.W.L. club, and was generally making things lively in Fourth form. Gordon looks fine in his uniform and the students are certainly glad to have him back, especially the girls, who seem to have forgotten the other gallants entirely. Gordon deserves great credit for enlisting. He tried to get Overseas but was not able to do so. All the pupils join hands in singing that "he's a jolly good fellow, which nobody can deny".

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It is hoped that Cadet L. J. Illiger another big man of last year, who enlisted with Gordon, will also be able to return to school. Leander was another such as Gordon and the pupils would be delighted to see him.

Death Of Little Child

Mrs. Dan Sheehan lost her three year old daughter, Dorothy on Friday, Dec. 6th. The little girl had been very sick with the croup and was taken to the County Hospital but died shortly after reaching the building. She was an only child and a grand-daughter of Mr. Alex Ernest. Mrs. Sheehan's husband died in Pennsylvania just a year ago.

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Life is a Give and Take Proposition

No Man, Under Modern Conditions, Can Live Entirely Unto Himself—Each Dependent on Others—The Citizen Who Does Not Aid in Building Up His Community Cannot Expect to Have Prosperity Himself.

There was a time in the world when a man could do pretty much as he pleased. What one man did was of little concern to anyone else, for it had little effect on anyone else. Those days are gone, however, and they will never return. To-day, no man can live entirely unto himself. Life is a complicated affair under modern conditions. No one man in any community is entirely independent of all others in the community.

Organized society, in the form of governments, national, state and local, have recognized the new conditions and have decreed that every man must observe certain rules in his relations with his fellow men. He must not do certain things that would endanger the health of other people in his community. He must not do such things as would disturb the peace and quiet of his neighborhood. He must remember that he owes a duty to his community.

Not a Question of Right.

A man may say that he has the right to spend his money where he pleases, that no one can stop him if he wants to buy his groceries, his clothes and his furniture in some city miles away from where he earns the money to pay for them. He is right. There is no law to prevent him doing so, unless it is the law of self-preservation. The man who has the right to send his money away to some distant city instead of spending it at home also has the right to send his children to that city to be educated in the schools which his money helps to support, but he doesn't exercise that right. He sends his children to the local schools, the maintenance of which is made possible by the men who spend their money at home.

Life in any community to-day is a give-and-take proposition. A man can not take everything and give nothing and get away with it for any great length of time. He can not take his living from a community and give nothing back to help the other fellow make a living. If he cuts off the other fellow's living he is bound eventually to cut off his own, for, unless the other fellow has money to buy his labor or his goods, he cannot make a living himself.

You may say that what you buy doesn't amount to much and the money that you send away to the mail-order houses in other cities can not have any direct effect upon the general business conditions in your town. Maybe it doesn't amount to much, and maybe it doesn't have any great effect upon the community's prosperity in itself, but what will be the result if every person in the community, or half of them, or a tenth of them, take the same view of the matter. Your business, itself, may not amount to much, but, taken together with the business of a hundred others in the community, it amounts to a great deal. It amounts to the difference between a prosperous community and a "dead" one. It amounts to the difference, in the end, between good times and bad times for yourself and your family. If you lived on a desert isle it would make no difference where you sent your money, because it would make no difference whether you had any money at all or not. But you are not living upon a desert isle. You are living in a modern community. To do everything possible to build up that community is not only a duty which you owe to the community, but—more important still—it is a duty which you owe to yourself.

Taxes Will Increase

You have children to educate. You want this community to have good schools so that your children may have the same advantage that the children in the big city have. If you live on a farm you need good roads by which to haul your products to market. You may say that you pay your share of the taxes out to which the school-houses are built and the highways maintained and the roads constructed. Maybe you do pay your share, in proportion to the value of your world's goods, but where is the other fellow to get the money to pay his share of the taxes if, after you pay your taxes, you send the remainder of your money to some other community to help build their schools and construct their roads. The merchants of any community pay a very considerable part of the taxes collected in that community. Go to the tax-books and you will find this to be the case. When the business of the merchant falls off, and he carries smaller stocks, and has less money in the bank, he pays smaller taxes, and, as the amount he pays in taxes decreases, the amount you pay must increase if the schools are to be maintained and the roads kept up. It may be a man's own business if he wants to send his money to help build up the big cities where the mail-order houses flourish, but it is poor business for himself, as well as for everybody else in the community in which he lives.

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OUR HEALTHY TOWN

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criminate changes in sewer connections without reporting same. He suggested that the Chief get busy and deal with it.

Our Healthy Town

Medical Health Officer Dr. Porter, in his annual report for 1918, said that Walkerton had been practically free from infectious diseases up until the recent Flu epidemic. Only one person had died of the Flu and the disease was now ceasing to be troublesome in the town. There had been four cases of typhoid at the County Hospital but they had been brought in from outside points.

Dr. Fortune presented a bill for $64.00 for inspection of dairies in connection with the local Sanitary By-law. The account was held to be looked into.

A number of small accounts were paid.

The Council adjourned to meet on Monday December 16th., at 7.30 p. m. for the statutory winding up of the year's business.

Died At Brandon

Mr. William Carnegie, an old and highly respected resident of this section of Bruce Co., died in Brandon this week. The remains are being brought East and the funeral will take place from the home of relatives near Mildmay on Friday to the Clifford cemetery for burial. The late Mr. Carnegie who was over eighty years of age, was an extensive traveller, having made over seventy trips to the Canadian West besides many journeys across the Atlantic.

Doing A Good Service

So many people wrote their good deeds heralded from the house-top that it is refreshing to find occasionally a citizen who is content to do his unselfish bit for the public good without any public recognition whatever. For several years sidewalks in the Knox Church district for several blocks have been kept clear of snow by Mr. Thomas Etsell, caretaker of Knox Church. After a snow storm out before daylight with his horse and plough and has his streets cleared as early as any in the town. He has never billed the Council for his work. So far as we can learn, he has never even been thanked for it. Apparently he hasn't looked for thanks or recognition. He has got his fun and reward out of doing the public a good service.

To the shareholders of the Saugeen Oil Company Ltd

A meeting of the share-holders of the Saugeen Oil Company Limited, will be held at the Office of Messrs. Robertson and McNab, Durham Street, Walkerton on Friday the 20th. day of December, 1918 at four o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of considering the advisability of voluntarily winding up the Saugeen Oil Company Limited and if deemed advisable to pass a resolution requiring the said Corporation to be so wound up and providing for the distribution of the assets of the Company.

Dated this 9th. day of December, 1918.

David Robertson,
Vice-Pres.

LETTER FROM JOE RENNIE

Walkerton Boy Writes Chatty Letter Telling Of Experience In The March Through Belgium Towards Germany "Glory To Canadians" is The Sign That Greets Our Boys In Belgium.

The following interesting paragraphs are extracts from a letter from Joe Rennie, written to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rennie:

Belgium, Nov. 17th., 1918.

Nothing very exciting has happened in the last week except the war has ended. But I suppose you heard about that shortly afterwards.

I am working in the Company Orderly Room now, and there was a fellow in the other day. I was taking his particulars and asked him where his parents lived. He said, "Eden Grove" I said, "That's a nice big town," and he said "What do you know about Eden Grove?" His name was Scott. They used to run a threshing machine and I suppose Dad would know him.

You will be surprised to hear that we are in Belgium now. We marched out of France yesterday and you could notice the difference in the people at once. The Belgians are a lot the better class of people. The Coy is away to Church parade and I am Coy clerk so I stay behind. We have a dandy billet here, nice and clean and the old man can't put enough wood on the fire. His wife is running in all the time asking us if we want coffee. They had a fire on this morning before we got up. We are sleeping in the parlour. I can imagine what some of the people in Canada would say if a bunch of soldiers were dumped down in their parlor. They have loosened up a bit on the censoring of mail so I will be able to tell you a few of the places I have been lately. We have been staying in Valenciennes the last week or so. It is about the last big town in France on our way to Belgium. We captured it on Nov. 1st. The 47th. was the first in the town. They had a big celebration there a few days after we took it. The Prince of Wales was there and a few more British officers. The French people certainly had it fixed up swell. There is a fine City Hall there and some fine theatres. We are in a town now called Engles. It is a very nice place. The Belgian people dress very smartly and have a lot more to eat than the French. You should see the French people digging now that the Germans have gone. I saw one woman digging up a big box of dishes. They hid everything they could when the war started. Yesterday when we were marching along the road there was a bunch of refugees going down the other side. There was a line almost unbroken for the fourteen miles we walked. Old women carrying bags and men and children wheeling barrows full of clothes and dishes. They must have come through some terrible hardships but they all seem to be happy now. The Belgians have signs up all over, Glory to the Canadians and a lot more like that. We certainly have a stand in around here.

One of the boys that was wounded awhile ago was in Marion Hoegbam's ward in the hospital at the Base. Does anybody ever hear from Capt. Todd? I saw him at Agnes Les Dusans but wasn't speaking to him. I saw some of the boys yesterday that went to the 1st. Bn. There aren't very many of them left there now I don't think you could get a very big Bruce Bn. gathered together now, although quite a number were only wounded. Bob Rowland is around here some place. His Bn. is always near us as we are in the same Brigade. Well I will close for this time with love to all and wishing you a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.

Joe.

Council's Work Lightened

The County Council finished December Session a day earlier than usual. We understand nearly per cent of the time spent discussing the Good Roads Schedule. As the Schedule now then fixed by By-law Roads System placed in the hands of the Sup. and a committee of three, it looks as if the Councillors job would be a light one from now on. Perhaps after we shall see one day week

REMOV

We have now to our new ... erly occupied ... George, ... where we ... to handle ... shoe rep... style.

NEIL

LIVE NEWS OF OUR NEIGHBORING TOWNS, VILLAGES AND COUNTRYSIDE

:-: Happenings of the Past Week Collected for the Readers of The Telescope by a capable Staff of Wideawake Correspondents :-:

CARGILL

We are sorry to learn of the death of the wife of our former townsman Mr. Wat Clark, which took place in Southampton on Wednesday of last week of the Flu. We extend our sympathy to the bereaved family.

We welcome home two of our heroes, Sergt. J. J. Clancy and Sergt. Fred Anderson who arrived home last week from across the pond. Both boys look well and are glad to be home again.

With fuel as scarce as it appears to be when you try to buy it, it seems remarkable how much of it the farmers can lug to the station to ship to outside points, while the home consumer can go abegging for it.

We are pleased to hear that Mrs. Wm. Clark is on the mend, after being confined to her bed for the past few weeks.

Dr. Bricker is on the jump these days, there being quite a number of serious cases he is attending in the neighboring villages.

Mr. Jas. Alexander of Oshawa was here over Sunday.

EDEN GROVE

They were four. Four daisies. Like unto a garden in full bloom, they passed through our City resembling a rainbow with St. Vitus dance. Seated on a back-to-back arrangement manufactured with an axe and spikes by Cameron of Cargill and pulled by the latter's stiff-legged quadruped, Mrs. Cameron, Mrs. Foley, Miss McCoy and Miss Moreland flashed through the slums, up Quality Hill and away, leaving behind them a suggestion of sparkling chatter, tinkling laughter and toilet powder.

I cannot vouch for the truth of this yarn. It sounds a little improbable. However I am told that Gordon Brown and Cecil O'Reilly clambered to the top of the latter's hennery flapped their wings, crowed and attempted to fly. When asked by their nurse why they had been so foolish, they explained that they had "Flu" at Port Colborne and wanted to do it here.

There will not be any Fall Fair here this year as all the "Fairs" have gone to Palmerston.

Pte. Clancy and Anderson are back to Cargill. I went over to see them but they got on the train I got off. I was hoping they would be able to show me something I have never seen. Thought they might have brought one back as a souvenir. I refer to a "Cootie".

In the list of cases to come off at the Fall Assizes at Walkerton one was left out and never brought to trial. Why? Was it because the crime was such a hideous degenerate nature that the County did not desire the public at large to know of it? Or was it because someone wished to curry favor with the rogue? Or (This is absolutely the last "or" the Editor will allow me) was pressure brought to bear on those higher up in favor of the unfortunate lady? Anyhow, in justice to those who so gladly and generously donated their money toward buying Garland a new coat, I wish to state the said wretch only patched up his old one and used the money thus illegally gotten to reimburse a minister of the Gospel for a few mumbled words.

Here is a suggestion. Hand it to your neighbor. Talk it over. Then, when you have chewed on it, let me know you think of it:—

"A Christmas tree celebration for all the kiddies of all denominations in Ward's Hall a few days before Christmas. We could ask Santa Claus to come and maybe some of the little toddlers would entertain us older children. A small subscription would foot the bill. What do you say?"

BRANT AVENUE

Sleighing was here and gone again. Hope we get a fair supply back for Christmas.

Quite a few of our farmers are taking in the Fat Stock Show at Guelph

Mr. Ed. Ernest writes home from Tribune, Sask. that the Flu is very bad in that section. Ed. himself has had three attacks of it. After recovering from the first dose, he chore for his brother-in-law, John Ulrich who had the Flu, and got it again, and later while helping his brother, John, [illegible], he contracted it a third time. A cousin, [illegible] Kramer, an old Formosa boy, also of Sask., died of the Flu, leaving a wife and young family.

Mr. Gutcher who works for Mr. Ronnie is away on three week's [illegible].

CHEPSTOW

Mr. Mack Meagher left on Monday for his home in Young, Sask., after renewing acquaintances in this vicinity.

Miss Beatrice McNab nurse-in-training at St. Joseph's Hospital, Guelph, returned on Monday after a week's visit at her home here.

By order of the Board of Health the local schools are again closed for two weeks on account of the flu, Miss Fitzpatrick, the teacher having contracted the disease.

Rev. Frs. Zettler and Harris were in Formosa the beginning of the week assisting at the Forty Hours Devotion, which were held in that parish.

We are pleased to report that Mrs. Jos. Schutoski, who has been seriously ill with the flu, is improving. Miss Kohller, trained nurse is attending her.

KINLOSS

Report of Kinloss Red Cross Society for the year 1918:—Before disbanding, our members met on Saturday Nov 30th., and packed a large bale valued at $281.50 for the Belgian Relief. The bale contained sheets, quilts, towels, underwear, socks, stockings etc., besides 50 yards of uncut material. The total number of articles made during the year are as follows:—Pyjamas 245 suits, day shirts 67, hospital shirts 27, sheets 52, towels 223, pillow cases 120, pillows 3, face cloths 120, handkerchiefs 160, socks 122, surgical pads 2 doz., mouth wipes 100, personal property bags, 15, quilts 7. Total value of bales shipped, $1031.10. Besides the bales shipped there were $5 sent to Belgian Relief, $25 to Y.M.C.A. $10 to Capt. D. J. Lane for hospital work and underwear to the value of $37.56 sent to boys in the trenches. Mrs. C. N. McKenzie, Sec.

SOLWAY

Annual report of the Solway Branch of the Bruce Preparedness League No. 9:—

Our society has met with great success during the past year. Our meetings are held in the Township Hall every three weeks, and we thank one and all who have helped in any way to make this society successful. Although we have not had very large meetings, there are those who in their homes did not forget that the boys in France were fighting for them and did their utmost in the way of knitting and sewing so that the men in the trenches, might be more comfortable, and each meeting day, the work kept coming in, thus showing they were not too busy to think of those in need. The parcels are done up at the meetings, and sent direct to France. This society sent overseas 91 parcels containing 462 pairs of socks, 152 shirts, and 8 pairs of gloves, also sent something in the way of a treat in each parcel, which was contributed by two or three of the ladies at each meeting.

Cash on hand Dec 1st, 1917, $74.39.

RECEIPTS

Collections	$89 41
Garden Party	229 37
Box Social	70 00
Preparedness League Grant	70 00
Township C. Grant	50 00
County C. Grant	445 22
Sale of Yarn	41 47
Sale of flannel	2 20
Donations	26 60
Total	1109.74

EXPENDITURES

Paid for yarn	$556 32
Paid for flannel	287 26
Paid for buttons	2 20
General Expenses	3 74
Garden Party Expenses	45 37
Postage on parcels	21 67
Total	3321.96
Cash on hand	$184.78

Mrs. R. S. Nesbitt, Sec Treas.

GLAMIS

Mrs. John Groves, (nee Miss Annie Currie) of Kerrobert, Sask., arrived on Saturday on a visit to relatives here.

Miss Blanche Downey Con. 4 Bruce, is engaged at Mr. Graham's.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman McLeod and son, Keith, have gone to Niagara Falls for the winter.

Miss Belle McGregor, Con. 6 Bruce, was a guest of Miss Mary McIntyre for a few days.

Don't forget the Annual Meeting of the Red Cross on Tuesday Dec. 17th.

Miss Mina Cunningham left on Tuesday to take a position at Oakville.

We deeply regret to report the very critical condition of Mrs. Alex McSween. No hope of her recovery is given.

Pte. John Short of Regina Sask., is here on a visit to his daughter, Mrs. Robert McLennan.

Mrs. Wm. McKay and son William left the village last week to spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Thos. Brackenbank, Con. 9 Kincardine Twp.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Smith and family Con. 2, Bruce have moved to Inverhuron.

Nurse Margaret McKinnon of Toronto is nurse in charge at McSweens.

The Baptist S. S. purpose holding their Annual Entertainment, on Friday Evening Dec. 27th. Miss Pearl Newton, Elocutionist from Toronto, is engaged for the evening.

CULROSS COUNCIL

A special meeting of Council was held to-day at the call of the Reeve, as the Engineer has handed in his report re the survey of the Boundary line between Culross and Greenock.

Armstrong and Keefer, that as the Engineer has completed his survey of the Greenock boundary, and has handed in his report that we adopt the report and that the Clerk notify the Reeve of Greenock to that effect. Carried.

Thompson and Keffer, that the Engineer be paid his fees re the H-Brun and Detzler drain. Carried.

Keefer and Thompson, that we pay Robt. Mowbray for building cement bridge at lot 9, con. 8. Carried

Armstrong and Keffer, that as the Engineer has made a survey of the 30th sideroad, from con. 10 to 14, that we appoint James Thompson and Philip Keffer to have to have timber on the sideroad sold. Carried.

C. A. Jones, engineer's fees re the Hillbrun and Detzler drain, $251.80; Robt. Mowbray, building a cement bridge, lot 9, con. 8, $300; Geo. Bannerman tile for Goetz and Keiffer drain, $157.03; Chris. Weiler, lumber for said drain, $6.96; Keffer work on said drain, $348,98; Ben. Goetz, work on said drain, $34.40; Jos. Murray, working grader and cement tile, $87.10.

The council then adjourned to meet again as per adjournment of last meeting December 18th.

C. Bulton, Clerk.

AGED COUPLE TAKEN

(Continued from page [illegible])

ty but 60 years ago they came to the Queen's Bush in Culross, about a mile from Ennisklllen, where Mr. White farmed successfully, living there up to the time of his death.

Thirty-seven years ago he married Miss Eliza Jane Johnston of Culross, who proved an ideal helpmeet and was a woman of beautiful character. They are survived by one son, John, at home, and an only daughter, (Minnie), Mrs. Wm. Cunningham, of Oak River, Man. The double funeral Service on Saturday was conducted by their pastor, Rev. Mr. McKenzie, of Kinloss Presbyterian Church.

Flying A Handley-Page

Lieut. Stanley McConnell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver McConnell, who has been Overseas with the Royal Air Force for some time, has been flying one of the big Handley Page machines with which the British planned to bomb Berlin.

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Coffee
Coffee in [illegible] bean or ground
[illegible] finest @ 25c to 40c. lb.
Bulk [illegible] cut coffee
..... 40c. per lb. tin

Pearline
400 [illegible] Pearline @ 6c. per pkg.

Tobacco
Tobacco: Black Watch, Mc[illegible] T. and B., Virginia [illegible] King George. All at cut prices.

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In these present days it is difficult to choose a topic which will prove interesting and instructive and still not smack of something you have read or heard, or thought out yourself. We are living in an age of hackneyed ideas, hackneyed sayings, hackneyed efforts. It remains therefore, to attack a topic with renewed vigor, to seek to knock into it, or out of it some new thoughts, or new phases of old thoughts, and await the issue with some hope.

You have come here to-night to show your good-will towards two men who tried to do their part in a cause that you all acclaimed. This Preparedness League has, I believe, for its object the welfare of men returned from the war. And it is about these returned men that I should like to tell you some things to-night.

It would be well perhaps to assure you at the outset, that I am not the agent or propagandist of any society, and that any statements which may follow are merely facts that have impressed me, from my intimate association with many men who have already returned or will soon return to this country. I know little or nothing about the Great War Veterans Association, unless it be some unsavoury remarks about it which have fallen on my ears. I have not even considered becoming a member of it.

A man who has been on active service coming back to resume his civil duties requires readjustment. Some even need remodelling. The army and the war have wrought tremendous changes in the man who left home, and the changed product is called a soldier, and he has to be thrown into the melting-pot again. And according to the treatment meted out to him during this transition stage so shall the quality of the re-instated citizen be determined. You may think that your boy, and your boy, and your boy are impervious to change. Do not congratulate yourselves too soon. Some of the changes are extremely subtle and not readily apprehended. Few, if any, come back who do not bear the mark of the war upon the personality. You should learn to understand these altered men, and to assist them to get back into the normal habits of living.

Above all things the ex-soldier is sensitive, yes he is hyper-sensitive. During the period following his discharge from the army, he feels the new life strange. It will take time before he can properly adopt himself to his new environment. He needs sympathy—not the consolatory kind, but a real fellowship of feeling, an appreciation, not ostentatious but quiet and sincere, of what he has done. Let him know that you mean to be on the level with him. Make him feel that there is a place for him in the business and social life of the community. This is worth more than gold to him. One thing a man can't help but learn in the army, and that is to be suspicious. He is like the devout American that tell of, whose motto is "In God we trust," and suspect everybody else. I think the American troops, if they are of their countryman's persuasion should be more fortunate than some of the fellows I have known who frequently found some of their possessions missing before they learned to suspect. The soldier, then, is suspicious. He scents trouble afar off, so that when it comes he is fully prepared to meet it. Thus on returning he hears of how his comrades have been treated in this land. A young fellow in Toronto, a student at Osgoode Hall, who is pretty well posted on city doings, told me a short time ago, that if a fellow is looking for a job in Toronto it is advisable not to say that he is a returned soldier. Can you fancy anything more utterly disheartening, not to say galling, to a man who has come back and wants to make good? Would you like to send that advertisement to France for the boys to read?

Tips to Canadian Soldiers

"If you want a job when you get back, don't let on you're a returned soldier?

I know that there are ranting extremists and undesirables among those who come back. There are black sheep among every flock. The conduct of these ultra-revolutionaries gives a bad name to the entire body of soldiers. We suffered? Idiot in England. The few fools spoiled it for the bunch. So when you hear tales of the unholy doings of returned men, you may safely put it down to some of such. Do not consider all guilty of the crime of a few. I wish you could know some of these men as I have been privileged to know them. They are made of such splendid stuff! They are a treat to know. And all they ask is a fair chance. They don't want a big fuss made about them. You have probably heard stories to the effect that returned men want all Canada and then some. It's falsehood. If Canada receives these men back into civil life as she ought, I think you will find them very humble in their demand. But of course don't forget, there are extremists.

Patience, forbearance, kindness, justice are virtues that should be employed in your relations with returned men. I have not seen the soldier yet who did not respond immediately to acts of kindness. Do not be condescending. That is an insufferable attitude to hold towards the man who has been "over there". It alienates a man straightway. You can't be too patient with him. The process of readjustment may require a long period of time. Try to consider what he has been through (and you are powerless to form any adequate conception of it all) and then make allowances for him. His sufferings, his misery may leave altered him entirely. Think of these things in your dealings with him. He may err in a heated moment, unthinkingly. Be just with him, and you will find yourself amply requited for the trust you have reposed in him. The country needed your money and you invested freely in Victory Bonds. Invest your faith in these men who have represented you in France, and you will receive interest a hundredfold.

Died of Flu

Mrs. A. Schumacher had word last week that her son, Mr. Leo. Schumacher, School Principal, Humboldt, Sask., had lost his wife, who succumbed to an attack of the flu at the early age of 23. By her death three small children are left motherless.

President Resigns

Mr. Andrew Schmidt, who has been president of the Carrick Agricultural Society during the past eleven years and has been very active in its support has sent in his resignation, the same to take effect at once. He gives as the reason for his resignation, the unfair and false rumor circulated concerning him by one of the directors of the society. —Mildmay Gazette.



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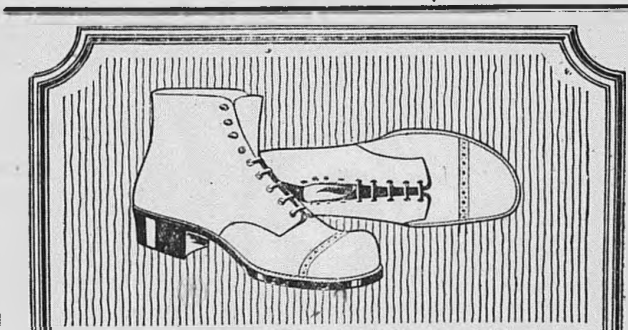
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At a public hearing in Ottawa the other day in connection with paper conservation, the Paper Controller for Canada intimated that regulations about to be issued would include one of the effects that:

> Publishers of newspapers must cease sending their newspapers to subscribers three months in arrears, unless subscriptions be definitely renewed, and all arrears fully paid.

The reason for this regulation of the Paper Controller is that it is the practice of some publishers to send their newspapers until ordered stopped. It is to prevent paper waste that the new regulation has been decided on.

The manufacture of paper consumes labor, wood, coal, chemicals and transportation facilities, and every ton of paper saved means just so much more labor, raw materials, chemicals, fuel and transportation available for urgent war needs. For these reasons the Government insists that paper shall be saved and proposes that only those who pay for their publications shall receive them.

Under these regulations The Telescope will have no choice in the matter of dealing with "subscriptions in arrears for over three months.

You need The Telescope, and we want to continue sending it to you. So, if your subscription is in arrears, please pay up at once to prevent a discontinuance of your subscription.

YOU WILL!

Remember your friends at Christmas with some token of friendship and you cannot think of anything more suitable than your photograph which must come from YOU. They cannot buy it. Not too soon to have the work done now as we shall be extremely busy later.

T. DONOAHUE

PHOTOGRAPHER WALKERTON

FAMILIAR SCENES IN WALKERTON:- No. 3



C. P. R. STATION, WALKERTON.

TOWN AND DISTRICT NEWS

Christmas Fair next Thursday, Dec. 19th.

Miss Gertrude and Mr. Herman Twietmeyer of Hanover, accompanied by Mr. Theo. Twietmeyer of Rochester, N.Y., and Miss Hilda Kruel of Walkerton, spent Tuesday with friends in town.

Whiskey is being shipped to different points in Ontario concealed in baled hay. A Mildmay citizen received a consignment of baled hay recently, but there is evidence that it contained any "Joy liquid."

Cadet Leander Bilger of the Royal Aviation Force, Toronto, is home on an indefinite leave of absence. He enlisted last Spring and has enjoyed his training. He expects to receive his discharge in a few months.—Mildmay Gazette.

Mr and Mrs J. Steinmiller of Gorrie drove over on Sunday and spent a day or so with Mr. and Mrs. A. Seegmiller. All four of Mr. Steinmiller's family had the flu, the eldest son Orville nearly succumbing to pneumonia following the flu.

The "Drys" of the United States were jubilant over the President's signature to the bone dry measure. By this law nation-wide prohibition becomes effective July 1, 1919, until after demobilization is completed. By that time prohibition forces claim enough states will have ratified the prohibition constitutional amendment, now before them, to make national prohibition permanent.

Died In West

W. J. Ryan of the 14th., of Brant received a telegram last week that his sister, Mrs. Frank Moran, had died at Edgerton, Alta., and that the body was being shipped to Chesley. Mrs. Moran was married a little over three years ago and moved to Alberta. She leaves a husband and two babies. As Mr. Moran has to take care of the little ones, it was impossible for him to accompany the remains to the East.

The maiden name of deceased is Mary Ryan, a daughter of the late Daniel Ryan, and her widowed mother lives with her son W. J. on the old homestead. Mrs Ben Waechter of South Brant is a sister of deceased, and a brother John E. Ryan of Hamilton was also called home by the sad event.

THERE IS A DIFFERENCE

When Ma is Sick

When Ma is sick, she pegs away;
She's quiet, though, not much to say
She goes right on seein' things,
An' sometimes laughs, or even sings
She says she don't feel extra well.
But then it's just a kind o' spell.
She'll be all right to-morrow, sure.
A good old sleep will be the cure
An' Pa he sniffs an' makes no kick,
For women folk is always sick,
An' Ma, she smiles, let's on she's glad
When Ma is sick it ain't so bad.

When Pa is Sick

When Pa is sick he's scared to death
An' Ma an' us just holds our breath
He crawls in bed, an' puffs and grunts,
And does all kinds of crazy stunts
He wants "Doc" Brown an' mighty quick,
For when Pa's ill he's awful sick.
He gasps and groans, an' sort o' sighs,
He talks so queer, an' rolls his eyes,
Ma jumps an' runs, an' all of us,
An' all the house is in a fuss,
An' peace an' joy is mighty scarce
When Pa is sick It's something fierce.

A Mount Forest youth was sentenced to four months for stealing chickens.

Christmas Suggestion

Your boy or girl at a distance would appreciate a year's subscription to the Telescope as a Christmas remembrance. It is like a letter from the old home neighborhood 52 times a year.

George Hudson Sells Business

Mr. George Hudson, who has been publisher of the Haldimand Banner of Cayuga the past three years, has sold the business to Mr H. H. Davey, a former proprietor. George has made many improvements in the Advocate since he took it over and has published a real live sheet. The announcement of the change ownership appeared in last week's Advocate but Mr. Hudson's plans for the future were not stated.

Death of Mr. George Brunt

The death of Mr. George Brunt took place at his home at Hanover on Tuesday of last week at the age of 70 years. Death was the result of the effects of an accident which took place six years ago when he had his right hand mangled in a mill. Mr. Brunt was well acquainted at Walkerton having visited with Mrs. Brunt's sister, Mrs. E. H. Glave before the latter removed to Brantford. Deceased was born in Ireland, emigrating to Canada with his parents when a boy of 9 years of age. They resided at Springfield for 4 years and then removed to the 6th. concession of Bentinck, where they resided about two years. He married Miss Margaret Brunt, daughter of Ralph Brunt of Lambton, who survives him with two daughters Mrs. John McIntyre of Perth Ont. and Miss Addie Brunt of Saskatoon. Deceased spent 46 years in the woollen mill business, being employed with Mr. Chase of Chesley, Kennedy & Bunstein and Caldwell Bros., of Lennox. Deceased was highly respected by all who knew him. The funeral took place last Thursday to the Hanover cemetery, Rev. J. A. Jackson officiating.

FORMER FORMOSA LADY

Death at Hepworth of Mrs. William Lambertus From Pneumonia and Flu

After an Illness of less than two weeks' duration, Louisa Seitz, relict of the late William Lambertus of Hepworth, succumbed to an attack of influenza, complicated with pneumonia. Her serious condition was not realized at first and her death came very expectedly.

Deceased was born at Formosa in 1867, and was the second youngest of a family of seven.

In the Spring of 1891, she with her husband came to Hepworth and there made their home, having been married in 1890. Mr. Lambertus died last February.

The late Mrs. Lambertus was of a quiet and reserved disposition, and was a faithful member of St. Mary's Roman Catholic Church where the funeral was held on Saturday morning.

The following sisters survive: Mrs Beuninger of Wallaceburg, Mrs. A. Meyer, Mrs. Jno. Vogt, Mrs Bernard Meyer, and Miss John Meyer, of Formosa, and Mrs. Louis Meyer of Saskatchewan.

The following children survive: Alfred S. of Hepworth, Mrs. Bert Gilbert of Creemore, and Miss Olive at home, who have the sympathy of their friends.

Husband Died of Flu

Mrs. James Ross, eldest daughter of Mrs. David Pinkerton of Enniskillen was sadly bereaved by the death of her husband, whose death took place recently in the Regina Hospital aged 34 years. Mrs. Ross has disposed of her effects at Regina and is coming East with her two little sons to live with her mother at Enniskillen.

Joke On Reeve

Some County Councillors had a laugh at the expense of a well-known Irish member of our County parliament here who by the way likes a joke pretty well himself. He had arranged with a deputation of his ratepayers to come in on Thursday and wait on the Council when the Good Roads Schedule was being discussed. Then he discovered that Thursday would be altogether too late and there was nothing to do but to call each and every member of the deputation up on the phone and tell them to come Wednesday instead. It was some job but he went down to his hotel and tackled it. After he had been at the phone half an hour, another Councillor saw a chance for a joke and got on a private phone in another part of the house. "Hello, Reeve," said the Wag, "This is Central office." Your bill is already $8.50. How much longer are you going to talk?" similar to St. Patrick. Eight dollars and a half! Our Irish friend waxed indignant at the prospect of having such a crimp put in his role and could be seen shaking his fist at the phone held up his end then, while that could be heard all over the building. The chap at the other phone filed up his end fine while the crowd who could hear both ends of the conversation, rocked with mirth.

RECEIVES CALL TO CHATHAM

Rev. H. M. Gale of Pinkerton Is Invited To Accept Pastorate of Knox Pastor's Former Charge.

Rev. H. M. Gale, pastor of the Presbyterian charge of Pinkerton and St. Paul's Cargill, has received a call to the pastorate of St. Paul's Harwich, near Chatham, where Rev. W. H. Burgess, B. A., B. D., is stationed before coming to Knox Church, Walkerton. We understand that Rev. Mr. Gale was asked some weeks ago to preach at St. Paul's with a view to a call but declined as he has no thought of leaving Pinkerton where the work has prospered and where he is held in the highest regard by his people. The St. Pauls people insisted and have now sent a very hearty call which has been sustained by the Chatham Presbytery and now awaits action by the Bruce Presbytery. Mr. Gale has not expressed his intention in the matter. This is the second invitation to a larger work which has come to him within a year. The first invitation he declined without allowing it to proceed to a call. A man of Mr. Gale's engaging personality in which earnestness, sympathy and sincerity are clearly reflected would seem to be ideally fitted for the ministerial calling. In both pulpit and pastoral work he shows equal gifts. An elder brother is one of the leading missionaries sent out by the American Presbyterian Church and has done a great work in China. Mr. Gales son is also embarked in the ministry and is beginning a promising pastorate at Hyde Park. The stipend at St. Pauls, Harwich, is $1200 and manse.

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Whatever else may or may not be welcome as a Christmas gift, a dainty handkerchief or two or three is always sure of a warm reception.

More variety of choice than ever is offered this year in the handkerchief section.

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TOWN AND DISTRICT NEWS

Mr. A. E. McNab is laid up with the grippe.

Mr. Alex McBeath and Miss McBeath of Paisley spent Sunday at Mr. George Webb's near Glammis, the latter remaining for the week a guest of the Misses Webb.

Present For Miss Halladay

Miss Ross entertained the Public School teachers at the Tea Rooms last Wednesday afternoon and made it the occasion for presenting to Miss Halladay on behalf of the staff a hand some brass compote dish. Miss A. D. Thompson also made a few remarks saying some kind things about their friend, who is leaving to take a position of Toronto Staff, which were re-echoed by all present.

THE NEGLECTED SICK

Editor Telescope,

Dear Sir:—

Within a few days, 2 indigent patients—both over 65 years of age—from Chesley, were sent into the county of Bruce General Hospital in a dying condition. It is not only cruelty to the sick, but very unfair to the hospital. "The poor we have always with us"—and surely the authorities of Chesley, or elsewhere, might look after their poor a little better and have them cared for while there is some chance to save their lives. A long cold drive is certainly not conducive to a patient's recovery, particularly a an advanced stage of the disease. Truly: "Man's inhumanity to man makes countless thousands mourn." It is to be hoped that in the future all municipalities will realize the vital importance of sending indigent patients to the hospital before it is too late.

Humanity.

Mr. R. J. Stewart of the Agricultural Dept. was a visitor in Toronto this week.

Gets Big Job

Major Arthur McConnell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver McConnell, has received an important appointment as Chief of Staff of Military District No. 1 with headquarters at Toronto.

Not Yet Landed

The report that Victor Hall had landed at Halifax is not correct. The only news his people have had yet was in the cable previously reported that Victor had arrived from the German Prison camp, in London, Eng.

PAY IN ADVANCE

Recent advices from Ottawa seem to indicate more surely that the Canadian government will follow the lead of the United States authorities in requiring newspapers and magazine subscriptions to be paid in advance. The purpose of this measure is the conservation of news print paper.

The increased cost of everything used in the production of a newspaper makes it imperative that the Telescope should have unpaid subscription on books. Please examine label on your paper, and find that you are arrears do not delay but make your remittance at once, either by express or postal note, if you are too far away to make personal call at The Telescope office.

Cadet Leslie McConnell of the R. A. F. is home from Toronto on leave.

Press Men Met

The Bruce Press Association met here on Thursday last and discussed many problems of interest to the fraternity. The members present included:—E. E. Short of Southampton; E. R. Sayles of Port Elgin; D. McKenzie of Paisley, President J. J. Hunter of Kincardine; J. A. Wesley and L. A. Eedy Walkerton. Visitors from Grey County included:—Messrs. Ramage and W. Irwin, Durham; Mr. Ricketts, Markdale; Geo. Mitchell, Hanover.

Brant Pioneer Gone

Mr. John Fisch sr., one of the oldest settlers of Brant Tp. passed away at his home on Monday evening, Dec. 2nd. Deceased who was in his 81st year, had been troubled for the past twelve years with dropsy. He was born at New Glasgow, Waterloo County, and came as a boy of eight years with his parents to Brant, settling on the farm at what is known as Fisch's Hill where he resided up to the time of his death. His father is said to have built the first bank barn in the township which was something of a wonder of those days. Fifty-one years ago he was married to Gertrude Reinhardt of Carrick who predeceased him about fifteen years ago. He was a good neighbor and was respected by all who knew him. A family of three sons and three daughters survive him. They are: John of Dunkeld, Albert of Brant, Louis of Kerrobert, and three daughters, (Barbara) Mrs. Louis Kunts of Formosa, and Misses Catherine and Hannah at home. The funeral took place at Formosa R. C. Church on Saturday morning.

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ANDY JOHNSTON CANED

Mayor Gives Retiring Council a Banquet and Is Presented With Gold-headed Stick

All the last Council meeting of the year adjourned on Monday night the members and the Press and Town Officials were invited by the Mayor to Erdman's where a fine supper was in readiness. Everything was gotten up in Erdman's best style and after full justice had been done to the good things, Coun. Lippert rose and on behalf of the members of the Council made some laudatory remarks about the way in which His Worship had filled the chief magistrate's chair the last two years, and Coun. George Leitner on behalf of his fellow members presented Mayor Johnston with a handsomely engraved gold-headed cane, bearing the inscription: "Presented to Mayor Andrew P. Johnston by fellow-members Town Council 1918." Other members spoke along similar lines, and the Mayor replied thanking the Council for many kindnesses shown him during his occupancy of the Mayor's Chair.

Shorts!

We have a big quantity on hand as we are running day and night. Now is the time to get your shorts while the supply is plentiful.—Pietsch Bros.

Funeral of Peter Wehengel

The body of Peter Wehengel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Wehengel, whose death occurred at Fernie, B.C. of pneumonia, arrived here last Wednesday night and on Saturday funeral service was held conducted by Rev. Father Hoffarth. The pallbearers were:—James Craig, Mel Goodby, Orville Kain, John Rudolph, George Monahon, Sam Noble.

PTE. BOB TURNER M. M.

Given A Hearty Welcome Home By Big Audience of Fellow Citizens At the Town Hall on Monday Night—A Hero of Vimy Ridge.

A rousing welcome home was given Pte. Bob Turner M. M. by the citizens at a public reception held in his honor at the Town Hall on Monday night. The hall was filled for the occasion. Mr. W. M. Shaw was chairman of the meeting and called on Rev. R. Perdue, Secretary of the Local Preparedness League, to present to the guest of honor the ten dollar gold piece and certificate of honor. Bob were, by request, the Military Medal won by bravery on the field at Vimy Ridge, and in a nice reply thanked the ladies of the town for their kindness to him and the other Walkerton boys Overseas, and thanked the people of the town for the splendid reception given him. A Brant boy, Pte. Fred Sarvis, just returned from the Front, was noticed in the audience, called to the platform and given a welcome. The speakers of the evening included Lieut. F. B. James, L .C. Benton and Rev J. W. Sanderson.

Pte. Turner enlisted with the 34 th., Batt'n. and went Overseas with the first draft from that unit in June 1915. He was in much of the hardest fighting in France. He was first wounded in the knee and later after returning to the Front took trench fever, which put him out of the fighting for keeps. He was among the number of Canada's gallant sons who were decorated for bravery on the battlefield.

The reception closed by the singing of God Save the King, and "He's a Jolly Good Fellow."

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Mr. Richard Lee spent the week-end at Toronto.

White Ivory Hair Brushes $3 to $6 at Sieveright's.

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Mr. J. J. Schumacher has gone on a business trip to New York.

Try aluminum cooking utensils. There are none better. S. W. Vogan.

Mrs. and Miss Goodfellow are spending Christmas with the friends at Mitchell.

Cadet Leslie Bryce arrived home from Toronto this week. Leslie has been granted his discharge.

Capt. (Dr.) Albert Wehengel of the U. S. Medical Service has been transferred from New Haven, Conn. to Markelton, Penn.

Mr. John Whitehead of Brant who has been very ill with pleuro-pneumonia, was able to be out for the first time on Tuesday.

The Bazaar held by the ladies of St. Thomas Church on Wednesday afternoon of last week was a splendid success. $130 was realized.

Mr. A. E. Sherrington left on Monday to spend the winter at Minnico. He expects to return to his fruit farm here about April 1st.

Xmas cakes and plum puddings. If you don't wish to make your own Xmas cake and pudding our ready-made products will certainly please you. Goode & McKay.

Miss Lizzie Holm, who has been visiting friends at Detroit, is expected home Wednesday. Her mother, who went to Listowel on Tuesday to visit her sister, Mrs. Byers, will return with her.

Don't forget that Christmas will soon be here and it's none too soon to place your order for cut flowers and blooming plants which we will be prepared to offer in an unusual assortment. H. M. Norrish, Florist, Phone, 118.

Christmas Fair to-day.

Municipal Election, Monday Jan. 6th.

Everoady finahlights at Sieveright's.

Xmas Booklets, seals and tags at Sieveright's.

Boxes of Stationery 25c. to $1.50 at Sieveright's.

Monday, Dec. 20th, will be Municipal Nomination Day.

Mr. O. E. Klein and his boys are spending a few days at Toronto.

Miss Anna Erenewein has been ill with the flu at Victoria Hospital, London.

The Toronto Daily papers are raising their subscription rates at New Years.

Billie and Kennie Johnston, young sons of Mayor Johnston, have been sick with jaundice.

Capt. (Dr.) Lane of New York is here to spend Christmas with Mrs. Lane at Mr. McCrum's.

Mr. John Russell of North Bay was here this week to see his brother, Mr. Robert Russell.

"Star of the East" a Christmas cantata, will be given at the Knox Church next Sunday night.

The Hatchet is out. Chopped prices in all Xmas goods at the leading grocery. Goode & McKay.

Miss Ella Michlhausen daughter of Mr. John Michlhausen of Brant, is very ill with the flu and pneumonia.

Mrs. D. Pinkerton of Greenock left for Queensville on Wednesday afternoon to see her son who is ill there.

Local doctors say there is more influenza throughout this district at present than there has been all season.

Mr. Dan Craig has recovered from an attack of the flu. Mrs. Craig has now been taken down with the same complaint.

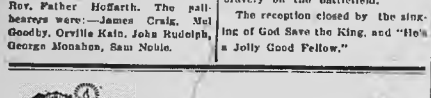
Communion Service will be held at the Evangelical Church next Sunday morning. Rev. J. G. Litt of Kitchener officiating.

Among the boys who are expected home from Overseas next week, is Pte. Wes Vowling who was seriously wounded a few months ago.

Your Christmas nuts candies and chocolates can be amply supplied from our stock at a variety of prices. Goode & McKay.

Extra fancy quality sweet potatoes and cranberries, the cape cod product, fresh plump and highly colored. On sale at Goode & McKay.

We wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year and incidentally inform you that our studio will be open both days for business. T. Donahue, Photographer.



A Gift for Everyone is to be Found in Our Store and we Invite You to Call at any Time Without Feeling under Any Obligation to Buy.

The following partial list may give you a suggestion and we invite you to inspect our offerings.

"Swan" Fountain Pens, $2.50 to $5.

"Blackbird" Fountain Pens, $1.25, and $1.50.

Stationery in fancy boxes, all prices.

Initial Stationery and correspondence cards.

Bibles and New Testaments.

New Presbyterian Book of Praise.

New Methodist Hymn Book

Prayer Books and Rosaries

Ladies Strap Purses, 60c. up

Coin Purses, Card Cases, Wallets.

Kodaks and Cameras $1.75 to $23.50

1919 Calendar Mounts for your own pictures or with local views.

Ivory and Ebony Manicure and toilet articles.

"Willard's" Forkdipt Chocolates, 35c. to $3.50.

Perfume packages 25c. to $5.00.

Toilet Waters, 75c., $1.00, $1.25.

French ivory in new pieces. pair, $1.50 up.

Military Hair Brushes, Ebony per Collar Bags

Hand Mirrors, Ebony and White Trays—White and Ebony

Shaving mirrors and Sets

Travelling Cases

"Everlite" Hot Water Bottles, guaranteed, $2.00

Brushes—Hair, Baby, Shaving, Cloth, Hat, Bonnet.

Snapshot Albums 20c. to $3.00

Nickel frames.

Thermos Bottles—pints and qts.

Auto Strop Safety Razor—$5.00

Gillette Safety Razor—$5.00

Cigars in boxes of 25 and 50

Cased pipes, Cigar Cases

Playing Cards

Flashlights

Ladies fancy combs, all kinds.

Dressing combs—white and black.

Manicure and toilet sets

Xmas Post Cards, Booklets, Stickers, Tags, Seals, Ribbonzene, Tinsel Cord.

Watch Our Window Displays

Hunter's Drug Store

Cut and Kodaks — Phone 35 — C. P. R. Ticket Agency

Christmas Suggestions

White Ivory Brushes, Mirrors, Toilet Sets, Manicure Sets, and Single Pieces, Ebony goods, Tapetries, boxed Chocolates, Cigars, Perfumes. Call and see our stock.

A. P. SIEVERIGHT

Drugs - Kodaks



Buy Him Useful Gifts

From a Men's Store

Where you are sure to get them correct in style. He will appreciate them the more if they come from the store where he buys himself.

Neckwear.....25 to 2 50	Wool gloves....2 00 to 2 50
Braces.....25 to 75	Fur Lined Gloves.....
Garters.....25 to 50	.....2 00 to 2 50
Armlets.....25 to 50	Fine Mocha Mitts.....
Fine Sox.....25 to 1 50	.....2 00 to 2 50
Silk Mufflers.....50 to 4 50	Fine umbrellas.2 00 to 4 00
Wool " ....50 to 3 00	Linen Handkerchiefs.....
Lounge robes & slippers	.....25 to 75
.....10 00 to 12 00	Silk Hand'k's.....50 to 1 50
House Coats.10 00 to 18 00	Fine and silk shirts.....
Pajamas.....1 50 to 2 50	.....1 50 to 5 00

Put in neat fancy boxes if you so desire. Do your shopping early and get first choice.

G. T. ROURKE

QUALITY TAILOR AND MEN'S WEAR

Phone 186 — Walkerton

FIVE LOCAL SOLDIERS

Reached Home From Overseas On Tuesday and Were Welcomed By Big Crowds At the Station—Town Bell Will Be Rung After This To Let Citizens Know Boys Are Coming.

Many of Walkerton's soldier heroes who have done their valiant part in Flanders and elsewhere are now homeward bound. It will make a glad Christmas in many homes, when the boy returns. The Olympic, which docked at Halifax a few days ago, had a number of Walkerton boys aboard. Edward Diss, Walter Yneck, and Thomas Liddle reached home on the noon train Tuesday and were given a rousing welcome by the citizens at the station. Capt. Roy Whitehead and Fred Jewell were on the night train and there were several hundred citizens at the station to greet them as they stepped off the train. Hugh Threndyle was also a passenger on the Olympic and is expected home Wednesday night.

From now on, the Town Bell is to be rung wherever it is learned that returned men are coming on the train. This will give citizens an opportunity to get to the station in time to welcome the home-coming boys.

For The Boy

A suit for the boy makes a nice Christmas gift. On sale at S. A. Rife's.

Sale of Cattle

J. J. Zettler will have a bunch of cattle at the Central Hotel for private sale on Saturday, Dec. 21st.

General Servant Wanted

Competent general servant wanted at once. $20.00 per month. Apply to Mrs. H. M. Lay, Walkerton.

Bought Searle Property

Miss McNaughton, sister of Mrs. John Douglas, has bought the Searle property from Mr. James Whitehead for $1800.

Open Branch At Southampton

Mr. Adam Wilson of the Can. Bank of Commerce went to Southampton on Monday and made arrangements to open a branch of the bank there.

Pays $14,000 For Farm

Mr. Eugene Kuntz, who recently sold his farm in Culross to Mr. Joseph Walker, has bought Mr. Jacob Lehmann's 150 acre farm near Formosa for $14,000.

Girls Wanted

For the making of Light Rubbers. Piece-work. Pay while learning. Excellent wages, and steady employment. Full particulars on enquiry. The Kaufman Rubber Co., Limited, Kitchener, Ont.

To Deal With Cpll

A special meeting of the Bruce Presbytery is to be held at Knox Church, Walkerton, on Friday Dec. 27th., to deal with the call from the Chatham Presbytery to Rev. R. M. Gale of Pinkerton.

Operated For Appendicitis

Katherine, the eleven-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Con. Hossfeld of Carrick, was operated upon at the County Hospital on Wednesday morning for appendicitis. She is reported to be doing nicely.

Coming New Years Day

David W. Griffith's supreme triumph "Hearts of the World" which is coming to Walkerton Opera House Wed. Jan. 1st., might be called a cinema grand opera, so well does the musical accompanied fit the picture. There is a theme running through the symphony indicating every important character and every gesture is timed with the music. The picture might easily be understood without titles as some of the music to which everyone knows the words, described the scenes exactly. Seat sale at McCrum's Book Store.

A County Memorial

Some of the towns in Bruce are discussing the question of suitable memorials for their boys who have fallen and no doubt every hamlet will have at least a tablet if no more elaborate memorial. But over and above all this should not Bruce as a whole honor and perpetuate the memory of the boys from this country who have given their lives, by a worthy memorial? The County was the unit in our recruiting organization and it was the unit in patriotic efforts. The County as a whole might well take up the matter of a memorial. This would be a matter for the County Council to show leadership in. We hope it will be one of the first matters to receive the attention of the incoming County Council.

ANOTHER OLD SETTLER

Passed To The Great Beyond In The Person of Mrs. Robert Steele of Brant —Succumbed To Acute Bronchitis At the Home of Her Son At Treherne, Man.

Many old friends in this district learned with deep regret of the death at Treherne, Man., on Thursday, Dec. 12th. of Mrs. Robert Steele, an old and highly esteemed resident of Brant. Mrs. Steele who was in her 74th., year, succumbed to an attack of acute bronchitis after eight days' illness. Her death took place at the home of her son, Robert F. Steele, where she had been staying the last couple of months. Her son, James, of Bellaplains, Sask., accompanied the remains to the East.

Mrs. Steele, whose maiden name was Agnes Hyslop, was born in Dunfriesshire, Scotland, and at the age of 8 years came to this country with her parents. For a short time they lived near Paris, but soon came up into the Queen's Bush, being among the early settlers of the East Durham Road. She was married to her late husband in 1868, and together they braved the vicissitudes of early pioneer life. She was a lifelong member of the Knox congregation, worshipping first in the little Church on the East Durham Road. It was when the congregation met in the East Ward that Mr. and Mrs. Steele were married at the old Manse over the river by the late Rev. Dr. Moffat. Mrs. Steele was a woman of sterling character and a kind-hearted sociable body. Her memory will be ever cherished by her devoted family. Four sons survive:—William John of Brant; Robert F. of Treherne, Man.; James of Bellaplains, Sask.; and Thomas H. of Brant. The funeral took place at Hanover on Tuesday, Dec. 17th., on the arrival of the noon C.P.R. train. Service was conducted by Rev. W. H. Burgess, B.A., B.D., and the following old friends acted as pall-bearers:—James H. Hunter, T. H. O'Neill, Robert Smith, W. J. McNally, William Rowsaud, Sr., Joseph Cook.

Christmas Decorations

Velvet Poinsettias, Red Rueeus, Red and Green Chinille etc.—H. M. Norrish, Florist, Phone 118.

Ex-Reeve Russell Dead

Mr. Robert Russell passed quietly away at his residence, West Ward, yesterday afternoon, Dec. 18 th., after a lengthy illness. The funeral will take place on Friday afternoon. Obituary notice will appear in next week's Telescope.

Wrist Badly Cut

Mr. Lawrence Hesch had his left wrist badly gashed while butchering pigs at Mr. Geo. S. Schwindt's Tuesday. A sudden jump of the pig drove the butcher knife blade against Mr. Hesch's left wrist, inflicting a deep wound three inches long.

Died of the Flu

Mr. John McGill, town assessor, had a telegram from Toronto, stating that his son, James, died of the flu on Friday night. He was just thirty-three years of age and leaves a young widow. He was employed by the Hydro Electric Commission. Deep sympathy is felt for the bereaved family.

A Near-Fire

A serious fire was narrowly averted at Mr. Levi Greeghow's yesterday morning. Chief Ferguson was returning from the Post Office when he noticed that the roof had caught fire from the chimney. With the assistance of some school-boys, the Chief carried water up in pails and succeeded in putting out the blaze before it got very far advanced.

Found Not Guilty

William Stanley, a seventeen year old youth of Kinloss, was tried by Judge Klein on Monday on a charge laid by Alex McDermid an old man of Kinloss, of damaging his property. After hearing a number of witnesses the Judge dismissed the case. On the night of November 1st., shortly before midnight, some party or parties, approached McDermid's house with a big stick and broke every window in the building. McDermid said in his evidence that he saw young Stanley return home a few minutes after the attack and heard Stanley say, "If he pulls me I'll kill him." Stanley on the other hand, swore he was in bed at the time and members of his family gave the same evidence.

WINDS UP YEAR'S WORK

Town Council of 1918 Holds Last Meeting—Work of Local V.A.D.'s Highly Praised—Hospital Gets $200 Grant—D.R.O.'s and Poll Clerks Named.

The Town Council held the statutory meeting to wind up the year's business on Monday night.

Those present were:—Mayor A. P. Johnston, Reeve Douglas, Couns. Pietsch, Vogan, Lippert, George.

Tax Collector N. Crawford reported that he had collected so far 22,018.82 and deposited same to the Merchants Bank.

The I.O.D.E. asked for the rebate of $20 rent charged them for the Hall the night of Rev. Dr. Johnston's lecture. Fyled.

A communication was read from the Toronto City Council requesting the Council to join in a petition to the Ontario Legislature urging that as the war is over, that the Provincial War Tax be dropped on Dec. 31 st. The Council decided to join in the petition.

The Finance Com., F. W. Lippert Chairman, recommended a grant of $200 to the Bruce County Hospital; $50 extra for Tax Collector N. Crawford owing to extra work in collecting scavenger tax; recommended the payment of a number of accounts; $50 salary for M.O.H. Dr. Porter for 1918; that the $8,000 received from the Knechtel Furniture Co. payment of mortgage be placed in a special account, and that $4,300 of the amount be invested in Consolidated Debt Debenture 1915.

The Finance Committee also acknowledged receipt of a report from the V.A.D.'s handing over to the Council an unexpended balance of $13.76. Committee reported that "the Town is deeply indebted to the V.A.D. nurses and feel that they played no small part in keeping the epidemic under control."

A by-law was passed arranging for Nomination Day on Mondy, Dec. 30th. and municipal election Monday, January 6th. Polling places are:—East Ward (Movie Theatre,) Lou Anderson, D.R.O., Wm. VanHorn, poll clerk; Centre Ward (Town Hall,) Fred B. James, D.R. O., S. R. Wesley, poll clerk; West Ward (John Schnitzler's,) Chas. Huck, D.R.O., Thos. W. Kenny, poll clerk; South Ward (Jos. Yneck's house,) John E. Ross, D.R.O., Jos. Yneck poll clerk. D.R.O.'s and poll clerks are to receive $3 each for their day's work, and $2 was fixed as poll booth rental.

After the business of the evening the Council adjourned to Erdman's restaurant at the invitation of his worship, Mayor Johnston.

Christmas At Miss Montgomery's

Unbreakable dolls, all sizes and prices, fancy work, hand-painted china, toys, and confectionery at Miss Montgomery's.

Flu At Chesley

A severe epidemic of the Flu is reported at Chesley, with many deaths resulting. On Sunday, Mrs. Ankenmann, sister of Messrs. Krug, furniture manufacturers, and her son, Ray, aged 27 years both passed away the same day.

Preparedness League Officers

The Annual Meeting of the Walkerton Branch of the Bruce Preparedness League was held on Monday night. The following officers were elected:—President, John A. Rowland; 1st. Vice Pres., W. M. Shaw; 2nd. Vice-Pres., G. S. Schwindt; Secretary-Treasurer, Rev. R. Perdue. A hearty vote of thanks was passed to the President and Secretary for their work of the past year. An executive will also be appointed to act with the above officers.

Good For Bruce

Bruce County rarely fails to keep up its record as one of the banner counties of the Dominion. Bruce's fine showing for the Victory Loan is still fresh in the minds of our readers. Last week the County Council heard Bruce's effort along the lines of patriotic giving praised in the highest terms by the head of the Canadian Patriotic Fund. At the Chicago Fat Stock Show, recently where practically all the Agricultural Colleges in North America were represented in the Judging teams, and Canada carried off the Premier honors three of the five Canadian judges on the team were from Bruce, and a Bruce boy led the bunch. One of the features of the big show was the unveiling of a portrait, presented by the American Shorthorn Breeders Association of Hon. Duncan Marshall, Minister of Agriculture for Alberta, and an old Bruce boy. Continued Page.

HOW PERCY SHANNON FELL

Walkerton Chum Tells How Young Doctor Met Death Tending To the Wounded—Hit By Piece of Shell At Base of Skull and Never Rallied—Buried With Full Military Honors.

In a letter received from Lieut. Cecil O. Miller he records the death of his chum, Lieut. Percy Shannon. These two boys were playmates in their childhood days in Walkerton, being separated for a few years, met again in Toronto and started their Medical Course together. They studied together and roomed at the former's sister's, Mrs. Wm. McConnel. They went to France together and was together nearly ever day.

Lieut. C. O. Miller's letter is written on Nov. 5th., and remarks that his letter maybe somewhat flat as it is a sad lonely boy he is.

Lieut. P. Shannon was ordered to return from his advanced position about 7 p.m. Sat. Nov. 2nd. but due to caring for wounded he delayed leaving till after 10 o'clock when he loaded his Ford car with stretcher cases and started to walk back himself leading a number of walking wounded back to the main dressing station as it was so dark that without a guide they would have been helplessly lost. About three-quarters of a mile from the dressing station the car was held up by a blockade of waggons due to some artillery transports having been hit by shells which were falling very thick on that part of the road so Percy stopped to dress some of these wounded ones. While bending over one of these men a small piece of shell hit him just at the base of his skull which it fractured and rendered him immediately unconscious. He never rallied. He was rushed down to the M.O.S. where two doctors worked on him incessantly for over an hour, till he quietly passed away.

We buried dear old Percy, his friend writes, in a quiet secluded French civilian cemetery, half of which is being used for military funerals. The funeral took place from No. 10, F.A. which was doing duty in this village.

First there was the limber with the body covered with a huge British flag, then came an escort from each Field Ambulance headed by the ambulance commanders, and finally an escort of officers made up of Colonels, Majors, Captains, and us Lieutenants, which escort includes the A.D.M.S., who is the head of our medical service for the Division. Within two hundred yards of the grave yard, we halted and from here the body was carried. As we entered the cemetery the Methodist Padre started the service then a C. of E. Padre continued the service and the Methodist Padre finished. Then the bugles blew the retreat, while we all stood attention and saluted. Then quietly and with that inexpressible feeling of depression we silently filed away and returned to the village theneu by ambulance to our own village.

I might add that the cemetery is on a sunny slope facing West, surrounded by a well kept hedge on three sides and fourth side bounded by a huge brick wall in the centre of which is the arched entrance. The whole place and surrounding country has been shared the ruthless' distruction of shell fire and still maintains the quiet solemn silent rest that prevailed in pre war days.

HELP! HELP!

Help to make the town better,
Help to make the town clean;
Don't be just a constant fretter,
Add some beauty to the scene;
You may not indeed be able
To erect a gleaming dome,
But clean up around your stable,
Beautify your little home.
Help to make the town attractive,
Help to stop the ones who sneer;
It will pay you to be active,
Since your interests are here.
Would your backyard stand inspection.
What about that vacant lot?
Rubbish helps to spread dejection,
Neatness brings the cheerful thought.
Help to make the town fairer,
You can do it if you try,
And you'll be a profit sharer
In the splendid bye and bye;
Don't forget while you are grumbling
That you might do something more;
Let there be no future stumbling
O'er obstructions at your door.
Help to make the town more splendid,
Do the part you have to do,
There is much that may be mended
Through a little old from you;
Help dispense the dirt that's blowing,
Help to purify the breeze;
When it happens to be snowing
Clean your sidewalks if you please.

Telescope BUY-AT-HOME Campaign

TWELVE SOUND REASONS FOR BUYING AT HOME . . .

BECAUSE loyalty to a community by its men and women is the first essential to national patriotism.

BECAUSE the interests of the home dealer and the home consumer are mutual—what hurt one must hurt the other.

BECAUSE the home business man pays the lion's share of assessment rates and all public welfare donations—whereas the foreign dealer contributes nothing and has absolutely no interest in your community other than the cash he takes out of it.

BECAUSE continued patronage of the big city catalogue concerns is a short-sighted unprogressive, and in the long run an economically suicidal practice.

BECAUSE the fundamental law of commonwealth economy is to spend your money where you have earned it.

BECAUSE your home business man is entitled to your cash. He stands behind the goods he sells, while you have no redress from being "stung" by outside dealers.

BECAUSE spending your money away from home is like sowing grain in a stranger's field so that he may reap the harvest.

BECAUSE when you drain your community by diverting the legitimate channels of trade, you also drain it of its young men and young women and all energy and substance for development.

BECAUSE prices of farm and town property and local markets go down to zero where there is no healthy, progressive community trading.

BECAUSE the more money circulating in a community the more valuable property becomes, the higher are wages and the better the general conditions that prevail. "In unity there is strength," and united home buying builds up a community bulwark that will weather the severest economic storms.

BECAUSE you must send cash in advance to the big city dealer and you have no opportunity to inspect the goods. Apart from the hundred and one good, sound reasons for home buying, it never pays to buy a pig or a suit of clothes in the dark.

BECAUSE it is a duty you owe to yourself, to your family and to posterity to build up your community so that it has a wholesome atmosphere and is advancing with the times instead of drifting into habit of sloth, ruin and decay.

If You Buy Out of Town and I Buy Out of Town what will Become of Our Town?

NOW IS THE TIME TO SELECT your Christmas presents. If you are thinking of buying anything in the jewelry line just give me a chance to show you what I have in stock and you will save money. **C. Reichenbach, Jeweler.**

THE ELITE MILLINERY CARRIES the latest creations in ladies' and children's trimmed and untrimmed hats. Just think of our store when thinking of a hat. Boost Walkerton. **The Elite Millinery Parlors.**

HOW ABOUT THAT NEW SUIT or overcoat. Our stock is large and every style to choose from, also we carry a nice line of men's furnishings. **S. A. Rife & Co., Tailors and Furnishers.**

DON'T SEND OUT OF TOWN FOR groceries, just call me up and your money will stay in town. I sell just as cheap as the fellow in the big city. Give me a trial. **C. Patrick, Grocer.**

WHEN GIVING YOUR NEXT ORDER for groceries just insist on them sending you a loaf of O'Malley's Bread, or call us up and we will deliver to your home. **John O'Malley's, Bakery.**

WE PRIDE OURSELVES ON OUR baked goods. If you have not tasted our products yet you have missed a good deal, so get busy and call our wagon. We deliver. **A. Behn, Bakery.**

THE DOLLARS YOU SPEND OUT of town are gone forever. If you buy at home you are liable to get it back the next day. See us for your Hardware, Stoves, etc. Our prices will help to keep the trade at home. **S. W. Vogan, Hardware.**

BRING IN YOUR CATALOGUE AND we will compare prices in Harness and robes, my stock is large and I guarantee all my goods. Now for repairing harness, I can do your job, at a fair price, give me a chance. **Alex McCarter, Harness, Co.**

WHAT SHALL THE CHRISTMAS Gift be this year? That is the problem every year. But we are here to solve it for you and our store has been arranged so that it presents to you a fine display of Christmas Merchandise. One visit will convince you—**John H. Appel, The People's Store.**

WE CAN SUPPLY THE WHOLE family in shoes in any style and our prices are the lowest. See us first and save money. We are boosters for Walkerton, are you? If so buy at home. **M. J. Rumery, Shoes for the Family.**

THE GIFT THAT OVERSHADOWS all others, The Victrola. We have them at all prices. Also a big selection of the latest records. Come in for a demonstration. You will like our way of doing business. **Erdmann's, Walkerton.**

IF YOU DO AS OTHERS HAVE done you will wait until you have "gone the limit" with your disease before you resort to the Chiropractor. Why wait longer? Are you persuaded that drugs and medicines have not been efficacious in your case? Do not hesitate to consult **C. R. Murray, D.C.,**

Power of the Dollar is Easily Shown

Keep One Moving and See What It Will do for Your Community—Pays a Multitude of Debts—When it is Sent Out of Town, However, to Pay for What Can be Bought at Home, it is Gone Forever.

It is a wonderful thing, when you stop to think about it, what on lone dollar will do, if it is kept at work. This has been illustrated in a striking manner on several occasions by means of a very simple experiment. If you want to see just how important a role a dollar or a dollar bill plays in the life of a community here is the way to do it. Just attach a tag to the dollar and turn it loose, with the request that every person who receives the dollar make a note on the tag as to how he received it. The result will be an eye-opener.

Here is the way it works: Smith, the lumber dealer, who first possesses the dollar, buys some groceries from Brown and pays for them with the dollar. About that time Jones, the plumber, who had some work for Brown, sends his collector around and Brown pays the bill with his dollar. Jones owes Green, the printer, a small advertising bill, so he sends this dollar, with possibly some others, to Green to pay his bill. Green had just put the dollar in his cash drawer for milk delivered at his house. Green takes the dollar out of his cash drawer and pays Black. For some time Black has owed White, the carpenter, for some work done on his oatey house, so now he takes the dollars that Green has paid him and pays up what he owes White. White still owes for some lumber he bought from Smith, the lumber dealer, so he takes the dollar and squares up his account with Smith. Smith now has his old dollar back. Brown has been able to pay his plumbing bill, Jones has squared up with the printer, and so on, all around the circle.

What Might Have Happened

Now suppose that Smith, instead of buying his groceries from Brown, had purchased them from a mail order house in a far distant city and sent his dollar to pay for them. Brown would not have had that dollar to pay Jones, the plumber; Jones could not have paid his printing bill; the printer would have had to stand off the milkman; White, the carpenter, would not have got the money for the work he had done for the milkman, and Smith would not have got the money which White owed him for lumber.

This is all so simple that it requires no student of economics or professor of mathematics to figure it out. Anyone can see that when Smith sends that dollar to Toronto or some other city where the mail order houses flourish, that dollar is gone, so far as Smith and Jones and Green and the rest of the people in Smith's town are concerned. It is a sure thing alright that that dollar will never come back to Smith's town. And the thing that stands out most strikingly, but is most often overlooked is that Smith, the man who first spends the dollar, is hurt just as much when he sends the dollar out of town as is the home grocer from whom he might have bought his groceries.

Now, just multiply this one dollar by a hundred or a thousand or ten thousand. One dollar may not seem to make much difference in the average town, but a thousand dollars or even a hundred dollars does make a difference. Just as one dollar will pay a dozen or a hundred or a thousand big ones. When Brown, the grocery man, owes a thousand dollars and can't pay it, he is headed for the bankruptcy courts. When Jones, the plumber, can't collect the money which is due him from Brown, or maybe a dozen Browns, he is headed in the same direction as Brown. And so it goes all around the circle until it hits Smith, or a dozen Smiths, who have sent their money out of town to add to the fortunes of the mail order men.

Buyer the One Who is Hurt

Thus, it will be seen that this buy-at-home proposition is really a selfish one with the man who buys the goods. He is not hurting the home merchants when he sends his money out of town, any more than he is hurting himself.

Every sensible man knows that his livelihood depends upon whether business in his town is good or not. If business is not good he cannot make a good living for himself and his family, no matter how hard he may work, and business is not be good if the business men in town are making both. This is a plain business proposition for every man and woman in the community. By spending their money at home they are helping the home merchants incidentally but—a thing more important to them—they are likely to be taking the bread out the mouths of their own children.

YOU WILL ALWAYS FIND OUR store well stocked with up-to-the-minute dry goods and groceries. We can supply your wants in either line. Boost for Walkerton. It pays in the long run. **Stephan Bros. Dry Goods & Groceries.**

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News About Town

Mr. Arthur Phipps, engineer on the C.P.R. freight, was taken to the County Hospital on Friday suffering from the grippe.

Mr. David Traill, who has been several weeks at the Bruce County Hospital , is reported to be somewhat improved.

Mr. L. Schumacher of Humboldt, Sask., whose wife recently died of the Flu, has been visiting his mother, Mrs. A. F. Schumacher. His little daughter, Louise, will make her home with her grandmother.

Is Showing Improvement

Sergt. Harry Heffernan, who underwent a second operation since his return from France at the Davisville Military Hospital near Toronto recently , is now reported to be improving. His sister, Mrs. Griffith's went down to see him the past week.

Good Programme.

At the Carrick Board of Health meeting held last Saturday, Dr. Wellman, Medical Officer of Health, reported that the influenza epidemic has nearly disappeared from this township. People now know better how to treat the disease, so that the deaths from this cause are now very rare. The diphtheria outbreak has also been completely cleaned up.—Mildmay Gazette.

Rassmann—Hanna

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Rassman, 10th., con. of Carrick, on Wednesday, Dec. 4, at 3 o'clock when their eldest daughter Miss Margaret Melinda, was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Mr. James Hanna, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Hanna, Sr., of Ayton. The bride was assisted by her sister, Miss Irene, while Mr. Albert Keller of Varney was groomsman. The bride who was charmingly attired in white satin trimmed with silver and pearl, carrying a bouquet of pink roses and carnations, entered the room amid the strains of the wedding march played by Miss Charlotte Weinert, while Rev. J. H. Gronschach of Walkerton officiated. After the marriage ceremony the bridal party, along with 120 guests, sat down to a sumptuous repast. After the signing of the Register the evening was spent in games and amusements. The many and costly presents show the high esteem in which the young couple were held. Mr. and Mrs. Hanna will reside on Lot 13, con. 17, Normanby. We extend to the young couple our heartiest congratulations, and wishes for a long and happy wedded life.

NEWS TOPICS OF WEEK

Important Events Which Have Occurred During the Week.

The Busy World's Happenings Carefully Compiled and Put Into Handy and Attractive Shape for the Readers of Our Paper — A Solid Hour's Enjoyment.

TUESDAY.

Miss E. Lillian Mowat, of Kingston, is a candidate for the Board of Education.

Dried prunes, sizes 90 and over, may be imported into Canada from the United States.

Francesco Ghione, Toronto's oldest Italian citizen, died last night aged 95 years.

The International Bank has advanced $600,000 for expenses of the Chinese peace delegation to Europe.

The entire fortunes of former King Frederick August of Saxony have been placed under sequestration by the new Saxon Government.

Polish-American divisions have embarked at Havre for Danzig, in West Prussia, with the intention of occupying the Provinces of Posen and Silesia.

Rumors are current in Berlin that the Spartacus group of Socialists would on Monday night name Dr. Liebknecht as President of the Republic.

The financial editor of the London Times points out that 89 per cent. of the extra taxation imposed on account of the war has been derived from the "taxation of wealth."

The United States informs Berlin and Vienna that it desires to receive no further communications from them which should properly be addressed to all the Allied nations.

The strike of 100,000 cotton spinners for an increase of 40 per cent. in current wages is in full swing in southeast Lancashire, England. Only a few firms have conceded the men's terms.

Winnipeg Veterans are voting by mail on the proposal that they form themselves into a co-operative trading company with a centrally located retail store handling for a start groceries and drugs.

The will of Capt. J. Raphael de Lamar, New York, leaves half his estate estimated at $20,000,000, to the Harvard University Medical School, John Hopkins University, and the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Columbia University for medical research into the cause of disease.

WEDNESDAY.

The Nobel committee has resolved not to award a Nobel peace prize in 1918.

The Olympic, carrying 5,000 Canadian soldiers, is expected to arrive at Halifax in a few days.

Count Michael Karolyi attempted suicide in despair of the success of his efforts to reconstruct Hungary.

Generals A. D. McRae and J. H. White have sailed for Canada. Gen. J. Stewart will return in January, as does also Col. Herbert Bruce.

A six-year-old son of W. J. Thomson, who lives near Denbigh, in the township of Miller, accidentally shot his 13-year-old sister, Martha.

Dr. Mowat McCormick, of Toronto, who has lately been a prisoner in Germany, has been released, and has just reached the home of his parents in Ottawa.

Gen. W. D. Otter, director of internment operations, states that there is no truth in the rumors that the Government was releasing interned prisoners.

Steve Bundage, a trapper, has been lost in the wilds of the Porcupine district, without food, for the past two weeks, and very little hope of finding him alive is held out.

Princess Helen Petrovna, a niece of the Queen of Italy, who was made prisoner by the Russian Bolsheviki, has been released. She is a member of the royal family of Serbia and married a Russian Grand Duke.

Dr. Rachid, former Governor of the Province of Diarbekr, and Lieutenants of Gendarmerie Chakri and Haroun have been arrested for their part in the Armenian massacres of 1915, by the Turkish Government. Their guilt has been established and sentences of death are expected to follow. A Turkish military commission has examined the former vice-governor, Ada Pazari, and other officials accused of crimes against the Armenians under the ministry of Enver Pasha and Talaat Pasha.

THURSDAY.

Mr. C. H. Cahan, K.C., who has been director of public safety, will resign by Jan. 1. He proposes that there should be a Dominion police force for the enforcement of federal laws.

The second unit of the Canadian Siberian Expeditionary forces, consisting of 30 officers and 400 other ranks, arrived in Vladivostok on the steamer Mont Eagle.

After a chase of three months, Edmund Longden, charged with the theft and embezzlement of $2,400 from McIlvare and Langley, of Toronto, was brought back from Albany, N.Y.

Mrs. Chas. Godman, wife of Corpl. Godman, a returned soldier, who resides in London, Ont., who was missing for over a week and was found in the Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal, suffering from pneumonia, died in that city.

Madame Rozika Schwimmer, who was one of the chief members of the Ford Peace Mission to Europe and who has been hailed as Hungary's first Ambassador to Switzerland, will be recalled by the Hungarian Government, it is said.

Four young people—Miss May Letherdale, Miss Ella Johnston, Will Southam and Leslie Dodd—met death by drowning at Vernon, B.C., when they skated into two separate holes in the ice at Goose Lake. All were under 20 years of age.

Pte. Isidore Cherzon, of Philadelphia, who deserted from Camp Dix, N.J., and who is reported to have gone to millions, was arrested on

FRIDAY.

The population of London is estimated at 67,243.

Queen's University will shortly open a course in aviation.

J. P. Lacey passed away suddenly at his residence in Sydenham. He was 76 years of age.

F. C. Andrews, former police commissioner of Detroit, died in New York after a brief illness.

Police, firemen, incineration department employes to the number of 1,568, walked out on strike in Montreal.

Ninety-three persons have died in Windsor from Spanish influenza since the disease became epidemic here in October.

Lieut. Godini, a Chilean aviator flew over the Andes mountains in an airplane. He used a Bristol machine which had been donated by the British Government.

While Sheridan Scott, of Northbrook, was crossing the creek near his home the butt of his rifle struck on the ice, causing the cartridge to explode. The bullet went through his head, killing him instantly.

Premier Svinhufvud of Finland has handed the Finnish Diet at Wutten a statement renouncing his rights as head of the state, thus enabling the Diet to elect Gen. Mannerheim, of well known pro-ally sympathies to this post.

Hon. W. R. Motherwell resigned from the Saskatchewan Government because Premier Martin refused to make a declaration denouncing the Union Government, which Mr. Motherwell, in a letter to the Premier, declared was inefficient and extravagant and unstable.

The necessity of supplementing existing pensions to returned soldiers with an immediate war bonus to be made retroactive to the time of the last increase of separation allowances, with particular reference to widows and dependents of men who have given their lives, was the unanimous decision of the British Columbia Federal members of Parliament at a conference at Victoria, B.C.

SATURDAY.

The big strike in Montreal came to an end after one day.

Frank Smith, a returned soldier, hanged himself in a Montreal hotel. Domestic troubles are thought to have been the cause.

By a unanimous vote the Municipal Council of Paris decided to confer upon President Wilson the title of a citizen of Paris.

Seven frontier villages of the Grand Duchy of Baden have passed resolutions expressing their desire to become united to Switzerland.

Prince Max von Rathor et Corvey, German Ambassador to Spain, has been recalled to Berlin, according to the newspaper El Sol, Berlin.

Monroe H. Rosenfeld, who wrote "I'm the Man Who Broke the Bank at Monte Carlo" and other songs, died of acute indigestion at his home in New York.

The ban on the use of sugar for making French pastry, iced cakes, or biscuits or candy for private consumption, as well as in the manufacture of icing sugar, has been removed.

C. B. Bonisteel, a farmer residing in Sidney Township, pleaded guilty before a magistrate at Belleville to a charge of selling liquor without a license, and was fined $500.

The National War Saving Committee appeals to business houses and employers generally who make a practice of giving Christmas gifts to their employes, that they should this year make a present of War Savings or Thrift Stamps.

Odessa, the principal Russian port on the Black Sea, is being evacuated by the Germans, according to an official statement from Berlin. The disarmament of Field Marshal von Mackensen's army, it is added, is proceeding systematically.

For the first time in the West, if not in Canada, a soldier has been sentenced to life imprisonment for desertion. Pte. Dmytro Orlowyn is the man. He is now serving his term at Stony Mountain Penitentiary. He was sent there upon the conclusion of the court-martial, but it was only Thursday that his sentence was officially confirmed by the Ottawa authorities.

MONDAY.

President Wilson has accepted an invitation from King George to visit England.

Switzerland has declined to permit former Emperor Charles of Austria-Hungary to reside there.

Rev. S. A. Lawrence, rector of Trinity Church, Thornhill, died at Toronto after a long illness.

Caught in a sudden rush of water, Frank Gorman, employed on the reconstruction of the life dam at Paris, went to his death in the Grand river.

The great Zeppelin factory at Friedrichshaven has been destroyed by fire, probably of incendiary origin, according to a despatch from Essen.

The supreme military tribunal at Vienna has announced that 11,400 persons were sentenced to death by Austrian military tribunals during the war and executed.

Hugo Haase and Herr Barth, two of the three Independent Socialist members of the committee of six, which constitutes the German Government, have resigned.

Mrs. Catherine Bates, aged 101, believed to be the oldest resident of London, Ont., died Saturday night at Victoria Hospital. Mrs. Bates had knitted more than eighty pairs of soldiers' socks for the Red Cross.

John W. Davis, the new American Ambassador to Great Britain, and Mrs. Davis, together with Vice-Admiral Sims and his staff, who had taken part in the escort of President Wilson into Brest, has reached London.

Marshal Foch has announced in behalf of H. C. Hoover, American Food Administrator, 2,500,000 tons of cargo space by July in German harbors must be placed under control of the allies to supply Germany with foodstuffs. The ships are to remain Germany property.

Vilhjalmur Stefansson, Arctic explorer, who discovered the Blonde Eskimos, has been selected as lecturer of the U. S. Army Social Welfare

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High School Notes

The students would be very grateful if the people who live in the district around Walkerton, would assist them in their campaign to collect newspapers and magazines. The students have cleared the town out and they need a great deal of paper yet, in order to complete a carload, which is their objective. They can not do much collecting in the country without vehicles, so they appeal to the farmers for help. The papers are stored at Rev. C. W. Cosen's barn which he very kindly allows the students to use. It is hoped that some of the people in the vicinity will be able to help the pupils in this way.

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It is pleasing to note that Pte. Bob Turner, who was tendered a reception last Monday night, is an old High School boy. The school gladly welcomes him back to Walkerton. Another ex-student, Capt. Roy Whitehead, who went over with the 160th. and was wounded in action, has landed at Halifax.

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On the afternoon of Wednesday, the 18th., the school held Commencement Exercises, a full report of which will appear next week.

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A school orchestra is in process of organization and, although not ready for action at present, will be able to take part upon the next occasion that the school appears in public.

TELESCOPE LETTER BOX

FROM MAYOR HALLIDAY OF CHESLEY

Editor Telescope,
Walkerton, Ontario.

Dear Sir:—

Under the heading "The Neglected Sick" there appeared in your last issue a letter signed "Humanity," reflecting on the good name of the "Authorities of Chesley."

We think in justice to all concerned, "Humanity", before rushing into print and making charges of cruelty, should have at least taken a little trouble to ascertain the facts. It is quite an easy matter to put a slanderous report in circulation, but a more difficult thing to check it.

The first case referred to is that of the late John Dieter, who from your news column we learn formerly lived in Walkerton. He moved to Chesley about four weeks before his last sickness, and, with his son, took up his abode in a small store on Main Street, with no conveniences of any kind and the crudest apology for furniture. On the night of December 2nd, one of our Doctors was called to see him. He found pneumonia developing. Every effort was made to secure a nurse and more suitable quarters in Town, but without success. His doctor said that it was impossible to give him proper treatment and hope for his recovery in the quarters in which he was located, and advised that he be promptly sent to either Walkerton or Owen Sound Hospital. It was thought the Walkerton trip was the safest and quickest. He was accordingly made as comfortable as possible with warm clothing and fur coat and taken in a closed auto to Walkerton. This was the morning of December 3rd. He lived until December 12th, when he passed away, the Town of Chesley paying for interment. It will therefore be noted that although the ident of the Town, yet the Authorities did the best they could for him and all under medical advice.

The second case referred to is that of the late Miss Mary Campbell, who for some years lived alone in a small apartment over one of our stores. She had repeatedly been urged to allow herself to become an inmate of the House of Refuge, but always declined. However, the week before she was taken over to Walkerton she was prevailed upon to change her mind. In order that we might be assured that she was in a fit condition to make the trip we had her examined by one of our medical men. He advised that she was not a House of Refuge patient, but should be sent to the Hospital. He also expressed the opinion that she was in a fit condition to move. We accordingly arranged that she should be taken to the Hospital and arrangements were made for her being taken over, the following day. However, by this time she had changed her mind and refused to go. In the early part of the week following she consented to go, but in order that we might be assured that she was then in fit condition to be moved we had the doctor again visit her and report her condition. He advised that it would be quite safe for her to be taken to the Hospital. We then secured a woman of the Town to fix her up as comfortably as possible and she was taken to the Hospital in a closed automobile. This was on Thursday December 5th. She passed away on the morning of the 7th. While it would appear that the trip over may have hastened her death yet the Authorities did what they thought best in the interests of the patient and under the direction of her medical adviser. No one can justly charge that everything was not done which kindness and good will could prompt.

We are not in the habit of taking notice of annonymous letters, but as some people might be misled by the slander we prefer to make public the facts.

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M. A. Halliday,
Mayor, Town of Chesley.

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Milk Has Flu.

Milk McCarter writes home from France that he has been laid up in hospital with the flu.

I. O. D. E. Work

The I. O. D. E. made a recent shipment to the Secours National of 64 pair of socks, having previously shipped over 60 pair. We are also supplying Queen's University Hospital, Kingston, with surgical supplies. In acknowledgment they speak of our splendid work, and say the "Wipen" are the best they receive, and ask for more and more. There will be a Xmas tree for the soldiers' children in the Town Hall on Friday evening, Dec. 27th, at 7 o'clock sharp. Returned soldiers are invited. There will be work at the I. O. D. E. rooms this Friday, and not again until the first Friday in January.

NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Misses May and Ella Paul arrived here on Tuesday from Swan River, Man., on a visit to their mother, Mrs. S. Paul.

Fighting The Bolsheviki

A despatch from Murman, Russia, published in the Toronto papers a few days ago mentioned Louis Dippell's battery of artillery as one of the units that had been engaged in active fighting against the Bolsheviki in Russia. Louis enlisted in England for Russia Service, after three years in France, and has Americans and French soldiers as well as English as fighting companions.

Bert Runstadtler Repatriated

Mrs. Runstadtler had a wire yesterday stating that her son, Bert, who has been a prisoner of war in Germany since two years ago last June, has reached London, Eng. Bert was a member of the 4th. C. M. R's, and was taken in the fight at St. Julien when his unit was cut to pieces. In Germany he was made to work in the salt mines and his friends fear for his condition after two years of continuous hardships.

Walkertonians' Memory Honored

The portrait of Major Stanley Jones, a former Walkertonian, who distinguished himself in Flanders and was killed in action, was recently unveiled in one of the Public Schools in Calgary. Major Jones was a son-in-law of the late Peter Todd of this town. The same day a tablet to Mr. Richard Brockelbank was unveiled in the same school, Mr. Brockelbank was the contractor who built the school. Early in the war he enlisted and was killed in actin.

BRANT TP. NOMINATION

The nominations for the municipal Council of the Township of Brant for the year 1919 will be held in the Town Hall, Walkerton on Monday, December 30th., 1918, commencing at 12 o'clock noon and closing at one o'clock p. m.

M. A. McCallum,
19—26 Clerk.

Passes Final Council

Dr. Wallace Cunningham, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Cunningham, of Greenock, was among the recent successful candidates at the final examinations of the Ontario College of Physicians and Surgeons, commonly known as "the Council". Dr. Cunningham is still on service at the Polish Camp at Niagara where the recruiting is going on for the standing army of Poland.

DEATH OF ANDREW McLEAN

Was Last Surviving Male Member of Prominent Old Walkerton Family.

Last Thursday morning, December 12th., Mr. Andrew McLean, last surviving son of the late Andrew McLean sr. of Walkerton was called away, his death following that of his aged mother by less than a month. The deceased, who was in his 85th. year had been in poor health for some time. Heart failure was the cause of his demise. Mr. McLean was born in Walkerton and spent practically all his life here. He was associated for years with his late brother John McLean, in the livery and horse business. He was well-known and well-liked for his genial ways. He was a member of Saugeen Lodge No. 137, A.F. & A. M. Mr. McLean was the last surviving male member of the McLean family. About a year ago the death of his brother, John, occurred, and since then two nephews have passed away, one on the battlefield in France. His surviving sisters are: Mrs. A. M. Stewart, of Winnipeg, Man.; Mrs. Wm. Lindsay of Moncow Farm Culross; Mrs. (Dr.) O'Gorman and Mrs. T. E. Attwood of Walkerton. The funeral took place from the family residence, Gibson St., on Saturday afternoon, Dec. 14th., to Walkerton Cemetery. Rev. Mr. W. H. Burgess conducted the service, and the pall-bearers were: Messrs. H. and R. Irwin, G. Lattner, W. M. Shaw, J. A. Rowland, S. Earwaker.

Souvenir From Mons

Mr. Thomas Cunningham has received a nice Christmas Greetings from his son, Pte. David Cunningham, from Mons, Belgium. Pte. Cunningham, who is with the advancing Canadians, fought at Ypres, Somme, Vimy Ridge, Hill 70, Arras, Cambrai, Passchendaele and Amiens. Mr. Cunningham received the good news this week that his son, Trooper Norman Cunningham, who has been in the hospital in England for some time, expects to be home in time to eat his New Years dinner with his parents.

BORN

CARR—At Bruce County Hospital, Walkerton, on Sunday, December 15th., to Mr. and Mrs. Alex Carr, a daughter.

Missionary Day

Rev. C. W. Cosens preached Anniversary Sermons at Hanover on Sunday. Missionary Services here were taken by Rev. W. S. Daniels of Tara, who preached one of the best Missionary Sermons heard here in years. At the night service, Mr. Daniels made a thoughtful plea for reality in religion. We have to guard against spending our lives in non-essentials, said the speaker, not giving rightful place to the really big things. Missionary contributions for the day showed a big increase over last year.

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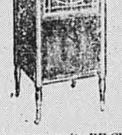
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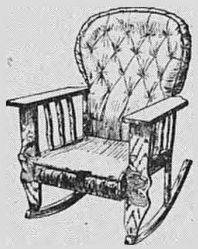
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DUNKELD

y Xmas.

A ber of residents of the burg have laid up with the "flu" during past week..

Arthur Johnston is building a new drivi shed.

Mr. and Mrs. John F Ritchie of North Bruce spent th week-end here.

A Produce firm inted shipping a car of turnips from her this week. 30 cents per bushel is te price offered for same.

Reeves Willoughby ad Phelan, ncillor Campbell an a number ratepayers of each municipality d a conference on to boundary uesday afternoon, or the purr adopting a pla whereby a n of flooded lad might be ry, with the lea drain on nances of each municipality. S. Carr of the West was visfriends here last eek.

ut the only thing that is causr worry to the avrage kiddie days is the fearof contracthe flu before the annual Xmas d entertainments re pulled off thus be obliged to shent themes from the fun. Jso. lest Santlaus should happene get on the list in common wh others and orced to postpone his yuletide

e congratulate Jck Johnston being fortunate enough to win enth District priz in a recent st. Taking into consideration his competitors n mbered 629, did remarkably wll at that.

ss Bridie Malone, passed away Detroit General Hopital following short illness of Spanish influ-

Miss Malone, wo was about ars of age, spnt her early ood in this vicinity and had a circle of friends, whom deeply ed to learn ofher untimely . Deceased, having secured ion, left here bout 8 years Hamilton later going to Du- she graduded as a stenpher, in which cnacity she was loyed up to the time of her th. She is survived by two sis- (Rose) Mrs. Lymerry of Walkand Rita of Hamilton. Intermade in Deroit.

mpathy of the community ed Mrs. Wm. Latimer, in of her brother Pte. A. who fell in action near the n of the war, while fightAmerican forces.

N GROVE

stmas to all.

ary services of the Methodist Church were Rev. H. P. Walker of Japan. He preached nt sermons which held ention spell-bound. Great n the music rendered under the leadership t Thornburn.

r to report the illn Gregg Sr. Hope recovery.

Hodgkinson of Tor- his Christmas unroof.

Fault of Walkerton nd with Miss Greta

ller arrived home last week. Oliver ppil smile.

glad to report that Mr. L. able to be around again after recent illness.

A goodly number from Cargill and Purdys attended the anniversary service at Eden Grove.

BORN—On the 10th., Brant on Dec. 9th.: to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Edmunds, a son.

BRANT AVENUE

Quite a few of the farmers who went down to the Guelph Show came back and had the Flu at home.

J. J. Ernest spent most of the past week in bed with the flu.

The women are busy now plucking fowls for the Christmas market. There seems to be every prospect of a big crowd from this neighborhood at the Christmas Fair. Some of the farmers are fitting up stock to show.

Owing to the supply of coal (pea coal) that is being teamed past here, there must be a cold spell looked for.

OTTER CREEK

A Merry Christmas to all.

The flu has broken out again in quite a few homes in this vicinity.

Mr. Alton Gross is a visitor at Berlin and Kitchener.

Mr. Elden Becker of Mildmay was a visitor of Mr. Wilfred Gress' on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Wickie are visiting friends in Mildmay.

Mr. David Gross and Mr. John Pfohl are attending the great Farmers' Convention at Toronto this week.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dugal of Caledonia nee (Miss Melvina Gress) a son, on the 3rd., of December.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Steinhagen were called home from a recent visit to friends in Brant and Chesley on account of the whole family taking the flu.

Mr. Runkel of Mildmay was a visitor in this vicinity.

Mr. Rhekopf is on the sick list this week.

RIVERSDALE.

Owing to another outbreak of Flu the school was closed again until after Christmas.

Miss Hayes is visiting her home in Arthur during the holidays.

Mr. Albert Dietrich had a successful wood-bee last Wednesday afternoon.

We are glad to report Mr. Stephen Scharbach to be recovering after his recent attack of "Flu".

Mr. Albert Heidmiller took in the Stock Show at Guelph last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick O'Hagan spent Sunday at Jack McGlynn.

Quite a few attended the winter fair in Walkerton on Thursday.

Sailed For Canada

Nursing Sister Lizzie Ronnie who has been nursing in the Military Hospital in England for some time has sailed for Canada, having been called home owing to the serious illness of her mother. She will probably arrive in Walkerton next week. The condition of Mrs. Ronnie who has been ill for several weeks remains unchanged.

CARGILL

Mr E. Brownscombe and family are moving here from Lovat where Mr. Brownscombe has been working in a Brick and Tile yeard.

Messrs. Hunstein and Wittich have about forty drawings of Santa Claus displayed in their window, the work of as many scholars of the Public School here. Those were entered in a contest in which the above firm gave three prizes. The successful contestants being Mildred Grulinger, Marjorie Mawhinney and Wilfred Pegelo.

Rev. Tyler preached in the Methodist Church at Paisley on Sunday last while Rev. Walker preached anniversary services for him at Eden Grove, and owing to these services there was no service in the Methodist Church here last Sunday.

Mr. Wat. Clark of Southampton spent Saturday with friends here. Wat is just recovering from the flu and looks it too.

The show Eliza Comes to Stay put on by the Walkerton Dramatic club, was fine and greatly enjoyed by the crowded house that turned out to hear it. The players are to be congratulated on the excellent way in which they took their various parts. The total proceeds amounted to about $80.00

MILDMAY

Alfred Sauer has leased the skating rink here for the coming season. We are glad to say and there is a prospect of having some good hockey matches here this winter.

It is extremely likely there will be elections this January both for the village and township councils.

We are sorry indeed to report that two of our young men Mr. Will Berry and Mr. George Helwig are ill in bed with pneumonia but are not in great danger.

Mr. Harry Schill who formerly clerked some years ago in Hunstein & Co's store and who was in the West since, returned home last week.

Mrs. C. Wendt was a visitor in Walkerton on Wednesday last week.

Cadet Leander Bilger made a business trip to Toronto last week.

A committee of our business men are planning as to what to present our returned soldiers with when they return.

GLAMIS

Here's wishing everyone a Very Merry, Merry Xmas

Rev. E. P. H. King of Toronto preached in the Baptist Church on Sunday and will also preach on Sunday Dec. 22nd.

Miss Laura Cunningham returned home on Thursday after spending a month with friends in Hamilton, Toronto, and other points.

Mrs. Alex. McSw was removed to Walkerton Hospital last week in a very critical condition. We are pleased to report she is some better, and her many friends are hoping for her speedy recovery.

Mr. D. D. Montgomery is home from Toronto and is on the sick list.

St. Paul's S. S. purpose holding their Entertainment on Monday night Dec. 23rd.

Mrs. McIntyre and daughter Sara returned home from Toronto on Monday after a month's visit with relatives there.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Montgomery and son of Markdale spent a few days with her parents Mr. and Mrs. A. Kirktown.

Mr. Montgomery has bought John McLean's farm at Tiverton.

Pte. J. Short returned to Toronto this week.

Mr. L. B. Tufford of Beamsville spent the week-end at W. J. McKeeman's. He was accompanied home by Mrs. Tufford and babe.

Miss Pearl Newton of Toronto has a treat in store for those who attend the Baptist S. S. Entertainment on Friday evening Dec. 27th.

Miss Ethel Stewart is home from Guelph.

W. J. Graham left this week to spend the winter in Florida.

Miss McBeath of Elderslie spent a few days at George Webb's.

Miss Kate McKinnon of Chicago is home on a visit.

MILDMAY

The farm of the late Frank Kramer of Elora Road was sold to Mr. Jos Rumig last Thursday Dec. 4. This farm which consisted of 145 acres brought $11,450.

Mr. Albert "Misch" Hinsperger was taken to Bruce County Hospital in the Ambulance last week with the Flu which developed into pneumonia. We sincerely hope he will soon recover.

Mr. Joseph Hesch, blacksmith, is ill in bed with the Flu this week and on this account his shop is closed.

The Congregation of St. Paul's Evangelical Church are preparing for a fine Christmas entertainment to be held Dec. 25th.

Mrs. B. B. Patten is spending a week with her father-in-law at St. George.

Mr. Ed Wittich of Cargill was in town on Monday with his car.

Mrs. Geo. Lambert Miss Margaret Stewart and Rev. Mr. Walker attended the district Epworth League convention at Harriston on Tuesday.

Mr. Wm. F. Wendt received a parcel of war souvenirs this week from France from his brother, Pte. Charles E. Wendt of the 11th. Can. Engineers. These souvenirs consisted of a German steel helmet, a crucifix, a chalk tablet with a German inscription, 3 German Sand bags made of paper and numerous military buttons. These souvenirs are on display in Wendt's Jewellry store.

The Dominion weights and measure Man is making his rounds testing scales etc.

Don't you think its better to write Christmas the way it should be written instead of Xmas.

CULROSS CENTRE

Miss Laurette Donaldson of Springbank is visiting with her cousin Miss Eona this week.

Mr. Jerome Cassidy, who has been ill with the Flu is able to be out again.

Mr. James Haines of Teswater visited at the home of Samuel Parker Sunday.

We understand that Mr. Semple has disposed his farm to Pletsch Bros. of Carrick.

A number of our young people attended the Christmas tree at Salem. All report it a success.

EDEN GROVE

SNACK.

"Good Lord; What is that?"

Reluctantly I turned my eyes from the stage to the speaker. He was a man of such and such a height, so and so age, big feet, swelled head and glasses. I knew him at once for the Grand Trunk Agent at Pinkerton.

"Cannot you see", I grunted. "It is McBurney, the leading man, kissing Miss Eliza, the dangerous leading lady."

"Dear me; He is a great actor. So natural," replied he and turned his absorbed gaze once more toward the little comedy.

A moment later I heard him muttering to himself Leaning toward him and listening intently I overheard these words "Bet Eliza came from Cargill. I've seen dozens like her there."

I thought this too frivolous a remark to deserve an answer.

"That leading man has a great vehicle for his peculiar talent but it isn't true to life," he remarked a moment later.

"In what way," I asked curiously.

"He has kissed every woman on the stage except his fiance," he replied critically. "In real life I'll bet he'd kiss her too."

On his way out I asked him his idea of the play.

"Topsole. Bright and sparkling conversation with a plentitude of action. Each part taken with decided individuality, and the total ensemble was a magnificent success. I was quite led astray by it," he replied.

Bring me a dictionary, James.

This morning I met him again and he wasn't nearly so much in love with it. It seems his wife had been asked to Miss McCoy's and also to Mrs. Clark's for a little luncheon after the show. As he didn't know which one she was masticating and sipping at with her protrudingly bent aristocratic little finger and the two houses were exactly opposite one another, he stood in the centre of the road smoking a vile cigar, getting drenched by the rain and swearing softly.

It is reported that the Methodist choir had a very nice time at their practice last week at the home of Mrs. W. Alexander. I will not go into details But simply state that it was a very, very, very, nice time.

Unique and unusual events are most desired by a newspaper but just to fill up I gives a little item that is commonplace, to be expected, happens every time:—

"Cargill longhorns came over for a game of euchre the other night, and were cheerfully taught a bit of the game."

PINKERTON

Christmas Tree and Entertainment in the Presbyterian Church, Pinkerton, Tuesday, Dec. 24th., at 8 o'clck. Admission 25 and 15.

(Intended for last week)

Mrs. (Rev.) R. M. Gale is visiting at the home of son, Mr. John Gale of Alma.

On Thursday morning, the sad news of the death of Mrs. Walter Clark of Southampton and formerly of Pinkerton was received by friends here. The deceased was sick only a short time with the Spanish Influenza when she succumbed. The sympathy of all goes out to the husband and five children, four of whom are also very sick, in their sad bereavement.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Clark attended the funeral of Mrs. Walter Clark of Southampton.

Death again visited our village on Thursday and claimed its victim, the late Mrs. N. Fitzsimmons, who succumbed after a two weeks illness. The late Mrs. Fitzsimmons has been a resident of the village for a number of years, her husband having predeceased her about fifteen years ago. The funeral was held on Saturday interment being made at Tiverton.

Miss McLean, a sister and Mrs. Cummings a niece, of the late Mrs. Fitzsimmons attended the funeral in Saturday.

Bert Elphick is the new hand employed at the grist mill.

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Sr. II.—O. Pfohl.

Jr. II.—B. Fisk.

Jr. I.—V. Little, D. Bickel, E. Pfohl, M. Schilling, M. Fisk.

Jr. Pr.—R. Burrell, C. Cunningham, A. Brockelbank, M. Fisk.

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Purdy's Church Celebrates Fiftieth Anniversary: 1868-1918

INTERESTING Sketch of Old Pioneer Church which Has Filled an Important Place in the Life of the Community for Half a Century, and the Circuit-Riding Preachers who Laid the Foundation of Christian Work in the Queen's Bush, Written for the Telescope by Mr. Thos. H. Purdy of Greenock.

On Sunday Dec. 1st., 1918, the congregation of what is known as Purdy's Methodist Church, situated on concession fourteen of the Township of Greenock, County of Bruce, and Province of Ontario, celebrated the fiftieth year or Jubilee Anniversary of the building of their Church. Three services were held at which the Rev. W. J. Fiddes of Cayuga, a former pastor, preached to good congregations and was well received.

This occasion quite naturally points our memories back over the years that have gone and the many changes that have taken place, and the question arises. How did this Church come to be here? It must have a history. What is it?

The earliest settlers in this neighbourhood came in the fall of the Land Sale 1854, located and some of them built their shanties, purposing to hew out a home for themselves in what was known as the "Queen's Bush." In the spring of 1855 quite a number of families moved in and undertook the pioneer work of turning the forests into fruitful fields. The tiller of the soil was followed closely by the Pioneer Missionary who occasionally called on his way at a settler's cabin, held a service, passed along and in this way the seeds of truth were sown and the tender plant of grace in the heart of men was watered. However, these sturdy pioneers like Abraham realized that a home could not be a home without an altar where man can meet and hold fellowship with his Creator. During the summer of 1861, the late Rev. Geo. Watson, a Primitive Methodist Missionary, whose home was about two miles west of Walkerton, came through the bush on horseback and called at the home of the late Adam Purdy Lot, 15, con. 14, Greenock. Here he arranged to hold a service on the following Sunday morning, this developed into a fortnightly appointment on the Sunday morning, which continued for seven years under the guidance of Revs. Geo. Watson, Thos. Foster and David Gilbert, assisted by Messrs. Williams, Wilson and Stemlhorn, Episcopal Methodist Missionaries from Armow, in Kincardine Township, each of whom came in occasionally. During the term of Geo. Watson, one Sunday morning before the time for his service he was out taking a walk and on his return he said, "I believe there will some day be a Methodist Church near here."

Log Church In 1868

Time passed on and one day during the winter of 1867 and 8 the late Owen Webb and Adam Purdy were talking, and the question of a Church was introduced and they arranged that a meeting would be called at the home of Adam Purdy to see what would be done. The result was that by Spring, the pine logs were hewed and hawled to the site, at the North East corner of Lot 15, con. 14, and here on the 8th., day of April 1868 in the face of a severe snow storm the log walls of the present Church were erected. We cannot tell who all were at the raising but there were Anglicans, Presbyterians, Baptists, and Methodists. There was union in those days, everyone being anxious to help in the making of the House of Worship.

The cornerman held an important place in those days and of these we believe, John Cameron, who attended the Jubilee services, is the sole survivor. The late Owen Webb, a Baptist, and a life long attended the Jubilee services, is also the late James McKee was a third, and probably the fourth was Adam Purdy, while the late Jonathan Metcalf, had the oxen to hawl in the logs as required.

During the season of 1868, the shingle blocks were cut, the shingles split and shaved and finally placed on the roof. The late Wm. Geary of Pinkerton, then living on Lot. 11 Con 12, made the sash and helped finish off the inside, the ceiling being half inch pine just as it came from the saw, the cracks in walls being chinked and plastered outside and in.

The Pulpit consisted of a small table together with a chair for the Minister. These were brought from near Ottawa by a Mrs. Patterson, a former resident on Lot 16, Con. 14, loaned these to the Church. The chair now belongs to Mrs. Jos. Purdy while the table was given to Mrs. A. Groves, a granddaughter of Mrs. Purdy's.

The pews were somewhat old fashioned, but quite substantial, being made of small Basswood logs split through the centre, then four holes bored in the round side with an auger into which feet or legs made from a small sapling were tightly driven and then cut off to the proper height for a seat. The flat side or top was then planed off with an axe or adz, and it was then ready for use. These seats gave good service for six years.

The heating system is still the same, the old box stove, which was second hand fifty years ago still gives good service. The lighting system was a marvel and would be quite a curiosity in a City Church to-day. The old tallow candle, in the old tin candle sticks, hung from nails driven in to the pine logs, gave excellent service and the light of the Gospel shone out as brightly as under the Electric system of the present day.

"The same old way, the same old way,
There is just one road to Jesus,
By the way of the Cross of Calvary,
We must travel the same old way."

The Church was completed and opened for service during the summer or fall of 1868 by the late Rev. David Gilbert, the pastor then on the charge, and the occasion was just as important and as joyful as the opening or dedication of Solomon's Temple only on a smaller scale.

In the Fall of 1874 improvements were made, by wainscotting and plastering the walls and ceiling, also seating platform and railing were put in and the candles changed for lamps. The late Wm. Cox then of Brant was the contractor assisted by Wm. Kerry.

Some years later siding was placed on the outside walls, painted and new shingles put on roof..

In 1906 an up to date enclosed shed was put up to replace the old open one.

In 1914 the interior was papered and painted giving it a pleasant appearance.

The Social Side

This is the outward history as it were, but above and beyond all this there is another history. There is a social side to the history, and one of the great events of the early days was an old time Tea Meeting under the auspices of the Baptist people held somewhere about the early seventies. This was a great success, just to think of bringing a Melodeon from David H. Bowan's two and a half miles south of Glamis or a distance of five miles just to give a better tone to the entertainment. The Choir was fine and the meeting was a great success for every family was represented, and the Church had the honour of perhaps being the first one in the County to have an Organ, even if it was but temporary for a special occasion but the event is not forgotten even yet.

Why was the Church built? That men might have an altar, a meeting place where they could commune with the Father, and here we enter the larger history of the Church, the moulding and uplifting of men. Many faithful men laboured here as pastors or assistants during these years, giving their best for the people.

The Pioneer Missionaries

From the year 1861 to 1884, the time of the Union of the different branches of the Methodist Church, the work was carried on under the Primitive Methodists, with the Minister living on the Durham Road about a mile and three quarters west of Walkerton, near what was called the Bethel Church, the old site of which is marked by a little Cemetery. Baird's School on the 6th., Con. of Brant, and Ebenezer a little church on the 10th., of Brant a mile or so East of the gravel were two other appointments and for a number of years a fifth place known as Harringtons, some two or three miles south of Walkerton. This gives an idea of the work of the Pioneer Missionary in working a circuit like this, but they were in the work not for ease or pleasure but for the uplifting of mankind. Of the fifteen or more men who ed the longest, first as the pioneer of all and then a few years later being back for another term of two or three years, he was loved and esteemed by all. Others who laboured in those years were, Thos. Foster, David Gilbert, Mr. Anger, Thos. Dudley, Mr. Cowling, A. Sims, Mr. Nixon, T. G. Scott, Mr. Weatherell, Mr. Rowe, Chas. Mattenly, Thos. Crompton, John Garner and J. Stonehouse. Some of those were students sent out as assistants, but all were faithful men. Then there were the Local Preachers men who devoted a good deal of time to the work among them, the late Samuel Hoar, Wm. Cox, Wm. Anstett and John Watson now of Chesley and Jas. Purdy.

In the year 1884 Union came and this made a change in the Circuit reducing the limits to Eden Grove, Cargill, Glamis and Purdy's, Glamis joining in with Purdy's a few years ago. During this period the following Ministers have laboured with us, James Wass, Thos. R. Fydell, J. J. Noble, Mr. Parker, H. Berry, D. Sharp, J. W. Sanderson, R. L. Ockley, M. C. Peart, J. Truax, W. A. Fortune, J. F. Kay, W. H. Sterne, W. J. Fiddes, W. C. Almack, H. B. Storey and H. D. Tyler our present pastor. Mr. Parker deceased while on the circuit, and his term was filled by J. Truax then a student. All those men laboured and held forth the word of life in the little log Church and who can measure or estimate the influence and the power that has gone forth during those years in ever widening circles, to Canada's remotest bounds.

The Sunday School

Another part of the history is the Sunday School work. Somewhere in the early seventies a Sunday School was organized with the late Adam Purdy as Superintendent. This was a Union School, and was carried on for a number of years. There were no Lesson helps, leaves or Sunday papers in those days. Just the Bible, and a portion of a chapter was chosen usually a week ahead for the lesson. The Supt. would read this, and the Teachers explained as best they could and thus the seeds of truth were sown. After a number of years for some reason the school closed.

Again about the nineties another Sunday School was organized and kept up for some years. Then about the year 1903 another start was made and the work still goes on trying to instill principals of truth and righteousness in young and old.

Another branch of work that has gone hand and hand with all the others was the week-night prayer meeting. This began in the very early days of the Church when the tallow candle gave light, and no matter how busy the season these pioneers could find time for this service. And during a great part of the life history of this Church these meetings have been kept up and have proved to be a source of strength not only to the Church work as a whole, but especially to those who have taken an interest in them.

And now as we look back over these fifty years that are past and gone, we take courage and go forward to make more history.

. Thos. H. Purdy,
. Glamis.

Nearly A Fatality

Dr. Murray of Flesherton had an exceedingly close call from death one evening last week while working in the new garage which he recently erected. He had been letting the engine of his car run and the gas from the burned gasoline—a particularly deadly variety—had apparently accumulated in the building. At any rate the first thing the Dr. discovered was a peculiar sensation in ears and eyes. He made for the door and fresh air but was dizzy and staggering when he got there. Had he not been wise to the effects of this gas and the speed with which it operates, his days, hours and minutes were numbered. Had he sat down to think over the matter and decided as to what was wrong with him he never would have got up again, and another mysterious death would have been chronicled. Air tight garages and burnt gasoline are about as deadly a combination as can be produced, and many deaths have occurred in

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The December Session of the county council of the County of Bruce, was held at Walkerton, opening on December 3rd.

The statement of the County Treasurer was presented early in the session showing receipts and expenditures for the year up to 30th of November. This showed a total expenditure for the eleven months of $193,143.31 This of course, is very largely in excess of the annual expenditure. The chief items were for Patriotic Grants $99,-874.18 and on County Highways $29-901.61. Deducting these two items brings the expenditure down materially and about on par with that of pre-war days. The other main items were Public Schools $14,507.46 and on maturing debentures $3,125.48. There are still considerable amounts to be paid during December for Patriotic Grants, on County Highways and debentures but this will largely account for the heavy rate this year and show where most of the taxes went. A communication was read from the Canadian Patriotic Fund Chairman saying that they did not expect to have to ask this County for further funds and warmly praising the County as one of the banner counties in the Dominion in the matter of contributions for patriotic purposes.

It was decided to petition the Legislature to repeal the Ontario War Tax Act and the Moratorium Act. Both of these were considered war measures only and the war being over they should be repealed.

The County Highways Committee and Superintendent presented their reports. The Committee report they found it very difficult to get as much work done on the County Highways as they desired owing to the great trouble in getting labor and machinery. They had done what they could with the resources at hand and hoped now the war was over that the situation would materially improve and that next year considerable progress could be made. The discussion on this report took up much of the time of the Council as the roads to be comprised in the system were again discussed. Mr. Phelan had a strong delegation present to protest against the dropping of part of the 5th sideroad of Greenock from the system and Mr Craig, of Amabel, made a determined fight against dropping a road in Amabel from the system, but the Committee after going over and seeing the whole situation recommended dropping these two roads and the Council agreed with the Committee. A by-law was passed changing the description of the roads and adding the parts in Towns and Villages which it is agreed to have placed on the system since the original by-law was passed. This By-Law must be confirmed by the Lieut. Governor before it becomes effective.

The Warden in his report congratulated the County on the very successful termination of the war and expressed his appreciation on being Warden of a County that had so nobly done its full share in every way in the good cause. He also expressed the deep sympathy of himself and the County with those who mourn through the war.

Captain Coles, Judge Greig, Judge Klein, and Messrs. D. Robertson and Lay, were a delegation asking for a grant to the Canadian Navy League to assist the men and the orphans and widows of men of the mercantile marine, pointing out that the whole Allied cause had depended on these men and nothing had yet been done for them. Council decided that a grant of $20,000 should be made, this being of about the rate of 25c a head of Bruce's population. The grant is to be provided for next year.

John Niven, Lucknow and Peter Akeswaue, Cape Croker, were recommended for the appointment as County Constables.

Council decided to pass that the Durham Road, the Elora Road, the Saugeen Road and the 20th Sideroad from Allenford to Hanover be assumed by the Department as Provincial County Highways.

The usual large number of Committee Reports of the work done since June Session and large number of accounts coming up business for the year were attended to.

A record was made with the work and no time was lost with the result that Council was able to adjourn on Thursday instead of, as usual, on Friday.

P. A. MALCOLMSON,
County Clerk.

Masonic Officers

Saugeen Lodge No. 192, A. F. and A. M. elected officers for the ensuring year on Tuesday night as follows:—Im. Past Master, John Jones; Wor. Master, David George; Senior Warden, Talbert Boss; Junior Warden, H. J. Boan; Secretary, R. H. McKay; Treas. H. G. Hunter; Auditors, D. McKerracher and A. P. Johnston.



POOR Mrs. Midgely sat in her disordered living room in an utterly hopeless attitude.

"Oh, dear," she sighed, "I haven't the heart to tidy the house or even myself. To think of Christmas only three weeks away, and not one gift for the children and no hope of getting any. I am glad they are at school; I can at least have a good cry!"

Just as she was getting out her handkerchief preparatory to enjoying this unusual luxury she heard the postman's step on the porch. Habit forced her to gulp back the tears and go to the door. He handed her several letters, all of which she recognized as bills, with the exception of one, which bore the handwriting of her sister Judith.

"Anne, dear," she wrote, "at last I can visit you, and shall be with you in a few days."

"Oh, dear! Oh, dear! To think of Judith visiting us at a time like this, when we can hardly manage, with the high cost of living, to set the table, let alone having a holiday time!"

Mrs. Midgely indulged in the desired cry, then, realizing there was much to be done, she dried her eyes, and with the relief that the shedding of tears



Became a Great Help to Judith.

gave her, she started in to put the house in order.

"At least we'll be clean," she said to herself, as she made broom and duster fly about.

Some months before this time Henry Midgely had lost his position as bookkeeper on account of the failure of the firm for which he worked. They had had no idea of impending conditions and were almost staggered by the blow. The Midgelys had four growing children and every month had lived up to the salary. Mr. Midgely had just found another position. When Anne wrote home she did not tell her family of their loss, and she bravely set herself the task of making up for the months when debts had accumulated.

Christmas! That was the hard part. Nothing for the children! They had had such jolly times before, with presents for everyone. Now she had more work than ever to do and less time for making presents, even if she had the money with which to buy material.

"I shall have to tell Judith," she said to her husband that night, when they were seated by the lamp and the children were in bed, "how sorry we are that we cannot make her visit a pleasant one."

"It is too bad," said he. "Judith is such a slave to your father, looking after his every whim and never thinking of herself. I wish she had a home of her own. I always planned to give her a really good time whenever she should make that long-deferred visit."

Judith arrived, her face shining with happiness.

"At last I am here! Are you quite well, Annie?"

"Oh, yes dear." Mrs. Midgely's voice had a strange note in it. Judith looked up quickly.

"You don't look well, Anne. What is the matter?"

Poor Anne let the floodgates of her tears open and told Judith her troubles.

"It's only that we don't want you to have a stupid time, Judith."

"Never mind about me," answered Judith. "I am wildly happy just to be here with you all. But I am glad you told me."

The children were delighted to have their aunt with them. They had often visited the pleasant old white house that had been their mother's home and it was a happy party that surrounded the dinner table that night. Mrs. Midgely [illegible] and her sister's high spirits.

Next morning after Judith had kissed the four children as they left for school, she turned to her sister and said:

"Anne, dear, we must take an inventory of stock and see what we can make for the kiddies for Christmas."

"There is nothing," said Anne.

"We'll find something!" determinedly answered Judith.

"You can make things out of comparatively nothing," laughed Anne, "but you can't make them out of absolutely nothing."

"Yes, we can! I'll send for my yarns and knit a cap and mittens for each child. They are using bright colors and combinations of colors. In that way we can use your left-over yarns, too. We'll have plenty without buying any more, and I knit rapidly. I've done lots of this work for the Red Cross."

She made looms with empty spools and pins, from which each child helped to make a round string which they worked on at odd moments. They were to be sewed on the mittens. No more hunting for the "other mitten." The children were entertained with the idea of being useful and of helping Aunt Judith.

The sisters looked up discarded dolls and sewed up legs and arms, painted the faces and restored the hair. Entire outfits of clothes that could be taken off and put on were made from bits of cloth found in the scrap bag, and they crocheted lace enough for the trimming. These were for the two little girls, Martha and Peggy, aged seven and nine.

How to make eleven-year-old Ralph happy with left-overs was the problem. Then Judith remembered that years ago she had been the recipient of a stamp book which she had not used. She wrote her father for it, and then invested in some mixed stamps for Ralph to make a beginning with. A few new puzzles and toys from the ten-cent store made a goodly array of bright things for Tommy, who was the youngest child.

"Now for the dinner," said Judith. "Let's not try to have the usual Christmas dinner, but think up something different."

"I did so want to ask Mr. and Mrs. Lambert," sighed Anne. "They came from England several years ago, and are so alone at Christmas time. I had hoped to have them, but of course I cannot do it this year."

"That gives me the very idea, Anne. We'll invite them and surprise them with a regular English dinner—roast beef, Yorkshire pudding and gravy, and have roly-poly pudding for dessert."

The days flew by with the sisters as busy as bees. Anne was never happier in all her life. She had not time for repining, and found that by simply making the best of everything she had no real troubles at all. Henry, too, caught the spirit of hope, and remarked to his wife:

"It won't be long until we have made up for lost time, and I like my new position better than the old one, because it has more of a future to it."

The Lamberts were delighted with the invitation, as they were expecting a lonely day, far away from Merrie England.

One day, when Judith came in from shopping, Anne met her with the news:

"A nephew, John Leigh, has surprised the Lamberts. He has been service in France, and is sent here by the British government on a mission to Washington. He has a week's vacation and has come to spend it with them. I insisted that he come to our Christmas dinner, and they are all going to call tonight."

"How interesting," exclaimed Judith. "Perhaps he can advise me about my Red Cross work."

Everyone was delighted to meet the handsome young soldier and eager to hear stories of "over there" from one who knew. John became a great help to Judith with her plans for the children's Christmas and her Red Cross work. In fact, he thought of so many things that he came to the Midgely's at least once a day and every evening. He trimmed the tree while Judith made the simple things to adorn it.

One evening Mrs. Midgely remarked to her husband: "I never saw a young man so interested in children."

He looked up from his paper in amused surprise. "My dear, do you really think he is interested only in the children?"

"John, you don't mean Judith?"

"Certainly. It has been evident from the first."

Christmas arrived—a glorious day, with snow on the ground. The children had hung up their stockings into the bottom of each had been placed the bright new cap and mittens, and a gay bag of candy or nuts, while the other gifts were grouped about the tree.

After the successful dinner was eaten they spent the evening in singing carols, John had a good tenor voice and Judith accompanied him on the piano. Then he sang stilly songs he had learned in the trenches.

The guests voted that a delightful time, voicing in the happiest Christmas of all. Mrs. Midgely turned to her sister.

"Only think, Judith, I was afraid you would have a dull time. The children have guessed nothing, and you have been an angel of mercy!"

"Happiness has nothing to do with the [illegible] of things," smiled Judith; "it is all a state of mind. And—John and I will have something to tell you tomorrow, when he leaves for the front."

His Day.

"I presume you had a great time Christmas, Willie?"

"Yes, I didn't have no [illegible] Christmas day, but I did the [illegible]."

"Were you sick on Christmas?"

"Nope. But you see the [illegible] Christmas ya had to go to work and I got a chance to play with [illegible] my toys then."



EVERY year about the middle of November a small sign appeared over the door of the Thomas cottage which bore the legend, "The Evergreen Shop."

Every year during the Christmas season Ruth Thomas made hundreds of evergreen wreaths, which she sold for Christmas decorations.

This was why the people of Brierly called her the evergreen girl.

The day before Christmas Ruth sat in her little shop finishing the last wreath she would make that season.

"There!" she said, deftly twisting a sprig of bright red berries among the evergreen stems, "that finishes Helen Stanwood's order, and thank goodness it's done in time. Oh, dear!" she sighed, laying the wreath aside, "I do wish I could spend one Christmas time enjoying myself a bit others do. Why, there has not been anyone here over the holidays since I can remember, and I have not been to a Christmas party in years—not since the time I went over to Dolly Blair's with Dane."

A warm color suddenly glowed in the girl's cheeks and there was a soft light in her brown eyes as she thought of that memorable night.

Dane Stanwood had taken her to that party. Once during the evening he caught her as she was standing under the mistletoe bough, and—The sudden roar of a high-power automobile broke in upon Ruth's musings, and she looked out in time to see a long blue roadster flash past the gate.

The car belonged to Dane Stanwood.

Shortly after the Christmas party at Dolly Blair's Dane had gone West to become a mining engineer. He had written a few times to Ruth and then the letters had stopped coming, and she had not heard from him for nearly four years. Then, just a month ago,



"The Girl I Expect to Marry Is Here."

he had suddenly appeared in Brierly with the blue racing car. Soon it was rumored that he had made a fortune in the mines.

The second week after his return Stanwood bought the old Blair mansion and gave the information that he intended to move into his new home before Christmas. Next he announced that preparations were under way for a party which he was giving Christmas eve.

The evergreen girl had been surprised and a little bit hurt because Dane had not even called. She had thought it strange, too, at first, that she did not receive an invitation to the party, for she knew nearly everyone in Brierly was going.

But when Ruth was told the party was to be given in honor of Stanwood's fiancee, she understood why she had not been invited.

"That is why Helen Stanwood didn't mention the party when she ordered these wreaths," Ruth thought, as she began tying them together. "Of course, I would not go anyway now. My, but they will have to hurry if they hang all these wreaths before eight o'clock."

The evergreen girl was so busy getting the Stanwood order ready that she did not notice that the blue roadster had returned and stopped by the gate. Neither did she observe the broad-shouldered young man who was striding up the path. The bell jingled merrily.

"There's Helen now, after the wreaths," Ruth thought, and she ran to the door. Dane was standing in the porch.

"Why, Dane!" she exclaimed, drawing back in confusion. "I—you—I startled me. I thought it was your sister, and—"

"Helen has gone to Toronto to meet a friend who is coming over the holidays with us," said Dane, "so she sent me after the wreaths." He rolled down the sleeves of his evergreen shop, don't it?"

"Yes," said Ruth, forcing a smile in return.

"And you are the evergreen girl?"

"I believe they call me that," she answered.

"Well," said Stanwood, "She told me to be sure and fetch you back with me when I returned."

"Back with you!" echoed Ruth. "Really I—I can't go. There is so much to do here, and—"

"Rot!" laughed Dane. "Of course you will go back with me. Fact is, you'll have to." He waved his hand as Ruth started to speak. "No excuses now, for I won't listen to 'em. You see," Stanwood went on, "Sis and her friend were supposed to help me things ready for the party tonight, but she telephoned just as I was leaving the house that the train on which her friend was to arrive is very late. She may not get back until nine o'clock, and the party begins at eight. I told Sis I could never get things ready in time, for the decorating isn't half done. Then she happened to think of you, and I said right off that you would be just the one to help us out. You're not going to disappoint us, are you?" very seriously.

"Well, perhaps I can go for a little while," said Ruth. "I'd dearly love to trim that Christmas tree."

"Of course, I won't stay to the party," she thought as she scurried upstairs after a wrap. "So I won't take Dane's sweetheart, for of course she is the one Helen is to meet at the train. And I really ought to help Dane and his sister out, for they have been such good customers."

Dane ushered Ruth into the big drawing parlors of his new home, which the Christmas tree had been placed.

"Do you suppose," he asked, pointing to a great pile of evergreen at one end of the room, "we will be able to hang all these wreaths and then decorate the tree before eight o'clock?"

The evergreen girl gave a merry little laugh.

"I am sure we can if we work fast," she answered. "I am used to this work, you know, and with your help it won't take long."

"How long have you been the evergreen girl?" Dane asked, as he and Ruth were trimming a chandelier.

"This is my third season," Ruth replied. "I found that there was a big demand for wreaths and laurel trimming during the Christmas holidays, so three years ago I opened an Evergreen shop. I love to do this kind of work, and although the season is a short one, my little shop pays well."

The evergreen girl might have added that, more than this, the rush of work just at Christmas time helped her to forget the dull ache in her heart which was always so hard to bear during the holidays. She said nothing of this, though, but smiled instead.

"Tell me, Dane, how you have spent Christmas while you have been away. Have you been where there was much merry-making?"

"For the past three years," said Stanwood, "I've celebrated Christmas by working from dawn 'till dark. This is the first enjoyable Christmas eve I have known since I left Brierly."

"It has been a very pleasant evening for me, too," said Ruth, "and I have enjoyed it ever so much. Now we'll trim the Christmas tree, and then you can take me home and get back in time for the party."

At half-past seven Dane surveyed the big double parlors with satisfaction. With the help of the evergreen girl he had finished the decorations and everything was in readiness for the guests.

"The rooms look just as they did four years ago at Dolly Blair's Christmas tree—even the mistletoe bough," said Dane. "Don't you remember how that one hung right over our heads, as this one does now?"

The evergreen girl was silent.

"Had you forgotten, Ruth?" he persisted.

"No," softly, "I had not forgotten."

"You never thought I had forgotten, did you, dear?"

"But you never wrote, Dane."

"Because for a long time I was miles from a railroad or post office and could not send any mail. But I've thought of that night, though, and all these years I've been planning to have a Christmas party as much like that one as I could, only this one tonight will be for you."

"But isn't the friend who is coming with Helen your fiancee?" faltered Ruth.

"Not exactly," laughed Dane. "That friend is Harry North, Helen's fiance. The girl I expect to marry is here, now, and, by Jove! I've caught her again standing under the mistletoe bough."

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[illegible] age.

"[illegible] to have a [illegible] which kind of happy [illegible] rather," he pitied, "but he is [illegible] to a position to [illegible] Year's eve [illegible] the town with [illegible] money and school [illegible] the poor [illegible] sale."

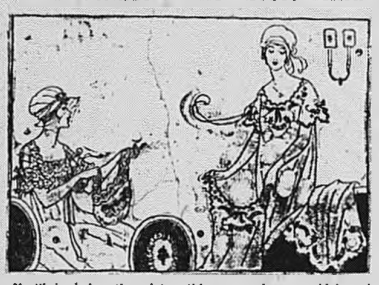
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The very newest novelties in imported silks fashioned into men's neckwear.

The colorings are rich, yet the effect is not splashy, good taste prevails.

The qualities are the kind that will give the very best of service. Full shapes, no saving of silk in the designing.

Priced at .50c .75c $1.00 & $1.50.



Gloves and Mitts for Men and Boys

Fine Suede, Mocha, Cape Kid ingroy and tan shades both in the unlined dress glove and the warm fleece lined quality. Also leather and grey wool knit. Prices 75c., $1.40, $1.50, $2.00, and $2.25.

Rich Silk Mufflers

Fringed ends. Large square shapes. Handsome hand woven designs in fascinating color combinations. Prices at $2.00 and $3.00.

Men's Shirts

The ever useful and practical gift and especially so when it's an Arrow shirt—with a guarantee that the color is fast. New fall patterns are here, in soft and hard cuffs. Sizes 14 to 18. Prices $1.25 to $2.00



Men's Pyjamas

Splendid heavy quality striped Canelette and Ceylon flannel. Nice soft quality and very durable. Price per suit $1.50 and $2.25

Christmas Gloves of the Finest French Kid for Women.

Fortunate indeed to have this stock of high grade Trefausse and Peeny makes, they represent the best in French Kid and fortunate too in being able to offer them at this price. Every pair is worth 50 per cent more to day than our selling price.

Beautifully dressed kid, suede, doeskin chamois and Cape Kidd. In grey, tan, natural mode, black and white.

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Beautiful lacey things. They seem to be more in demand each season.

Dainty new creations, lace and ribbon trimmed at .50c .75c $1.00.

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A Stylish Winter Shoe For Women

Made of Cravenette Elk, top wool lined all through Neolin Soles and rubber heels. Dressy and warm.
PRICE $6.00.

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PROMPTLY SECURED

ONLY 5 DAYS
for
Christmas Shopping!

As Usual they will be Very Busy Ones.

We were fortunate in securing another shipment of Xmas Goods this week. So we are right in line with a fine assortment for the last minute shoppers.

Men and Boys leather, wool and knitted gloves. Brown, Khaki, Grey and Black, 75c. $1.00, $1.25

Men's Superior Silk neckwear, excellent designs, separate or in fancy boxes. 50c., 75c. $1.00 $1.50

Silk Scarves, Silk Socks, Handkerchiefs, Gloves, Shirts, Braces, everything up to date in men's furnishings at moderate prices.

See our display of fancy towels, Tea Cloths, Doilies, Madeira Linens, Tray Covers, Runners, etc. A handsome assortment and not high in price.

Blankets, Comforters, Rugs and all kinds of practical household gifts in abundance to choose from Commencing Thursday evening 19th., we will be open evenings until Xmas, for the convenience of shoppers.

McBURNEY & CO.

THE PEOPLE'S STORE

PEACE!

1918 1919

The universal sense of relief after four years of tension will make this the Merriest Christmas since the world went to war. Let the spirit of Thankfulness mingle 1918 with the spirit of gayety, thankfulness to those who sacrificed their life or limb to make this a Christmas of joy instead of sorrow.

TO OUR MANY CUSTOMERS WE WISH THE COMPLIMENTS OF THE SEASON AND EVERY SUCCESS FOR THE COMING YEAR 1919. WE HOPE FOR A CONTINUANCE OF THE AGREEABLE BUSINESS RELATIONS OF THE PAST YEAR.

J. H. APPEL PHONE 53
Canada Food Board License No. 8—155

TOWN AND DISTRICT NEWS

Buy at home,
Only 6 more days.

Have you renewed your Telescope?

Mrs. Andrew Yaeck has been very ill with the flu.

Mr. Harry Truax went to Niagara Falls on business the last of the week.

Cadets Crawford Skelton and Harold Lewis of the R.A.F. are home on two months' leave.

Mr. Harry Addis is out again after over a weeks' sickness with the Flu. Mrs. Addis is now on the sick list.

Mr. A. E. Wahn is representing the South Bruce Farmers' Club at the big U.F.O. Convention at Toronto this week.

Mr. Harold J. Crawford, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Crawford, arrived home last Thursday from Detroit, where he was a patient in St. St. Marys Hospital for five weeks with the Flu and typhoid fever. Harold is still weak from the effects of his lengthy illness and is confined to the house, but is regaining strength as quickly as can be expected.

Increase the Dog Tax

Nearly everybody likes a dog but these times Walkerton appears to have more than its share of stray canines. Somebody has figured that it costs $16.25 a year at present prices to feed an average dog. To keep useless pets in these days of high prices is a luxury that no one should be made to pay for. A recent provincial statute gives municipal councils authority to go the limit in taxing dogs. Here is a chance for the next Town Council to increase its revenue within bounds by shoving up the tax a couple of notches.

Local news on every page.

Rev. Father Haller of Deemerton called on friends in town last week for the first time since his recent severe attack of flu and pneumonia.

Miss Donalda McKechnie, who has been home from Essex owing to the Flu epidemic, has accepted a position on the staff of the Weston Public Schools.

Buys Hespeler Paper

Mr. George Hudson, formerly of Walkerton, who recently disposed of his paper, the Haldimand Advocate of Cayuga has bought the Hespeler Herald. The publisher of the Herald, Mr. Oscar Eby, was recently appointed Registrar of Waterloo County.

Put On Show At Cargill

Mr. McBurney's amateur players put on "Eliza Comes To Stay" at Cargill on Friday evening in aid of the Red Cross. In spite of the bad night there was a fair attendance, $50 being taken at the door. The performers were the same as last season except Miss Ruth Garner who takes the old Aunt's part splendidly. The audience was higly appreciative.

Bracebridge Alien Case

Walkerton people followed with interest the Bracebridge case in which citizens of alien origin appealed convictions for not registering. The cases were the same as those tried in Walkerton a few months ago when several residents of Brant and Bruce were fined $300 each, the fines afterwards being remitted. In the Bracebridge appeal Mr. Justice Riddell decided in favor of the appellants and did not even take the usual course of protecting the magistrate, who is now in for heavy costs and may have to defend an action in the civil courts.

Have you renewed your Telescope?

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Hudson and family spent a few days during the past week with the former's father Mr. Matthew Hudson—Beamsville Express.

Look Through The Lists

The merchants of Walkerton have made heavy preparation for the Christmas trade and through the columns of this week's Telescope they invite the patronage of citizens and country people around about. The merchants' ads contain lists of Christmas suggestions which should be of great assistance to holiday shoppers. It will pay you to read them carefully.

No Departmental Exams.

To enable schools to make up the loss of time occasioned by the Influenza epidemic, Hon. Dr. J. H. Cody, Minister of Education, has stated that he had decided to circularize school boards, inspectors and teachers to the effect that it will not be necessary to hold any of the departmental examinations in June next, so that the second term of the school year will be longer than it has been for several years. The minister said he believed that with this provision made in the regulations for the conduct of these examinations, the ill effects on the school work of the interruptions that have occurred may be reasonably well overcome without encroaching on the holidays of the pupils.

Wanted

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Wehengel and family wish to thank their many neighbors and friends for their great kindness shown during their sad bereavement.

WALKERTON'S
Cash Sale Store

Only a few more days more before Christmas. Do your shopping now. The entire layout of our Christmas Stock offers a spectacle of unusual brilliance. Gifts that a reasonable price will buy, something that can be given with pride and accepted with pleasure.

Toques & Scarfs
Ladies' Toques and Scarfs in Rose, Maize and Blue made of the finest Brush Wool @ $2.50 set.

Men's Handker'fs
Mens Excella Handkerchiefs @ 15c. each.

Men's White Linen Handkerchiefs 35c.

Sweaters
We have a big stock of mens and ladies sweaters in all the newest shades and designs

Ladies' Waists
Ladies Silk Crepe De Chene Waists in White, Pink, and Maize @ $4.75

Gloves $1 a Pair
Ladies Chamois Skin Gloves in Grey, Sand and Black special $1.00 pr.

Men's Scarfs
Mens Silk Scarfs in all the newest shades @ $1.50 $1.75 and $2.00

Men's Ties
A big range of mens ties and suspenders neatly boxed @ 75c. each.

Yarns
Get our prices on Scotch Fingering and Wheeling Yarns.

Ladies' Aprons
Ladies White Tea Aprons special at 25c and 50c each.

Infants' Bootees
Infants Bootees in Pink Blue, and White @ 25c. pr.

Pure Food Grocery Our Christmas Stock is Complete
All kinds of nuts, Filberts peanuts, Almonds and Walnuts.
Fresh Raisins, Seedless, Seeded, and Valencias, Fresh prunes (Good quality.)
We have all kinds of Fancy Cookies.
French Stock of Canned Goods, corn, peas, tomatoes, and peaches.
Cured Meat, Ham, Bacon, and rolls, 45, galacian sausage 35c. summer sausage 35c. bologna 25c.
Highest Prices Paid for Farm Produce Prompt Service, Quick Delivery. Phone No. 7.

Phone No.7 **I. WEBER** Walkerton

FOR CHRISTMAS!

A Few Suggestions of Groceries

Tea, potatoes, butter, chicken, goose, duck, canned peas, corn and tomatoes, currants, raisins, peels, biscuits, coffee, jam, plum puddings, christmas cake, grapes, olives, mincemeat, dates, cranberries, oranges, mixed nuts and some candy and chocolates.

Kindly entrust us with your orders and we will give each and every one our most careful attention.

Buy early to avoid the inconvenience of a rush.

Goode & McKay
The People's Grocery **Phone 67**
License No. 2777

Getting Ready for the CHRISTMAS TRADE with a full line of everything, including Overseas Goods either to eat or drink.

C. PATRICK
PHONE 165 WALKERTON

THE WALKERTON TELESCOPE

IN ADVANCE, OTHERWISE $2 | WALKERTON TELESCOPE, WALKERTON, DECEMBER 26th, 1918 | FIVE CENTS THE COPY

Glasses Lost

Pair of gold rimmed spectacles in black case, silver pencil also in case. Kindly leave at Telescope.

Arrived Home Monday Night

Three more Walkerton boys arrived home from Overseas on the late G.T.R. train Monday night. They were:—Walter Eidt, Norman Cunningham, and Geo. Flewelling. A large crowd was there to meet them when the train pulled in at 11 p.m.

Home For Christmas

Mr. W. A. Burrows, a former member of the 160th. Batt'n., arrived home on Friday night. Mr. Burrows was laid up with rheumatism in England but has somewhat recovered from the ailment. Mr. Burrows was one of the men who left a wife and family to serve his king and Country, and his homecoming before Christmas was a joyful event in the little home circle.

Contest In Brant

There is to be a contest in Brant. Reeve Willoughby, who was elected last year with the understanding that he was to have a one year term only, is out for re-election. He will be opposed by Deputy-Reeve Bovaird or Ex-Deputy-Reeve Weir probably the former. There will likely be a contest between Couns. J. Walter Findlay, and Wm. Johnston for the Deputy Reeve's chair. Townships nomination meeting will be held at the Town Hall here next Monday.

G.T.ROURKE

Wishes All Patrons and Citizens

A Happy and Prosperous New Year

Hank Irwin Sells Farm

Mr. Hank Irwin, the well-known horseman has sold his farm on the Durham Road West to his neighbor, Mr. William Riley. We understand Mr. Irwin intends going West.

Two Others In Hospital

Two children of Mr. Alex Carr's, whose daughter succumbed to the Flu on Monday, were taken to the County Hospital the same day with the Flu. Mrs. Carr has been a patient in the maternity ward at the hospital the past week.

Gets Bar To Military Cross

Capt. Bob Rowland M. C. son of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Rowland, who distinguished himself in the fighting when the Canadians broke through the Hindenburg line has received a further decoration in the shape of a bar to his Military Cross.

Won't Reach Here Christmas

Victor Bell, who recently arrived in England from a German prison, writes home that his legs are in bad shape from long tramping and that he might not be fit to stand the journey home in time to reach here Christmas.

Home From Overseas

Mr. Hugh Threndyle who was one of the passengers on the Olympic, arrived home Thursday night after two years' military service Overseas. Mr. Threndyle is looking fine and fit and is being warmly greeted by his many old friends.

Sent Home Christmas Song

A Christmas thanksgiving song, sent home from Dublin, Ireland, by Cadet Oscar Schwindt, was sung by several of the local choirs on Christmas Day. The words were specially composed for the occasion by the sister of a British Brigadier-General.

Died at Buffalo

Mrs. John Wingefelder and Mr. Ralph Kreuger left on Saturday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Kreuger, the latter's grandmother who died on Friday, as the result of a paralytic stroke. Mrs. Kreuger, who was a former Listowel resident, was over eighty years of age.

PUBLISHING TUESDAY MORNING THIS WEEK

As Christmas comes on publication day this week we are getting out the paper on Tuesday morning instead of Wednesday night as usual. We had to decide whether to be a day early or a day late and we chose to be early. We believe our readers will appreciate getting their Telescope in good time.

Distress After Eating

Quickly and Effectually Relieved by

Nyal Digestive Tablets

When the digestion functions are overtaxed, Nyal Digestion Tablets give prompt relief. They aid the stomach to carry on the process of digestion in a natural and healthy way.

Easy to take. Keep a box always in the house.

Price 50c at

Hunter's Drug Store

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Christmas Suggestions

White Ivory Brushes, Mirrors, Toilet Sets, Manicure Sets, and Single Pieces, Ebony goods, Tapetries, boxed Chocolates, Cigars, Perfumes. Call and see our stock.

A. P. SIEVERIGHT

Drugs - Kodaks



A Merry Christmas To You All

From Grandfather who carries so cheerily the weight of his fourscore years to the tiniest toddler just being introduced to the mysterious visit of Santa Claus, we extend our Heartiest Greetings at this season.

Since Christ was born in Bethlehem, Christian peoples, down through the years, have treasured the observance of Christmas Day, with its glorious message of "Peace on Earth, Goodwill towards Men." During the last few years the joy of the Christmas season has been marred by a world at war. It has been difficult to rejoice with the thoughts far away at a lonely grave in Flanders; it has been hard to be glad in the face of a hovering dreaded fatal news from the battle-field.

But now the fighting is ended; the Victory is all but won. In the conflict many of our men have given their all for high ideals. By the supreme sacrifice of life, they have shaped a new world, and a better one. To what glorious purpose have they lived and died! This is the great consolation that this Christmas brings to those who mourn for the gallant men who have paid the price of victory.

In order that we may show ourselves worthy of them, let us now surrender to the season, let us not be afraid to be a bit soft towards everybody, let us obey the impulse to kindness and throw off the inhibition on spontaneous friendliness. Let our thoughts reach out to the great privilege of helping those little ones who have been deprived of even the ordinary comforts, let us glorify this Christmastide by sharing our blessings with others.

NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Eastman Films at Hunter's.

Eight pages of local news.

Willard Chocolates at Hunter's.

Renewed your Telescope yet?

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Blackwell are ill with the flu.

Mrs. Brindley is spending Christmas with her daughter, Mrs. Edwin Bell at Riversdale.

Mr. James Raeburn is leaving in a few days for Toronto for further medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. George Eckel and Miss Gertie are spending Christmas with relatives at Clifford.

Mr. John Kelly of Toronto is spending Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kelly.

Mr. L. Hogan, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kelly, who was sadly bereaved of his young wife recently, arrived here from Kindersley, Sask. this week on a visit to friends here and his old home at Chepstow.

New Year Post Cards and Booklets at Hunter's.

Mrs. Riley is spending Christmas with relatives at Kitchener.

Mr. J. A. Johnston, of Mildmay, was a visitor in town Friday.

The Knechtel factory is closed Christmas week as in former years for stock-taking.

Miss Freda Myles is home from Ontario Ladies College, Whitby, for the Christmas vacation.

Ptes. Stewart and Edgar Campbell, two former 160th. boys, arrived home at Pinkerton from Overseas Monday night.

Owing to going to press a day and a half earlier than usual this week, we are forced to hold over a large number of last minute items.

Mr. Joe Dietrich of the University Officers Training Corps, Toronto, is home spending Christmas leave at his home at Riversdale.

Mr. Frank Smith of the Royal Bank, Clifford, came home Tuesday of last week with the flu. A slight touch of pneumonia has developed but at latest report Frank is doing well.

Mrs. Zavitz and babe, who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kelly, returned this week to her home at Windsor. Her brother, Leonard accompanied her to spend the holidays at Windsor.

Mrs. Wm. Long, Durham Road and three daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Long and family, and Mr. Ben Long have all been victims of the Flu. Mr. Bob Long's case developed into pneumonia but he is now on way to recovery.

BORN

ILLIG—In Carrick, on Dec. 12th., to Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Illig, a son. The child lived only a very short time after birth.

SINCLAIR—In Chetterham, on Saturday, Dec. 15th., to Mr. and Mrs. Peter Sinclair (nee Ella South), a daughter. Died shortly after birth.

CHIEF'S SON IS ALIVE



PRIVATE ARCHIE FERGUSON

A post card received here on Saturday morning brought a happy Christmas to Chief Ferguson and his family. The card was from his son, Pte. Archie Ferguson, who had been reported wounded and missing since Oct. 1st. It was written on October, 16th., and stated that he was alive and a prisoner in Germany, but is wounded in the legs. From earlier reports Mr. and Mrs. Ferguson had little reason to hope they would ever see their son again, and the word that Archie is still living brought joy to the family which citizens in general shared. Archie is the youngest of the Chief's three sons Overseas, in fact, the youngest in the family. He enlisted with the 160th. at the age of 16, and got to France along with his brother Jack in time to take part in the final offensive, as a member of the 1st. Regt. Can. Machine Gun Batt'n. The Chief cabled the good news to his daughter Nursing Sister Annie Ferguson on Saturday morning so that it should reach her in time to make a joyful Christmas for her and her other two soldier brothers.

Eight pages of local news.

Renewed your Telescope yet?

Died At Rochester

Mrs. J. A. Rowland received word on Thursday last that her father, Mr. W. Clark, had passed away at his home in Rochester, N. Y. The deceased was in his 85th. year.

The Greatest Ever

"Hearts of the World," the great film production which Mr. Leeson is bringing to Walkerton Town Hall New Years' Day, is acknowledged to be the greatest film ever staged. The scenes were photographed right at the Battle Front.

McNab Likely Mayor

Ex-Warden Alex McNab is coming out, we understand, for the Mayoralty. Six years at the municipal at table, on top of a legal training, put him almost in a class by himself, so far as municipal wisdom is concerned. If he has forgotten anything he has only to refer to his side-partner, Ex-Mayor Fred Lippert, who knows a few things about municipal matters himself. We predict that if McNab is Mayor for 1919 he will fill the chair with dignity and ability.

"Still Going Strong"

It is nearly four years since Fred Jewell, one of Walkerton's heroic boys who arrived home last week, left for the Front. Fred was only seventeen then and he has since grown a bit both in stature and in soldierly appearance. He looks well in spite of everything he has come through, which is saying a good deal. Fred enlisted with the 34th. in March, 1915, went Overseas with a second draft from that unit in August 1915, and on arriving in England, crossed the Channel to join the 15th Batt'n. After six month's fighting he was buried by a shell. After an hour and a half he was unearthed more dead than alive and with both legs paralyzed from the feet to above the knees. For some time it was thought he would never use his limbs again, but youth and determination were on Fred's side and next thing we heard of him he was hiking off to France as an Artillery driver. After ten and a half months more at the Front he was gassed at the Battle of Passchendaele Ridge and shipped to Blighty where he has been since January last. Before returning home Fred was re-examined and put in B 2 Category, the doctors telling him he had chronic ronchitis. But Fred has no regrets and says he's "Still going strong."

Specials

Canned pumpkins 2 for 25c. tomatoes 20c. (2 lb. tin.) We are clearing out the seeds this week clover, timothy, alsike, alfalfa, mangolds, turnips etc. Must go. C. Patrick.

Expected Home This Week

Nursing Sister Lizzie Bennie who has been on duty in hospitals in England for some time is expected to arrive here this week having been called home on account of the serious illness of her mother. The condition of Mrs. Bennie, who has been ill for several weeks, remains unchanged.

Back From Overseas

Mr. William D. Thompson, formerly Public Librarian here, was one of the Canadian Soldiers who landed from the Teutonic, W.B. is spending a day or two at Wingham, where Mrs. Thompson has been making her home, before coming to Walkerton. Mr. Thompson is said to be looking fine and fit, and his many old friends here will certainly be glad to welcome him back.

Hand Badly Cut

Mr. Harry Farr, son of Mr. James Farr, Durham Road, was the victim of a bad accident recently while sawing wood with a circular saw at the home of his brother-in-law, Mr. Ed Hopkins, South Line. He tripped and fell and in trying to save himself, his hand touched the buzz-saw which cut through it from the middle finger almost to the wrist. The doctor will be able to save the disabled member but it will take some time to bring it back to usefulness.

Death of Gordon Helm

Word reached here this week of the death of a former Walkerton young man who was highly respected here, Gordon Helm, who passed away from the flu, while visiting at his brother, Will's, at Calgary. Gordon was in the undertaking business at Youngstown, Alta. His mother had been visiting him and when she left to go to her son, Will's, he accompanied her on the journey. He passed away at Calgary Hospital, after a short illness. Gordon was in his 34th. year and leaves a wife and five months' old babe to mourn his untimely death. His mother, mother, who makes her home at New Hamburg, his brother at Calgary, and a sister (Annie) Mrs. Sterling of Youngston, Alta. also survive. The deceased was a nephew of Messrs. C. Patrick and E. Walford of Walkerton.

Good Men Needed

The election of a Town Council for 1919 is important business that concerns every citizen of Walkerton. During the past year the Town Council sat tight, held onto the purse-things, wisely we think, and initiated nothing new, waiting until after the war. During the next few years there is the need for men of initiative and business ability at the Council Table, and it is in the highest interests of the ratepayers that such men be brought out and put there. There are good men on the present Council and it is regrettable to hear practically all of them say they are dropping out. It is to be hoped some of them at least will stay in the field. Town business is handicapped if every year the Mayor has to face a new set of greenhorns. We trust a good line-up of candidates will be brought out next Monday and that the citizens will show their interest by filling the hall next Monday evening when municipal matters will be discussed.

Death of Janet Carr

Mr. Alex Carr, who removed to town recently from Pinkerton, was sadly bereaved on Monday by the loss of his eldest daughter, Miss Janet May, a fine young lady of 18 years. Miss Carr was a student at the O.A.C. She came home a couple of weeks ago to see her brother, Lorne, of the Bank of Commerce, Winnipeg, who was home on a short visit. While here the flu broke out badly at Guelph and she decided to go down and pack her trunk and return home until after the epidemic had subsided. But in the short time she was there she contracted the influenza and came home sick a week ago Saturday. Her death took place on Monday morning and the funeral took place the same day at Purdy's Cemetery, service being conducted by R. M. Gale. Miss Carr was a bright, active young lady of more than ordinary intelligence and her taking off just when the bud of winsome young womanhood was breaking into bloom, is a sad blow to the family. Besides her father and mother, she leaves to mourn an older brother, Lorne of Winnipeg and Murray, [illegible]

LINGERIE TO BE ADORNED

"Frillery" Must Be Ornamented With Hand Painting, Is a Coming Edict of Fashion.

Well, girls, you will soon be wearing your own art gallery. Painted lingerie is coming, and who knows but what you will have a birdseye view of the Steel city, with its mills in full blast, running around the bottom of your shirt? For it is said that lingerie that once screamed will make its painted approach much more noiselessly and without ostentation, but with force. Oil paintings done to suit individual taste on the lingerie are among the fall announcements. Each place is to follow a master design, and sets will have their day in court. Thus, a mosquito-net dress will put a spider web stocking most eminently in the shade, if not entirely out of business, and a whole flock of vistas opens up before those of us who have eyes with limitless possibilities as to scenic effects, with startling backgrounds and atmospheric tonalities. "Washington Crossing the Delaware," "Joan of Arc Listening to the Voices," "The Battle of Waterloo" and examples of the shot-to-pieces school may all be harnessed to the new fad. The artistic temperament may now take on a new lease of life, in spite of the agitation in favor of a tax on art ranging up to 25 per cent. It may mount upon eagle's wings. It may run without weariness. It may—but what's the use? The new fad is a positive boon to struggling artists from Maine to California, whose productions have, since the war, had to confront not only a sluggish, but a positively dead market. Let us all rise in our places and give three rousing cheers for the application of painting to lingerie.—New York Times.

LINKS ITALY AND AMERICA

Newly Installed Wireless Telegraphy Plant Is the Most Powerful That Has Yet Been Built.

The announcement that Italy and the United States have recently been connected by wireless telegraphy deserves more notice than it has received. This achievement probably makes a back number of the great wireless station at Nauen, near Berlin, which has been so useful to Germany and which, when the war broke out, claimed to be the most powerful in the world, with an effective range of between 6,000 and 6,000 miles. From the nearest point in Italy to the United States transatlantic station at Arlington, near Washington, is not less than 6,200 miles, and to send an intelligible message across that distance might be more than even Nauen could accomplish. Owing to the hostility between the ether waves which carry wireless messages and sunshine, it is always easier to send messages long distances in northerly latitudes than in those more South, and the power required to cover a given distance increases with nearness to the equator. The wireless route between Rome and Arlington is for a good part of the way at least 800 miles nearer the equator than that between Nauen and the United States, which fact considerably adds to the achievement of the Italian and American experts.—London Candidate.

Women as Aviators.

"Out of a thousand women who want to fly," says C. G. Grey, London aviation expert, "you might find one who has the right kind of nerve for flying. A great many women learned to fly before the war, but I never came across more than one who could really fly. She was a very exceptional woman altogether. In the United States Ruth Law was the first woman to fly from Chicago to New York. She came of an acrobatic family, Katherine Stinson, another American girl, nearly completed the same feat recently. But for one woman of this type you have thousands hysterically anxious to fly, and they would only break their necks as well as government property and be a general nuisance."

Airplane Mail Popular.

An average of 1,000 packets of mail are now being carried regularly every day between Vienna and Kiev by airplane. The distance between the two cities is 750 miles and the claim is made that this is the longest route now being operated in any part of the world. The trip takes from ten to twelve hours, compared to forty hours by train. It is made in four stages, the intermediate stops being Cracow, Lemberg and Proskurow.

Blow Up the Family Wash.

Down in Galveston recently an innocent looking chunk of iron propped a family boiler over the fire for the Monday wash. But there wasn't any washing that day. The prop proved to be a civil war shell, vintage of 1863, and fulfilled its destiny by seeding the boiler through the roof and shaking the surrounding territory.—Omaha Bee.

Ministerial Warriors.

Probably no town in Maine has equaled Dexter as far as sending its ministers into war work is concerned. Four out of its six active pastors will have answered the call within a short time. They are Rev. Ambrose B. McAlister, Rev. George C. Sauer, Rev. H. Lincoln MacKenzie and Rev. Stanley Gates Spear.

Guarded Treasure.

"Going to stay home all summer?"

"I'm obliged to. I've got a load of coal in the cellar and I can't afford a private watchman."

Telescope BUY-AT-HOME Campaign

TWELVE SOUND REASONS FOR BUYING AT HOME . . .

BECAUSE loyalty to a community by its men and women is the first essential to national patriotism.

BECAUSE the interests of the home dealer and the home consumer are mutual—what hurt one must hurt the other.

BECAUSE the home business man pays the lion's share of assessment rates and all public welfare donations—whereas the foreign dealer contributes nothing and has absolutely no interest in your community other than the cash he takes out of it.

BECAUSE continued patronage of the big city catalogue concerns is a short-sighted unprogressive, and in the long run an economically suicidal practice.

BECAUSE the fundamental law of commonwealth economy is to spend your money where you have earned it.

BECAUSE your home business man is entitled to your cash. He stands behind the goods he sells, while you have no redress from being "stung" by outside dealers.

BECAUSE spending your money away from home is like sowing grain in a stranger's field to that he may reap the harvest.

BECAUSE when you drain your community by diverting the legitimate channels of trade, you also drain it of its young men and young women and all energy and substance for development.

BECAUSE prices of farm and town property and local markets go down to zero where there is no healthy, progressive community trading.

BECAUSE the more money circulating in a community the more valuable property becomes, the higher are wages and the better the general conditions that prevail. "Unity there is strength," and united home buying builds up a community bulwark that will weather the severest economic storms.

BECAUSE you must send cash in advance to the big city dealer and you have no opportunity to inspect the goods. Apart from the hundred and one good, sound reasons for home buying, it never pays to buy a pig or a suit of clothes in the dark.

BECAUSE it is a duty you owe to yourself, to your family and to posterity to build up your community so that it has a wholesome atmosphere and is advancing with the times instead of drifting into habit of sloth, ruin and decay.

NOW IS THE TIME TO SELECT your Christmas presents. If you are thinking of buying anything in the Jewelry line just give me a chance to show you what I have in stock and you will save money. C. Reichenbach, Jeweler.

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WHEN GIVING YOUR NEXT ORDER for groceries just insist on them sending you a loaf of O'Malley's Bread, or call us up and we will deliver to your home. John O'Malley's, Bakery.

WE PRIDE OURSELVES ON OUR baked goods. If you have not tasted our products yet you have missed a good deal, so get busy and call our wagon. We deliver. A. Hehn, Bakery.

THE DOLLARS YOU SPEND OUT of town are gone forever. If you buy at home you are liable to get it back the next day. See us for your Hardware, Stoves, etc. Our prices will help to keep the trade at home. S. W. Vogan, Hardware.

BRING IN YOUR CATALOGUE AND we will compare prices in Harness and robes, my stock is large and I guarantee all my goods. Now for repairing harness, I can do your job, at a fair price, give me a chance. Alex McCarter, Harness, Co.

WHAT SHALL THE CHRISTMAS gift be this year? That is the problem every year. But we are here to solve it for you and our store has been arranged so that it presents to you a fine display of Christmas Merchandise. One visit will convince you—John H. Appel, The People's Store.

WE CAN SUPPLY THE WHOLE family in shoes in any style and our prices are the lowest. See us first and save money. We are boosters for Walkerton, are you? If so buy at home. M. J. Ramsey, Shoes for the Family.

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Markets Needed by the Farmers

Presence of Thriving Cities, Near by, Important to Residents of Country.—Merchants do Their Part.— Town and Rural Community are Dependent upon Each Other, Co-operation Alone Brings Prosperity To Both

Residents of towns and cities everywhere are beginning to realize more acutely the fact that, except under very unusual conditions, their communities will prosper and develop only in proportion to the prosperity and development that comes to the farming sections which surround them. Realizing this fact, commercial clubs and chambers of commerce have in recent years been devoting as much of their attention to developing the country districts as they have to securing new industries and attracting new residents. They know that as the country about the town becomes more thickly settled and as the farmers become more prosperous the more money will be spent in the towns and the faster these towns will grow. It is largely for this reason that the residents of the towns and cities have been doing more and improving marketing conditions. The towns and cities have contributed more and more liberally toward the building of good roads in the country districts and have paid a large part of the expense of maintaining agricultural experts to assist the farmers in growing bigger crops when they are placed on the market.

Not One-Sided Proposition.

But this is not a one-sided proposition. If the town is dependent upon the country, so is the country dependent upon the town. What the farmer raises is worth absolutely nothing to him unless he can sell it at a price that will pay him a fair return on the money and time invested in its production. The farmer, without market, would be in the same fix as a storekeeper without customers. In almost every case the farmer is dependent upon the nearby town or city for a market for at least his perishable products. In the language of the street, it is a fifty-fifty proposition. The town needs the country and the country needs the town. The farmer needs the assistance of the storekeepers of the town in getting good roads over which he may haul his products without losing more time than the products are worth. He often needs the assistance of the storekeepers in helping him over a period of financial stringency.

Storekeepers Needs Farmer's Trade

On the other hand the storekeeper needs the business of the farmer. He does not ask the farmer to sell him his products on credit even though at the time he may be hard pushed for cash and may need more credit badly. He does not ask the farmer to help him build a sidewalk in front of his store. He does not ask for the business of the farmer provided that he can sell the farmer the goods he needs at as low a price as he can secure them for elsewhere.

But does he always get the farmer's business? Ask the mail order man in the big city or ask the postmaster or the express agent in any town or city in the country. They could, if they would, tell of thousands of dollars sent away to the big cities to pay for goods that could be purchased just as cheaply and much more conveniently in the nearest town or village. The thousands of dollars, when sent to the mail order houses in the big cities, never come back. They do not help to build good roads past the farmers houses. When the next crops are harvested the mail order man won't buy any of the farmers products. The potatoes, the turnips, the apples and other things that the farmer raises may lie and rot upon the ground so far as the mail order man is concerned.

Our Christmas Greeting

WE, THE BUSINESS HOUSES of Walkerton who form the Buy-at-Home Circle that surrounds this Christmas Greeting, join hands this week in extending to you our grateful thanks for the patronage of the past season. We have studied your wants and have sought to adapt our business to them. We thank you for the appreciation you have shown. We join with everybody else who knows you in wishing you the happiest Christmas of your lives. May He who clothes the lilies take care of us and you and help us one and all to live useful lives until another Christmas shall have come.

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CHRISTMAS AT MYLES. THIS store is replete with articles suitable for holiday giving. Department stores cannot compete with our prices. Buy at home and boost our community. E. Myles, Furniture and Undertaking

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CHRISTMAS AT GIBSON'S JEW-elry. We can help you solve your Christmas troubles. Come in and look over some of our dainty lines. W. L. Gibson, Jewelry.

CHRISTMAS AT HUNTER'S DRUG Store is always a busy season, but never more than now. The thousand and one little articles that appeal to the eye and the pocket of the man or woman of taste and discretion is there. Try Hunter, the Druggist.

JUST A FEW WORDS TO THE people of Walkerton. We are prepared to do your Jewelry repairing on short notice. Just come in and let's get together. Also we are showing a big line of Christmas Jewelry at low prices. C. A. Fox, & Son, Jewelers

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TOWN AND DISTRICT NEWS

Local news on all eight pages.

Caught Flu At Guelph Fair

Messrs. James and Stanley Darling, and John Krueger of Carrick attended the Winter Fair at Guelph last week and returned home suffering with a severe attack of Influenza.—Mildmay Gazette.

Saw Burglar, Didn't Bother

Mr. Ezra Briggs, High County Constable, was here last Friday morning, investigating the recent burglary at Helwig Bros.' store. One of our residents saw the burglar trying to force an entrance into the store but did not consider it worth while giving the alarm. No definite clue as to identity of the guilty party has been obtained.—Mildmay Gazette.

Port Elgin and Hydro

From fairly good authority the Times is informed that Hydro construction work will begin in Port Elgin within a year. The government is practically pledged to begin construction of public work in order to assist in the plan to employ thousands of men more or less previously engaged in munition making and also to provide returning soldiers with occupations. If this work of building Hydro dams, etc., does go on in Port Elgin it would seem to be in spite of ourselves. Is it not passing strange that all the other town municipalities about Port Elgin have passed snubbing by-laws and we have not moved in that direction?—Port Elgin Times.

December Rod And Gun

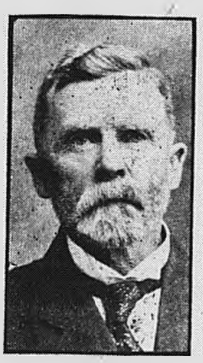
The December issue of Rod and Gun from its first page to its last is replete with articles of interest to the sportsman and lover of the out of doors. Stories, articles, special departments are good of their kind and the magazine is well illustrated throughout Bird land Reflections from an Old Camera" by Bonnycastle Dale; "The Open Places" by R. J. Fraser; "Snowbound Hills" by B. C. Haddon; "How Christmas Comes in the Northland" by Harry Laugh; "A December Afternoon [with Buster" by Reginald Gourlay are some of the stories, while an article on the making of skis, fully illustrated, Fishing Notes including an article on "Facts about Cotton Thread in" and Guns and Ammunition with more dope for the gun crank, and material of interest to the trapper, are some of the other features. Rod and Gun is published by W. J Taylor Limited, Woodstock, Ont.

A Hydro-electric engineer addressed the local Council and a number of the business men of the village last evening. The Council has been in communication with the Hydro-Electric Commission for some time in an effort to secure information.—Gazette.

Three Cornered Fight

There is a well defined rumor that there will be a three-cornered fight for the Reeveship of Carrick for the year 1919. Messrs. Moses Fluinger and Jos. Montag have announced their standing for office, and another prominent Carrick farmer, has also signified his intention of running for the position.—Mildmay Gazette.

SAYS HE WILL RETIRE



REEVE GILBERT CHRISTIE

Who has headed the Township Council of Saugeen with great credit the past three years.

New One-cent Coin

The Minister of Finance is considering the design of a new 1 cent copper coin. The present one-cent piece, while of excellent design, is inconvenient to carry more than two or three in a pocket. The new coin will be slightly larger and slightly thicker than a 10-cent piece, so as to be easily distinguishable to the touch. It will take some time to have the die and the coins issued for circulation.

Local news on all eight pages.

Have you renewed your Telescope?

Left alone in a room where a grate fire was burning, the eighteen year old baby of Mrs. F. Winternute, of Brantford, was found a mass of flame and afterwards died.

Reeve Christie Retires

Mr. Gilbert Christie of Saugeen, who has filled the Reeve's chair the past two years in such a way as to win the evidence of all, announces that he will retire at New Years.

A Barn de Luxe

The city council was recently asked to vote $50,000 for a barn at the jail farm, says the Toronto World. The proposal was laughed out of court. Now a second request is soon to be trotted out for $25,000, and it is expected it will meet the same fate. The barn would house 40 horses, some hay and oats and farm machinery. A well-known farmer, whose barns are the pride of York County said when he heard of the proposal: "No barn could cost as much but then, I suppose, those city folks reckon on putting hot and cold running water and a separate toilet in each stall and bed the horses down every night with a comfortable spring mattress. They must also intend to provide eiderdown quilts and drape the stalls with velour curtains so as to ensure privacy.

No Credit From the Mail Order Man

The mail order man won't sell the farmer 2 cents' worth of goods on one day's credit no matter how badly the farmer may need the goods or how little ready cash he has to pay for them. If the farmer's house burns down the mail order man is not going to build another home. He will take what cash he can get the farmer to send him and there his interest in the farmer ends. If the farmer has no money to pay for what he needs, the mail order man will find others to help swell the stream of dollars which is building up his great fortune and helping build up the great city in which he lives. Let the home merchant help the farmer when he needs it. And the local merchant does help the farmer as long as he can, but there comes a time when he cannot. He cannot make money without customers. Without the legitimate profit that he makes from his sales he cannot "carry" the farmers over the rough spots, he cannot contribute to the good roads funds, he cannot pay the farmer cash for his products.

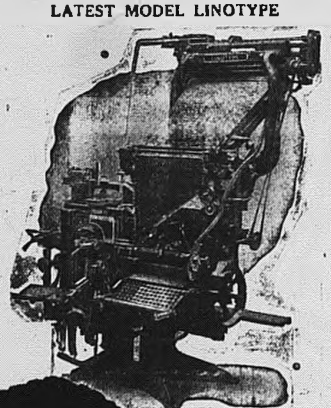
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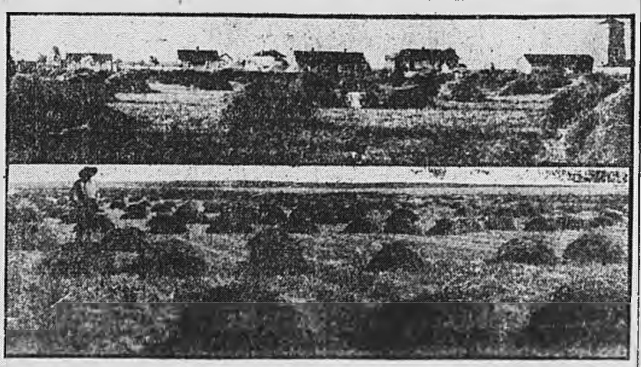
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ALFALFA AND PROSPERITY



If there is one crop more than another on which the prosperity of a country may be firmly established it is alfalfa—the king of fodder crops. This wonderful crop has been the foundation of successful irrigation agriculture in the United States, and history is now repeating itself in Canada. In Southern Alberta already an important alfalfa growing district—government reports show that there were 30,000 acres in this crop this year—farmers are using more and more of their irrigated lands every year for the growing of this valuable fodder, and it is only a question of time when the irrigable lands of Southern Alberta will rank among the largest alfalfa producing areas on the North American continent. The country is still young. Thousands of acres of irrigable land have not been touched by the plow. Thousands more have been broken during the last two seasons and are not yet ready for this crop, as it does not do well until the sod has been thoroughly integrated — a process which is best accomplished by the growing of one or two other crops beforehand. Then, too, during the last two years the most urgent call has been for wheat.

For the growth of alfalfa Southern Alberta is extremely well favored. Alfalfa requires abundant sunshine and a warm summer temperature. Southern Alberta has both. During the summer months the days are [illegible] farther north, and the [illegible] warmer [illegible] coming nearer to the [illegible]

deep, well-drained soil. These are special characteristics of the soil in Southern Alberta. Alfalfa thrives best under irrigation, in arid and semi-arid climates. The climate of Southern Alberta may be said to be semi-arid, and under irrigation alfalfa grows there to its highest perfection.

In the Lethbridge irrigation district, which is the oldest of the irrigated areas of Southern Alberta, alfalfa is beginning to be looked upon as the mainstay of the farmer. Yielding from three to four tons to the acre, and in some cases even more, in two cuttings, and selling at from $25 to $30 a ton, alfalfa has brought farmers returns of $100 an acre and upwards in one season. It is no wonder that a visitor driving through this country recently and seeing the beautiful green alfalfa fields on every hand should pronounce it one of the most prosperous districts in the whole of Western Canada.

But besides these very satisfactory returns from the sale of the hay, alfalfa is of inestimable value on account of the improved condition in which it leaves the soil in which it has been grown. Enormous yields of other crops have been obtained on land previously growing alfalfa. In 1915, which was by no means an extraordinary crop year, 737 bushels of potatoes to the acre were raised at Lethbridge on land which had been in alfalfa the previous year. Wheat on similar land yielded an [illegible] years 50 and 60 bushels to the acre [illegible]

acres of land near Lethbridge that were planted to tomatoes this year after being in alfalfa for a few years produced 35,000 pounds of ripe fruit in less than two months after being set out.

And this is not all that can be done with these irrigated lands. To obtain the fullest revenue would require that no roughage be sent from the farms as such, but only in the form of butter, cheese, beef, mutton and pork. The plant food contained in alfalfa hay is often worth more than the money actually received for the hay itself, high though this is. If only manufactured products were sent away this valuable plant food would be left on the farm, giving it every year increasing fertility. It is held that for every acre of irrigable land at least one head of cattle, or a proportionate number of hogs or sheep, can be supported all the year round. This fact is beginning to be appreciated, and it means that many times the number of livestock at present kept can be maintained on these irrigable lands. And as the number of live stock increases, the prosperity of the country will grow correspondingly. There are already signs that the time is not far distant when the irrigable areas of Southern Alberta will become the home of the most closely settled and most prosperous mixed farming and [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

OUR CHRISTMAS FAIR

Drew Best Showing Of Horses On Record Thursday—Fine Weather Drew Out Big Crowd To See the Show.

The Christmas Fair was favored with delightful weather on Thursday not the usual December variety but more like a sunny day of early Spring. The crowd turned out very encouragingly and the exhibits in most classes were good. Such an array of high-class heavy teams has never before been seen in the town and they made a fine procession as they paraded down Durham St. The carriage horses were also classy Cattle and sheep were light. Poultry was extra good and the exhibit in the hall showed good quality. President R. Goudo and Secretary D. McKerracher were well pleased on the whole with the success of the show.

The list of prize-winners follows:—

SPECIAL—Best Heavy Horse—H. Irwin. Best Light Horse—M Thompson. Potato Race—A. Schmidt, Midinay; Ben Schmidt, T. Chisholm.

HORSES—Heavy Draught— Span to conveyance, H. Brocklebank, J. Miehlhausen, Chas. Tanner; 2-year-old Filly—Chas. Tanner; 1-year-old Filly or Gelding—Ben Schmidt; Brood Mare—N. Brocklebank, Chas. Tanner, Lloyd Pinkerton. Agriculture Horses—Span to conveyance— A. Quantz, A. Waechter, Jno. Rapp; 2-year-old Filly or Gelding—Jos. Condy; 1-year-old Filly or Gelding —A. Schmidt; Brood Mare—Jas. Bell, A. Schmidt, Ed. Tolton. Percheron—1-year-old—1st & 2nd H. Irwin. E. Fenner 1-year-old—J. Finch, E. Fenner; Brood Mare—H. Irwin. Roadster Class—Span to conveyance—J. J. Tryfogle, Pierce Bros., Paisley; Single Roadster — M. Thompson, Chesley; J. Herron, Tara; J. W. Hopper, Port Elgin. Farm Chunks—Span to conveyance—Chas. Grmiston, Alex. Carr, Archibald ; Kirkland, Teeswater. Carriage Class—Single Horse—J. S. Dippel; C. J. Dickison, 2nd & 3rd.

CATTLE—Beef Cattle—Geo. Bruder; Baby Calf—J. Scanlan, Ed. Tolton. Shorthorn Bull—Ed. Tolton, Henry Hossfeld; Shorthorn Heifer —J. Scanlan, Henry Hossfeld.

HOGS—Barrow or Sow—Jno. Sidel, Henry Hossfeld; Pen of 3 Barrows or Sows—J. L. Tolton, Jno. Sidel. J. Scanlan; Brood Sow—H. Hossfeld, John Finch, W. A. Tolton.

SHEEP—Fat Wether or Ewe—E. Tolton, W. A. Tolton; 3 Ewes—J. L. Tolton, W. A. Tolton.

POULTRY—Plymouth Rock Cockeral—W. Miehlhausen, Jas. Metcalfe; Plymouth Rock Pullet—Jas. Metcalfe. Lorne Stevens; Wyandotte Cockeral—T. H. Wilson, Alex. McNab; Wyandotte Pullet—J. Sidle, A. V. Cooke; Orpington Cockeral— A. Kirstine; Orpington Pullet—A. Kirstine; W. Leghorn Cockeral—L. Pinkerton, A. V. Cooke; W. Leghorn Pullet—Jas. L. Tolton, A. V. Cooke.

TURKEYS—Male Turkey— John Sidle; Female Turkey—John Sidle.

GEESE—Male Goose, White— Oscar Tanner, Allen Tanner; Female Goose, White—Oscar Tanner, Allen Tanner; Male Goose, Col.—H. J. Ernest, S Kirstine; Female Goose, Col.—H. J. Ernest, Oscar Tanner.

DUCKS—Pair White Ducks— Oscar Tanner, Allen Tanner; Pair Col. Ducks—Geo Haines, Mrs. J. L. Tolton; Pair Indian Runners—W. Ellis.

EGGS—1 doz. White Eggs—A. V. Cooke, Lorne Stevens; 1 doz. Brown Eggs—W. A. Rowand, Mrs. D. Noble.

DRESSED POULTRY—Pair Cockerals dressed—Jno. Garbutt, C. J. Dickison; Pair Turkeys dressed— Jno. Sidle; Pair Geese dressed—J. Condy, C. J. Dickison, H. J. Ernest; Pair Ducks dressed—Ed. Tolton, J. Sidle.

DRESSED MEATS—Best Bacon Hog dressed—Wm. Parker, A. V. Cooke; Hindquarter Beef—W. Parker; 10 lbs. Liverwurst—G. Haines, W. H. Ernest.

FRUITS—Dessert Apples—W. A. Tolton, N. P. Schmidt; ½ bus. Baldwins, N. P. Schmidt; ½ bus. Spies—N. P. Schmidt; ½ bus Kings —N. P. Schmidt; ½ bus. Spies— Jas. Bell.

VEGETABLES—6 Table Turnips —Andrew Schmidt, S. Kirstine; ½ doz. Beets—John Garbutt, H. J. Ernest; 2 Cabbages, D.—N. P. Schmidt, A. Schmidt; 2 Cabbages, W.,—John Garbutt; 6 Carrots(intermediate) —A. Schmidt, George Haines; 2 Citrons—J. S. Dippel, Harold Schnurr; Squash (Hubbard) —A. Schmidt, Mrs. Jas. L. Tolton; 6 Parsnips—A. Schmidt, Harold Schnurr; Pumpkins (large)—Jno. Sidle, N. P. Schmidt; 6 Onions— Mrs. Jas. Hutton, A. Schmidt.

POTATOES AND ROOTS—½ bus. Potatoes, R. W.—Mrs. Jas. L. Tolton, W. H. Ernest; ½ bus. Potatoes,

(Continued on page 5.)

EX-REEVE ROBT. RUSSELL

Was Resident Of Walkerton Forty-three Years—Over Thirty Years As Town Constable—A Fearless Officer and Councillor.

Ex-Reeve Robert Russell, whose death on Wednesday, Dec 18th. was reported in last week's Telescope, was a familiar figure on the streets of Walkerton for many years. For upwards of twenty years, he occupied the position of Constable, acting as county and provincial officer also contemporaneously. In 1916 he was elected a member of the Town Council and the following year sat in the County Council as Reeve of Walkerton. Mr. Russell was fearless and outspoken on all public questions and the public always knew where he stood or any matter. All of his four sons were war veterans and one of them now sleeps in Flanders Fields. He was very proud of his boys' fine record and hoped to live for their home-coming.

Mr. Russell was born in Brant Township on January 25th, 1856, being the youngest son of the late Adam Russell, a pioneer of the township. Coming to Walkerton about the age of twenty, he lived here the remaining years of his life being engaged first as constable, later conducting a large dairy business. Ill-health forced him to retire over a year ago.

He was married to Miss Emma Priscilla Benson, daughter of the late James Benson of Walkerton, who predeceased him in March, 1901, leaving a family of four sons, Stanley of Toronto, John and James now Overseas, Leith, killed in action Feb. 1916, and four daughters, (Bertha) Mrs. Ivan Thompson of London, (Ada) Mrs. Harry Shaw of Seattle, Wash., (Fannie) Mrs. Claude Cogan of Los Angeles and (Jean) Mrs. Ray Vogan of town. Mr. Russell was married for the second time in Feb. 1905 to Miss Isabella Murison of town, who survives him with no children.

He also leaves two brothers, John F. of North Bay and James of White Horse Pass, Yukon, and a half brother and sister, Daniel Procter of Owen Sound and Mrs. Hiram Loney of Wiarton.

The funeral took place on Friday afternoon from his late residence, West Ward to Walkerton Cemetery, service being conducted by Rev. R. Perdue pastor of St. Thomas Anglican Church of which the deceased was a member.

LETTER FROM MONS

A member of the Telescope publisher's family received the following letter from one of the Canadian boys who was present at the last dramatic incident of the war, the taking of Mons, the day the armistice was signed. He writes:—

At last of war is over and I am counting the days now till we leave for Canada. It seems almost too good to be true and sometimes I catch myself wondering whether we'll get a rush order to move forward or whether all my equipment is together and ready to put on in a hurry, and a hundred and one other little things a soldier has to think about when the battalion is on the move.

If we had had the choice, we couldn't have chosen a more suitable place to be at the finish, Mons, the place where the "Old Contemptibles" first met the Germans in 1914. The morning of the 11th. of November one of the battalions of our Brigade captured the city after a short fight. The 19th. Battalion following up in supports was the first battalion to march into the City at 9.30 a.m. The whole Brigade was formed up in the city square and we unloaded our rifles there.

At eleven o'clock the Armistice was officially announced and the cheering was deafening.

When we marched into the city first, the people thronged the streets to greet us and the more excited of them threw their arms around our necks as we passed along, and kissed us. They were laughing and crying by turns, overjoyed to be freed from the rule of the barbarous Germans. The streets were decorated up with flags and garlands and all the civilians were out in their best clothes. There have been celebrations nearly every day, so we have "Regroup" shining brass and buttons now. Yesterday I was on a Guard of Honor to General Horne, the Army Commander. The King and Queen of Belgium were supposed to have been here too but didn't show up. To-day I'm on a twenty-four hour Bd. Hdqrs. Guard and I expect there will be something doing every day from now on.

We are billeted in a large school building and although we are sleeping on the floor still we are pretty comfortable. There is hot and cold running water in the building and that is sure a luxury for us.

High School Notes

The fall term is now over. The scholars have all scattered to their various homes to enjoy the Christmas holidays,—the children eagerly awaiting the arrival of Santa Claus with his bag of toys and dolls. It seems difficult to realize that half of the term has slipped away; and some of the erring ones are beginning to worry about the scanty amount of learning they have assimilated. To such, however, the holidays offer plenty of leisure time for study, and they should take advantage of the opportunity to catch up.

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The commencement exercises were held last Wednesday and were largely attended. The meeting opened with the chorus, 'O Canada.' Mr. H. M. Lay, who occupied the chair, then called on Mr. Morgan to explain the nature of the meeting. He referred to the High School boys who had enlisted and expressed his great pleasure at having Cadets Gordon Pfohl and Leander Bilger and Capt. Roy Whitehead in the audience. The diplomas were presented next.—Rev. Mr. Rock, Rev. Mr. Greunbach and Mr. Duncan McKerracher making the presentations. Those whose virtues were rewarded were as follows:—William Ramsey, Nelson Lay, B. S. and McCool for matriculation standing;. Admission to the Normal Schools: Minnie Baechler, Cecil Cargill, Jack Chalmers, Arthur Johnston, and Gertrude Young.. Admission to Universities and Normal Schools, Mabel Chalmers, Erma Glave, Gertrude Lewis, Alice Tolton, Vernon Tovell and Leo York. Admission to Faculties of Education, Christopher Thorburn and Jessie Wells..

The next number on the program was a piano solo by Miss Kathleen Oberle. This was followed by the chorus, Rule Britannia. Capt. Roy Whitehead then presented the winners of the championships on Field Day, with their medals; Delia Kenny senior, and Louisa Lippert, junior; for the boys, William Ramsey, senior and Ed. Ramsey junior. Capt. Whitehead then called on for a speech, expressed his delight at being able to return and emphasized the pride he felt in his country and its reputation overseas. Miss Helene Whitehead then rendered a solo which was greatly enjoyed by all present.

The speaker of the occasion, Rev. Mr. W. H. Burgess, gave an address on Education as being, not obtaining of information alone, but the relating of this to life. He paid particular attention to the ignorance on the part of most pupils of the scriptures and the importance of education along this line. The exercises were then closed with the singing of the national ant'em. The school expresses its gratitude to all those whose assistance contributed to the success of the occasion.

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Among the boys in R.A.F. uniforms who are to be seen in town are some ex-students of the High School. Les Hibbert, Les McConnell, Les Bryce, Harold Lewis, Norman Vaeck, Gordon Pfohl and Leander Hilger. The boys are all in the pink of condition and are looking fine.

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The results of the weekly examinations for December are given below. The names are given in order of merit:—

FORM I.

Between 75 and 60 per cent.

W. Zettler, M. Meagher, N. Scharbach, G. Saunston, I. Inglis, L. Scott, B. Hunter, M. MacGregor, A. Brocklebank, A. Ruetz.

Between 60 and 50 per cent.

(L. Crawford, F. Obrecht, M. Pettcplace, equal.) M. Godwin, L. Wilton, (G. Gale, A. Richenbach, equal.) M. Bell, G. Fahrenbach, J. McNally, L. Stevens, H. Tolton, equal.) (I. Kelly, E. Tanner equal.) (G. Lottner, R. Wilhelm, equal.)

Below 50 per cent.

J. Rennie, A. Pinkerton, (A. Weller, W. Johnson, equal) V. Anderson, K Sutton, (L. Lippert, L. Schumacher, equals, E. Weiss.

H. Walker, 78 per cent on 3 subjects, G. McCarter 75 per cent on 4, J. Ernest 51 on 2.

FORM II

Honours—Lorna Elder, Margaret Vaeck. Between 75 and 60 per cent, R. Dietrich, F. O'Hagan, S. Brenner, G. Miller, V. Skelton. Between 60 and 50 per cent, K. James, C. Cunio, S. Cargill, J. Bruder.

Below 50 per cent, J. Kenny, E. Cryderman, V. Bush, Z. Miller, K. Oberle, A. Lambertus, C. Garland, C. Cummins. On two subjects, G. Thompson, 57 and D. Kenny 48 per cent.

FORM III

Honours— M. Kenny.

Between 75 and 60 per cent E. Steeves, S. Greunebach, E. Lindsay, C. McNab.

Between 60 and 50 per cent J. Norrish, S. Richenbach, B. Thompson.

Below 50 per cent. H. Johnston, S. Shaw, H. Irwin, E. Ramsey, L. Wallace, F. Brockelbank, M. Wilson, C. Cargill, 64 per cent on 2 subjects.

FORM IV

Aileen McCool 74, Brian McCool, 69, Vernon Tovell, 57 per cent.

Note:—In the report of last month, Marie Meagher, should have credit with 76 p. c. in three subjects; Lottie Crawford with 72 and Melinda Schumacher with 66 per cent on all four subjects examined.

Teeswater Brothers Mat

Mrs. Scott, a widow, of Teeswater has three sons at the front. Death e oldest has been there all through the war, and has been wounded three times. He had not met his two younger brothers since enlisting. Until the day after the armistice was signed "Somewhere in Belgium," he was tramping the rails when he saw a soldier coming in the opposite direction. It was his brother Peter The feelings of the two lads may be imagined.

REMOVED!

We have now removed to our new quarters, formerly occupied by Mr. Sandy George,' as a coal office, where we are prepared to handle your boot and shoe repairing in the best style.

NEIL THOMPSON

P. S. HONOR ROLL

Names of Pupils Who Head Their Classes In Walkerton Public School For the Month of November.

Report of Walkerton P. S. for Dec. 1918.

GRADE I.

Sr. Primer—Violet Bannister, Mary Threndyle, Mary McGregor, Florence Thompson, Borden Riehl, Homer Glebe.

Mid Primer—Elizabeth Eedy, Jack Leeson, Armand Royce, Jean Bell, Lorne Allen.

Jr. Primer—Margaret George, Mildred McConnell, Elmer Buehlow, Elmer Burrows, Hazel Bannister, Jack Arscott, James Richardson, Nelson Foster.

A. D. Thompson, teacher.

GRADE II.

First Class—Honors—Alex. Shaw, Florence Leeson, Dorothy Trimble, Edith Reed, Edwin Richardson, George King, Stanley Lewis. Pass—Robert Yates, Milne Harrison, Henry Taylor, Beverley Trimble.

Primer—Honors—Luella Prockunow, Lennox Winters, Franklin Spelzan, Peter VanHorne. Pass—Eldon Knepflar, Lillian Polley, Clayton Riehl, Violet Gibson, Wilbur Hampson, Millard Fisk.

W. Thompson, teacher.

GRADE III.

Jr. II.—Honors—H. Royce. Pass—P. Boch, F. McCarter, E. Lang, G. Hilker, B. Johnston, J. George, W. Monk, M. Hunt.

Sr. I.—Honors—R. Pye, M. Bell, D. Hynes. Pass—P. Hartman, M. Silver, B. Dietz, G. McGregor, H. Reichenbach, M. Ramsey.

A. Halladay, teacher.

GRADE IV.

Honors—Lemax Player, Cora Paull, Grace Thompson, Margaret Jones, Arthur Beck, Stewart Channing. Pass—Armond Frey, Annie Kerney, Merle Beemer, Kenneth Tuckey, Bernice Cheshire, Sheldon Anderson.

Agnes Warren, teacher.

GRADE V.

Honors—Ruth Hunter, Margaret Shaw, Mildred Appel, Viola Bell, Keith Perdue. Pass—Balzer Orner, George Dietsche, Kathleen Fortune, Arthur Buehlow, Howard Bush, Lillian Mortimer, David George, Eldridge Truax, Richard Fenin, Emil Dietsche.

M. Ross, teacher.

GRADE VI.

Honors—Donalda Gowanlock, Wesley Hehn, Wallace Jerome. Pass—Verna Anderson, Ethel Riley, Walter Hartman, Jack James, Robert Gowanlock, Rhoda Hampson, Roy Johnston Eddie Singer.

J. Stead, teacher.

GRADE VII.

Sr. IV.—Honors—I. Harrison, M. Perdue, M. Lumley, N. Tuckey, E. Kolpin, M. Schwindt, J. Knepflar. Pass—E. Faust, H. Campbell, J. Aitken, A. Lee, D. Truax, H. Inglis, G. Sutton, E. Fennel.

Jr. IV.—Honors—J. VanHorne, E. Aitken, G. George. Pass—W. Goode, K. Perdue, C. Wallace, H. Myles.

Thomas Ranklin, Prin.

NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Renewed your Telescope yet?

Local news on all eight pages.

Mrs. (Dr.) Sinclair went to Hamilton this week.

Miss Matilda Ste. Marie is home from Kitchener for Christmas.

Mr. Wilbur Cryderman is home from Toronto University for Christmas.

Miss Ruby Norrish, teacher at Courtwright, is visiting at her home here.

Mrs. Pat Heffernan is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ballantyne, at Hamilton.

Miss Jessie Wells is home from Toronto University for the Christmas vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Schmidt and family are spending Christmas with friends at Preston.

Mrs. Cunningham of Guelph is spending Christmas with her sister, Mrs. John Rowland.

Mr. and Mrs. William Weidner of London are Christmas visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Hyslop.

Mr. R. A. Thompson and family of Otterville are expected here to spend Christmas at the old home.

Mr. John Lettner arrived here last week from Saskatchewan to spend Christmas at his old home in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Lindsay, and Miss Ethel Lindsay of Toronto, are spending Christmas at Mr. Joseph Lindsay's.

Mr. Jos. Attwood, of Jacksonville, Florida, is here to spend Christmas with his brother, Mr. T. E. Attwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles O'Malley of Chicago, Willie and Eleanor of Buffalo, N.Y., arrived here Monday night to spend Christmas with their parents Mr. and Mrs. John O'Malley.

Mr. and Mrs. D. McKerracher will eat their Christmas dinner at their brother-in-law's, Mr. Wm. Tulloch, Con. 9 Brant, on the old farm where Mr. McKerracher was born and raised.

Nominations Monday.

Eight pages of local news.

Renewed your Telescope yet?

Mr. Hector McDonald is ill with the flu.

Mr. Fred McErum is here from Galt for Christmas.

Miss Dora Schumacher is home from Detroit for Christmas.

Capt. Roy Whitehead leaves in a few days on a trip to New York.

Mrs. J. W. Fowler of Stratford is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Ferguson.

Mrs. E. T. Gibson accompanied by Mac left Monday on a two week's visit to her son, Charles, in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Leeson and family have gone to Culloden to spend Christmas with Mr. Leeson's father.

Misses Lou and Jennie Vack of Toronto are spending Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Vack.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lindsay of Toronto are spending Christmas with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay.

Mr. J. J Schumacher is expected home on Friday from New York, where he spent Christmas with his daughter, Mrs. Peters.

Miss Florence Wilton, who has has been attending Business College at Toronto, is home to spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Wilton.

Mr. J. V. Scanlan, of the Brantford Collegiate Inst. staff, is spending the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Scanlan, Beaver Glen Farm, Brant.

Several new subscriptions to the Telescope the past week have been given us by parents sending their sons and daughters at a distance a year's subscription to the Telescope as a Christmas present. It is an appropriate gift and one that is appreciated.

Winter Term AT THE **NORTHERN BUSINESS COLLEGE** OWEN SOUND

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Girls and boys who have been working hard on the farm during the summer should have a chance to improve their education this winter.
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E NEWS OF OUR NEIGHBORING TOWNS, VILLAGES AND COUNTRYSIDE

:-: Happenings of the Past Week Collected for the Readers of The Telescope by a capable Staff of Wideawake Correspondents :-:

...LAMIS

...s are ringing!

Alex McColeman (h... Ferris) arrived here... tion Alberta on Frid...

Mr. ...McDonald of Montana sp... days with his sister Mrs. T. H. McNally.

Owing ... the Flu ban being continued in Grose Tp. Friday night's Baptist S.S. Entertainment has been called off.

Among those who are home here for the holidays are Miss Minnie McNally, Lapeer Mich., Miss Retta McKinnon, Kitchener, Miss Flossie McLennan, Wellesley, Miss Mary Webb Chippewa Hill, Miss Mabel Kirtown, Hanover, Miss Mary Deehan, Kincardine, Miss Lydia Colwell, Paisley, Miss Phyllis Moffat, Beamsville, Mr. E. J. McKinnon, Wallaceburg.

The annual meeting of the Red Cross Workers Society was held Tuesday Dec. 17th., in the work room. The officers of the past year were all re-elected, with the addition of Mrs. Jos. Wrightson on the packing committee. The year has been a strenuous one but it also afforded the workers an opportunity to see the end of the war, for which they have worked. The shipments to headquarters show 574 pr. socks, 6 trench caps, 6 scarfs, 5 pillows, 306 towels, 216 personal property bags, 6 bottle covers, 60 pyjama suits, 4 parcels hospital cotton, 204 drkfs., 18 wash cloths,20 sheets, 105 pillow covers shipped in the year. 36 pair of socks were sent directly overseas to local boys, 377 Xmas boxes were also forwarded. The expenses of the society were $873.93. Receipts $1107.22. Balance on ... $233.29. The society will con...rk in the coming year by ...gen work. They ask for ... childrens stockings ... underclothes made according to standard patterns issued ...o, for womens and children. All kinds and sizes of quilts ...e gratefully received by the ...or this refugee work. Anyone wishes to donate quilts may ...them at Mrs. Cunningham's.

DUNKELD

...N ew Year.

...Johnston had a very successful ...ing on Wednesday afternoon last week.

...L. Lambertus of near Chesley ...riday, on business.

...Roddy attended the provincial ...air at Guelph.

...Wilhelm of Calgary arrived ...urday on a visit to his ...e townline, who is ser...

...of Robert Russell, which ... week was learned with ... The late Mr. Russell ...ast few months had con... Rural Route, running ...was well and favorably ...were sorry to hear of ...ise.

...appeal of the Railway ...ple to cut out all unnecessary rail this holiday season ...y traffic on the local ...s. T. R. promises to ...one years in that re... from the week-end rush ...mas.

...ry to report that a number ...''Flu'' patients are not ...ry favorable progress to...recovery. In some cases we understand, complications of a rather ...us nature have developed.

...turday was the shortest day of the ...r but it was quite long enough for ... persons. For instance a bunch ...ute gathered at the Depot early ...evening where they lay in wait for ...flyer which unfortunately did not ...e to Dunkeld till 2 bells Sunday morning.

...Nomination day next Monday.

Miss ...ma Jacques, a London girl, has written a poem entitled "In Flanders Now" in answer to the world renowned "In Flanders Fields" by the late Lieut. Co. John McCrae, well known here and son-in-law of Geo. Eckford formerly of this place. The poem which was given out for publication last week is very fine indeed, and speaks well for the young poetess.

SOUTH LINE

The South Line annual Entertainment was held last Wednesday evening and was a real success reflecting credit upon Miss Diebel and all those who took part in the program. Mr. T. H. Tanner filled the chair and as usual was on hand with a good supply of jokes. The school girls performed very creditably in a wreath drill which was given during the program. Miss Sieling from Hanover gave several very much appreciated solos and was encored enthusiastically at every appearance on the platform. Probably the funniest thing on the program was a tableau entitled "A Public Auction," which was an auction sale of dolls and the antics of the auctioneer were very laughable. The program ended by Santa Claus appearing and distributing presents which were on the Christmas tree and by the whole gathering rising and singing the first verse of "God Save the King."

EDEN GROVE

To my knowledge no one has "Flu" in Eden Grove or flew out of it the past week. It hasn't rained, snowed or blowed. No births, marriages nor deaths. Worms are wrestling with one another all over the sidewalk. This place has become rotten—putrified. However it shows good breeding to speak well of the dead. Beautiful, entrancing, fascinating Eden Grove.

Since nothing real has occurred, perforce the writer must - to fill his space —describe a dream.

I dreamt my suggestion of last week of a Christmas tree for all had aroused some latent enthusiasm in the village and most everybody had received a gift. Many visitors from Walkerton, Cargill and Pinkerton were delighted with their timely and suitable gifts.

McBurney received a book written by Dr. Lydia E. Pinkham entitled: "The proper care of the child"

Knox of Pinkerton, a political pamphlet entitled "Union Government—Vote for Borden."

Tom Desmond received a picture of the glorious blue sky and a soft hill entitled "What is Mother without a home."

Mr. Eedy, Editor, was pleased to receive a copy of his own paper.

Mr. Wesley, Editor, a book with quotations from the bible to help out his meagre knowledge thereof.

Mac Scott received a calendar advertising Eaton's Christmas toys.

Robert Chambers smiled out loud on receipt of a registration card.

A little pig was presented to P. O'Reilly. T'was stuffed with real hair and covered with real skin supplied by the Mayor of Walkerton from various patrons.

The firm of Hunstein and Wittich received a telephone bill marked "Paid" twice.

Cameron was given one of his own bargains.

Dr. Bricker received a golden silver mounted on a beautiful reputation.

Jim Cluney was made happy with an E. & D. corset or it may have been an X. & Z. I've got to be careful about that for writing the wrong kind of letters has gotten many a man into trouble.

Mike Connors hugged happily a little baby doll.

A pair of all day suckers were given to F. Baladun and Len MacNamara. As they were different colors, this almost started a riot. Finally Santa exchanged Len's so both had a red one and good nature was restored.

Just as I was being presented with a long row of alarm clocks, the early train whistled and I rolled over, spoiling the dream.

When the Presbyterian Minister walked into the waiting room last Monday, he reminded me of the uncertainties of this mortal life and I said so.

"Get it off your chest," says he.

"Well," I says, "When the Saturday 2.45 p.m. train pulled in next day, I lost my watch. It fell between the track and the platform. On Monday morning Dick Bailey walks into the office, remember Dick is English Church stock, and asked me if the office clock was the right time."

"Give me my watch," said I.

"It's down at the house" he answered, much surprised. "How did you know I had it?"

"What has the English Church to do with that?" asked the minister.

"Because he was English Church, he was surprised and returned it," I replied.

"I'm glad you didn't say Presbyterian," says he.

"If he had been the latter I would never have gotten it" I laughed.

BRANT COUNCIL

Brant Township Council meeting Dec. 16, 1918.

Brant Township Council met Monday Dec. 16th., 1918. Members all present Minutes of last meeting read and declared correct.

Rowand and Greer. That nominations of candidates for the office of Reeve, Deputy Reeve and three councillors for the Township of Brant for the year 1919 be held at the Town Hall Walkerton on Monday the 30th., day of December 1918 and the following named be appointed Deputy-Returning Officers Poll Clerks and that the places for holding the several polls shall be as follows.

No. 1. D.R.O., Walter Kent; Poll Clerk, Lorne Campbell; Polling-place, Robt Long's House.

No. 2, Walter Rowand, Chas. Tanner, John Ernest's house.

No. 3, R. N. Brockelbank, Chas. Jorgens, Robt Good's house.

No. 4, Geo. Sirrs, F. L. Martin, Public Library.

No. 5, D. W. Gregg sr., Harvey Kerry, Mac Scott's house.

No. 6, Wm. Tulloch, George Fiddis, David Mauer's House.

No. 7, Fred Jacklin, Jacob Schwindt, Farmers' Hall.

No. 8, Eli Methhausen, Rube Dierstein, E. Methhausen's house.

No. 9, Julius Holm, John Hosfeldt, Geo. Hosfeldt's house.

And that the clerk prepare a By-law confirming this resolution. —Carried.

Findlay and Johnston That By-law No. 111 A.D. 1918, a By-law confirming the appointment of Deputy Returning officers and Poll Clerks and appointing places for polls and nominations, be now read a first, second and third time, passed, signed and sealed.—Carried.

Johnston and Gregg. That By-laws 112 and 113 By-laws to authorize the Municipal corporation of the Township of Brant to issue debentures to the extent of $1600.00 to pay the balance of the debt incurred in obtaining from the Hydro Electric Power Commission, a supply of energy for the use of the rate-payers of the village of Elmwood.—Carried.

Findlay and Johnston, That the clerk be instructed to advertise for tenders for Debentures issued to pay the additional cost of installing Hydro Electric in the village of Elmwood. Tenders to be in the Clerk's hands by Jan. 15th., 1919.—Carried.

Rowand and Johnston. That Jno. Hanmore Jr. be appointed sanitary inspector for the Township of Brant.—Carried.

Johnston, Rowand. That the Reeve and clerk issue orders on the Treasurer for all accounts passed at this meeting of council.

Louis Lang, refund of dog tax... 2 00
Edwin Tolton, refund of dog tax... 2 00
Fred A. Edgar, certificate of performance of work on Cargill Bridge.... 14 15
John Clancy, work and material on Cargill bdg.. 14 15
Rodger Ingils, damage to crop re road to gravel pit... 4 00
Joseph Ruetz, grant ... 15 45
Walter Rowand, refund of dog tax... 2 00
Wm. Kirstien, refund of dog tax... 2 00
Wm. Abell, time, culvert, putting in new culv.. 11 00
Frank Prast, cement culvert tile... 6 25
Henry Mauer, filling at bdg. Con. 12... 50
John Dankert, 6 pds. rivt... 60
H. Reuber & Son, acc. re cmt. and nails... 11 55
Chris Pegelo, half day's grading... 3 00
Robertson & McNab, drawing up By-law re Hydro Electric... 14 23
Henry Frook, repairing culvert 25 sideroad... 2 00
Wm. Ernest, refund of dog tax... 2 00
Herman Ahrens, repairing culvert dragging road. 5 50
Bruce Herald & Times, balance on acc. re printing for year 1917... 60 00
John L. George, repairing road opposite lot 17 Con. 5... 14 00
Jas. Threndyle, cutting shrub on 20 S.R. Con. 3... 12 75
Mac McNevin, 9, 8 in. cmt. tile G 25c... 6 75
John Hanmore, drawing tile and putting in culvert 5 00
Arthur Young, repairing 8ft. con. bdg... 2 00
J. G. Bricker, B.O.H. meeting 3.00, telephoning 60, Half of Key's drain 7.50... 11 10
Harry Threndyle, repairing grader... 5 00
Sebastian Kirstine, hauling gravel and repairing bridge... 8 85
Mrs. Jacob Smith, 70 yds. gravel... 7 00
Mike Driscoll, erecting snow-fence Lot 7 Con. 12.. 45 00
Wm. Rowand sr., B.O.H. mtg. 2 20, telephoning ... 2 40
Wm. Atkinson, gravel contract on 8th opposite Lot 9, Con. 12... 46 80
Jas. Watson, repairing road lot 21 Con. A... 3 75
Ben Stansell, 36 tile for hill Con. 10 at 5 sideroad 2 00
John Brown, 1050 ft. Hemlock lbr. at 35 00... 36 75
D. Willoughby, unloading iron for bdg. 25 S.R. 2 00
Fred Wiechman, 34 yds. of gravel... 3 40
The Hunter Bridge & Bolt Co., steel for bdg. lot 25 Con. 11... 500 00
Mal. Thompson, refund of overcharge re statue labour... 3 10
John Steele, refund of dog tax... 2 00
Fred Jacklin, half years salary 67.50, postage and telephoning 11.53 79 03
D. W. Gregg jr. com. work 29.20, 6 Council meetings 21 00... 50 20
W. A. Rowand, com. work 15 60, 6 council meetings 17.10... 32 70
D. Willoughby com. work 46.17 B.O.H. 2.80 6 council mtgs. 19.80 Telephoning 30... 69 07
J. W. Findlay, com. work 22 25, 6 council mtg. 16.20... 38 45
Wm. Johnston, com. work 20 00 6 council mtgs. 19 80... 39 80
M. A. McCallum half year's salary 112.50 B.O.H. 2.40 postage and telephoning 7.10... 122 00

Findlay and Rowand, That this council do now adjourn.

M. A. McCallum, Clerk.

OUR CHRISTMAS FAIR

(Continued from page 4.)

L. W.—A. Schmidt, W. Ellis; 4 Swede Turnips—N. P. Schmidt, S. Kirstine; 4 Mangels (long) —A. Schmidt, Geo. Haines; 4 Mangels (Intermediate)—A. Schmidt, N. P. Schmidt.

BAKING—2 Loaves White Bread —Jno. Garbutt, Mrs. J. Johnston; 2 Loaves Brown Bread—W. H. Ernest, H. J. Ernest; 1 doz. Buns—H. J. Ernest; Fruit Cake—H. J. Ernest, Jno. Garbutt; 1 doz. Fried Cakes—W. H. Ernest, Geo. Childs; Apple Pie —H. J. Ernest, Jno. Garbutt.

MISCELLANEOUS— Crock Apple Butter-Oscar Johnston, John Clark; 5 lbs. Honey in a Glass—Jos. Condy, W. A. Rowand; 1 Pail Sauerkraut—Oscar Johnston, N. P. Schmidt.

GRAIN—1 bus. Fall Wheat—A. Schmidt, Geo. Haines; 1 bus. Marquis Wheat—A. Schmidt, Jas. Bell; 1 bus. W. Oats—A. Schmidt, Geo. Haines; 1 bus. B. Oats—S. Kirstine, A. Schmidt; 1 bus. Barley—A. Schmidt, Geo. Haines; 1 bus. Peas—Geo. Haines, H. J. Ernest; 1 bus. W. Beans—Mrs. Jas. L. Tolton, W. A. Tolton.

BUTTER—5 lbs. Butter in print —Mrs. Jas. L. Tolton, Mrs. D. Noble, Mrs. Jos. Hutton; 10 lbs. Butter in Crock—Mrs. Jas. L. Tolton, Albert Waechter.

NOTICE OF REGISTRATION OF BY-LAW

NOTICE is hereby given that a by-law was passed by the Municipal Council of the Township of Brant on the 16th. day of December, 1918 providing for the issue of debentures to the amount of $1600.00 for the purpose of paying the balance of the debt incurred in procuring from the Hydro Electric Power Commission of Ontario, a supply of electrical power or energy for the purpose of lighting the streets or roads in the unincorporated village of Elmwood in the Township of Brant and that such by-law was registered in the Registry Office of the Registry Division of the County of Bruce on the 19th. day of December, 1918.

Any motion to quash or set aside the same or any part thereof must be made within three months after the first publication of this notice and cannot be made thereafter.

Dated this 20th. day of December 1918.

M. A. McCallum, Clerk.

BRANT TP. NOMINATION

The nominations for the municipal Council of the Township of Brant for the year 1919 will be held in the Town Hall, Walkerton on Monday, December 30th., 1918, commencing at 12 o'clock noon, and closing at one o'clock p. m.

M. A. McCallum, Clerk.

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Our Telephone will be changed to the Searle stand during our stay there.

To our regular customers the same line of credit will be given at the reduced prices.

We will add to the staff in order to help us in the big rush which this Sale is bringing us.

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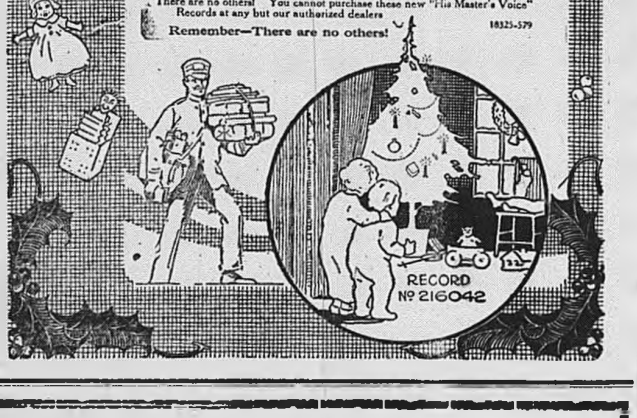
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OLD WALKERTON SCHOOL DAYS

Visitors' Book of Sixty Years Ago Gives Interesting Side Lights On the Early Days—Teachers' Black Book Shows Boys and Girls Haven't Changed Much.

A friend of the Telescopes showed us an interesting curiosity the other day. It was the first Visitor's Book used in the old Walkerton School. The date on the first page is Nov. 29th, 1858, just sixty years ago, and the entries cover a period of sixteen years down to 1874. In those early days the Visitors Book was an important feature of the school. No important personage came to town without honoring himself and the school by a visit and writing in the visitors' book. Trustees paid an occasional visit to the school to observe and admire the progress that the pupils were making in the Three R's, and at quarterly examinations the boys and girls exhibited their knowledge to an assembly of trustees, parents and prominent citizens.

For some years Mr. D. Reid was the Principal and judging by the comments made by visitors in the Book he had a great success in "teaching the young idea how to shoot". The school was then located on the present site of Dr. Fortune's house near the C.P.R. Station, the old frame building still stands but has since been removed to a site near the Binder Twine Factory.

Col. McRae's Grandfather

The first visitor to write in the book was Mr. John Eckford, at that time superintendent of schools. If we are not mistaken Mr. Eckford was the grandfather of the late Col. John McRae, author of "In Flanders Fields". Mr. Eckford was happy to record his "high satisfaction" at Mr. Reid's good work.

Work of School Praised

On July 7th., 1860, Trustees Walter Willoughby, Hugh Wilson and Alex McCarter visited the school and expressed their satisfaction "with the progress the pupils have made." Other visitors who called during 1860 were: Rev. I. E. Sanders, Episcopal Minister, Walkerton, Rev. Peter Addison; Rev. Robt. Moffat, Minister of the U.P.C., David Smith, trustee; Miss Sarah Daniels, school teach and phrenologist, of Kincardine.

Mr. William Stitt, a visiting teacher, opined that "the system pursued by the teacher, (Mr. Reid,) is excellent, being adopted to draw out the intelligence of the pupils and bring into exercise their judgment and reasoning faculties." Trustee W. Collins, observed "a want of the requisite text books still exists." Mr. L. A. Appleton was pleased to see that gymnastic exercises were used, the order in prayer good. "Think it would be better," wrote Mr. Appleton, "if more teachers would pray with the children extempore instead of the formal prayer commonly used." Mr. A. Simpson, who visited the school on Oct. 20th., 1865, was pleased with the scholars answering especially in history, with which "they seemed to be perfectly well acquainted." Mr. W. T. Cox, of the Goderich Signal, was "gratified to see that Walkerton was making so much progress in the important work of education." Mr. Alex Shaw visited the school on Feb. 2nd., 1866, and was pleased at the discipline and the "kindly feeling which existed between teacher and pupils."

Public Examinations

At the examinations held on Dec. 21, 1866, the visitors present included:—Mr. and Mrs. Shaw, Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor, Mrs Wisser, Mr. Willoughby, Mrs. D. Smith, Dr. Caseldy, Mr. Collins, Mr. Short, Mr. Eckford, Mrs. Blair. The following March examinations were again held at which the visitors were:—Messrs. Wm. Brown, W. Collins, David Smith, Henry Bacon, Geo. Kennedy, Charles Stevens, Louis Wisser. Other visitors during the year were:—James Flett, F. Anderson, teacher U.S.S. No. 1, Greenock and Culross; Wm. S. Clendenning, teacher, S.S. No. 7, Saugeen, George Gould, H. P. O'Connor, Alexander Taylor, James Hargreaves, Robert Pinkerton, Mr. J. Lambe, Mr. McCall J. S. Chisholm, A. B. St. John, Wm. Sellery.

At the Christmas Examinations 1868 the visitors included:—Chas. B. Stevens, Simon Wallace, David Smith, Wm. Collins, Mrs. Blair, Miss Wallace, Miss Noble. Other visitors during the year were:—Rev. Wm. Irwin, George Owen, James McAudrew, teacher S.S. No. 2, Carrick, J. W. Anderson, teacher Kinkiklien; James Ferguson, J.P., Jno. Lamb, Robt. Young, S. Roether, A. Stephen, Col. Kingsmill, .

In 1870 the list of names included:—James Eckford, Reeve of Brant, Rev. W. Henderson, T. H. Nelson, David F. Mickle, Peter Dow, Jas. Anderson, Dr. L. Sinclair, H. P. O'Connor, Mrs. John Cosgrove, Mrs. John Burdon, Mrs. Wm. Sutton, John Cosgrove, Richard Rivers, Rev. J. P. Curran, Robt. Young, John A. McGill, F. R. Waugh, H. Langdon, George W. Richardson, Mr. and under W. Clendenninglings principal-Mrs. John Burdon, Wm. Carter, Mrs. E. Kilmer, Mrs. J. Clarke, Mrs. G. Gould, Miss Mann.

Mr. Clendenning Praised

The work of the school in 1871 under W. S. Clendenning's principalship received high praise. One visitor speaks of overcrowding. Mr. C. B. Stevens thought the teachers deserved more encouragement in their good work from trustees and parents.

Teacher's Black Book

Not the least interesting feature are the memos written in pencil at the back of the book, where the short comings of pupils in the early 70s, were noted down by the teacher. Some of them will awake long forgotten memories in the minds of some of our readers:—

Sept. 21—Mag Wallace, Annie and Edward Bell beat Ellz Riley yesterday on the way home from school. Warned them.

Sept. 21—J. Harkley and Wm. Schwartz throwing stones at Nelsons

Sept. 22—C. Reisa played truant.

Sept. 25—F. Gould talked to A. Harkley in class.

Oct. 2—W. Rothwell played truant, Father brought him.

Oct. 2—Wm. Chambers played truant last week—excused by father, punished if occurs again.

Oct. 2—Wm. McCormack played truant. Warned.

Oct. 15—J. Grainger, Jas. Anderson, R. Eby stonethrowing.

Oct. 17—W. Grainger and I. Reichenbach annoying Grasser on the way home.

Oct. 23—A Gould, throwing stones, hit M. A. Morrison to be thrashed next time.

Feb. 6—Angus McGregor fighting James Burrell.

Mar. 5, Alex McGregor slapped Geo. Widdis' face.

Nov. 16—F. Gould, M. Burrell, M. Delaney, abusing F. Richardson.

Dec. 1—W. Gould struck Dan Steele on the nose and made it bleed. Dan forgave him, let go again.

Dec. 5—S. Micklo copying off book at Spelling. Advised.

Dec. 19—W. Sheans wrote trash on slate. Punished. Promised not to repeat.

Jan. 17—W. Ross and C. Nelson quarrelling and fighting on street.

We are glad to know that all the delinquents whose names appear above did not come to a bad end. Not one of them has been hanged and some of them actually grew up to be good citizens. Perhaps the correction meted out them, which we note was well tempted with mercy, did the trick.

News About Town

A Toronto evening paper states that its subscription price of $4 a year does not even cover the cost of the white paper.

North Brant Farmers' Club was represented at the U.F.O. convention at Toronto last week by Messrs. Alex Rae, J. W. Findlay, Herman Monk, Frank Fischer, and Wm. Hirsmith.

Pte. J. T. Coles of Paisley, who enlisted with the 160th., is expected home from Overseas shortly.

Mr. Hugh McKerracher of Paisley visited his brother Mr. D. McKerracher last Thursday.

Look At Your Label

The address label on your Telescope tells the date to which it is paid. See that it reads "Jan. 20", which means that your subscription for the coming year is paid.

Coming News Years Day

There are women—thousands of them—in France, and, in two years have not had a comb, brush or hairpin. D. W. Griffith makes this statement. And Mr. Griffith ought to know, for he spent eighteen months in France producing "Hearts of the World" his greatest achievement, which comes to Walkerton Opera House Wed. Jan. 1st. Reserve seats at McCraim's Book Store

Expected Home Soon

Three years ago Alex Hulk enlisted with the 118th. Batt'n. His brother, John, tried to sign up at the same time but was rejected. Alex has come through the big fray without a scratch, although he has had trench fever and writes his brother, John, who is now living at the old home near Enniskillen, that he expects to be home soon and have a chat with his old neighbor. Alex has been acting as Military Police [illegible].

PLEASANT WAY ALWAYS BEST

Nothing Ever Lost by Effort to Take Sting Out of Request That Must Be Refused.

Do you know how to take the sting out of anything unpleasant you have to do? It is a good plan to learn how to do this.

"She said she couldn't do it, but you know how Effie would say such a thing. She tries so hard to make everybody feel pleasant. Now, when I say no, people understand that I mean no."

Marcia looked as well pleased with herself as if she had announced a more amiable characteristic. She was a girl with a peculiarly blunt and uncompromising manner. If she refused a request, her refusal was as downright as a blow. It was never softened by any little phrase suggesting regret. And Marcia was no well satisfied with herself that she felt something like contempt for the way Effie took the sting out of saying no, and made the people to whom she refused a favor as grateful as if she had granted it.

The girl who starts to go through life with her elbows out is going to find the road hard to travel. If she prides herself on being blunt and outspoken, she may need to use that as consolation for her sore heart many a time. It pays to make even a refusal pleasant. It pays to take out the sting whenever possible, and drop in the honey. One who starts out as Marcia did, priding herself on being blunt, and contemptuous of the little courtesies, is likely to come to old age friendless and embittered. Learn to be pleasant and take out the sting.—Exchange.

ADD COLOR TO THE GARDEN

Goldfinches, Always Attracted by Sunflowers, Make Beauty Spot Especially Attractive.

A very familiar bird in our gardens, especially when there are sunflowers growing there, is the beautiful little American goldfinch.

Their deep black wings and tail and little cap form a striking, though pleasing, contrast to their bright yellow bodies.

Because of their sweet, canary-like notes they are often called wild canaries.

They are very sociable little birds, being found usually in small flocks; they even build their nests in small communities.

When winter approaches the male changes his bright yellow coat for one of a soberer color closely resembling that of the female.

Numbers of them feed upon the sunflowers in my garden every year, and it is a pleasing sight to go in there and see their bright yellow bodies flashing in the sun.

They are hardy little fellows, spending the entire winter with us.—New York Sun.

Moving Pictures for the Home.

A comparatively inexpensive combination moving-picture camera and projector for amateur use is illustrated in Popular Mechanics Magazine. It bears about the same relation to the costly and heavy professional machines as a compact, light camera does to a cumbersome apparatus employed by portrait photographers. Exclusive of its tripod, the new movie camera weighs less than three and a half pounds. It uses standard film and is operated as easily as any simple "still" instrument. The capacity of its magazines, designed for daylight loading, is twenty feet, which, because eight instead of sixteen pictures are taken per second, records as much action as forty feet of film in a professional machine. Sharp, clear pictures capable of reasonable enlargement for "stills" are obtained. By changing the transmitting a light frame with reels of 200-foot capacity, and mounting a small, cylindrical lamphouse, the camera is converted into a projector.

Serbians Great Walkers.

All Serbian peasants are great walkers. A servant, given a short leave, will think nothing of footing it to his home, five and twenty miles off, and walking back after a short day spent with his family.

It is quite in the ordinary way of their business for both men and women to be two days on the road to market.

Owing to their remarkable marching powers Serbian troops are mobilised and moved with surprising rapidity, in spite of the great lack of railway communication. And their they march light.

With little in the bread-bag that hangs at his belt the Serbian soldier is quite content if only he can roll himself a cigarette now and then and look forward perhaps to a tot of plum-cognac.

His Knew.

The Fat Customer—I want half a dozen collars, please.

The Clerk—What size?

The F. C.—Thirteen and a half.

The Clerk—Surely you must take a larger collar than that. What size shirt do you wear?

The F. C.—Sixteen.

The Clerk—Then why do you wish such a small collar?

The F. C.—Why, confound ye, I'm buying them for my boy!

Uplift of Coyote.

The despised coyote has lived to see the day when his pelt is sought in the fur markets of the world as one of the prizes of the trapper's pack. The skin of the prairie wolf today brings a price up to $15, according to the quotations in the fur buyer's list. Up till last year this fur was a drug on the market.—Dawson News.

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OUR SOLDIERS' LETTERS

Bombardier Louis Dippell M. M. writes Racy Account of His Experiences in Northern Russia—How Norman Helwig Won Military Cross—Letter from France

SOMEWHERE IN RUSSIA

Bombardier Louis Dippell M.M. who is in Northern Russia with a British, French American Expedition fighting the Bolsheviki, after three years' service in France sends his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Dippell, the spicily written letter which we publish below. Louis landed at Murman a couple of months ago, and the river which he refers to is the Dwina.

Dear folks at home:—

In my last letter written while we were still on the barge, I promised to write again in a few days. Since then though no mail has gone out, which is rather rotten in one way, but then again it is the best excuse yet for not writing every week. On the 10th., of Oct., we were very busy and since then it has been very hard to get the time, inclination, writing material and light together at one time. Lloyd Seamon and his bunch left two weeks ago going up one of the tributaries.

On the barge which is still with us we had a fine time. For the first week about all we did was to put in time. After that we started to unload guns at various points and load them up again, but now I think that we won't revert to the "navy" till Spring, especially as the river is supposed to be frozen up. We also stopped at one point to unload rations from some other barge for some other troops. It is never hard to get a fatigue party to help unload rations etc. belonging to other people. We took out for our own commission. We are up the river back a ways the guns being hauled up by our Russian ponies. Each driver has a team and they are the most willing animals to work I have ever seen. To make them stop you burr-r-r-r. To start them the Russians just shake the lines and all the drivers about much and keep on yelling and the more you yell the harder they pull. On the barge the signalling corporal and I had, I believe, the best bed, as we happened to see a couple of spare Hospital cots on the wharf. We were sorry to leave the barge for we were quite comfortable.

I am writing this in the signal shack, which is not too bad as signal stations go, but has had to be remodelled so often that it has quite a patch work look. First we had the station below a small hill and nearly finished when we had to move it in order to visual signal to another station. First of all the door faced East and were about finished when it had to face West so the enemy wouldn't see so much of our movements. Then the window was put in so we could read the other sections signals without going outside. I forget to mention this shack is double-boarded with earth between, the lumber being obtained from one peasant and the saw to cut it with from another just to show we play no favorites. We made a stove out of a biscuit tin which is O.K. except it eats up an awful lot of wood and is rather small for the wood. We always have a little fire going to make the place comfortable. The other day the other section moved again causing more internal disagreements.

We, i. e. Sub A. and Sub B., are billeted in houses and are not too badly off. The houses are all log and everything is wooden, and also everything is made without nails. I believe there were no nails around until we came. There are no cooking stoves. Every farm is self contained with its own little hand mill to make flour. The people sleep on the floor and never undress but for all that are fairly clean. They are very religious and superstitious, crossing themselves whenever they enter a room, and they do not allow any whistling in the house.

They have nothing we can buy from them. Money is really no value here so do not send any, except a few potatoes, sometimes a few eggs or a little milk. Their bread is very coarse, very brown and often sour, so we prefer hard tack. The Church and the school are the only decent buildings.

All the cooking is done in some kind of a metal clay bowls and everything is very crude. The war itself is very much the same as in France only not so violent and I have had the pleasure of dodging shells and being sniped at. They are very poor riflemen in this country. By joining the Bolsheviki army you sort of get a license to kill, plunder and take what you can at the expense of the other poor people.

Yours as ever, L.

HOW NORMAN HELWIG WON DECORATION

Lieut. Norman Helwig, formerly of Walkerton, tells the thrilling story of his last big fight in Belgium in the following letter to his father, Mr. Helwig of Hanover. Norman has since been decorated by the King for the exploit which he all too modestly describes in this letter.

Rotterdam, Nov. 26, 1918.

Dear Dad:

The reason you have not heard from me before was that I could not write you. We were allowed to write two letters a month but as they had no paper that was impossible. I tried to induce a Major in the German Flying Corps to drop a message on our side saying I was a prisoner but the beggars came our lines so seldom I doubt if he did it. I also smuggled 2 letters across by people who were being repatriated. You may have received those. I'm going on shore this afternoon and will send a cablegram. Would have done this before but had no money. I found a bank that would accept my cheque and succeeded in getting five pounds.

What I really want to tell you in this letter is how I was taken prisoner. I'm heartily ashamed of myself and want you to know that it, or rather we, tried our best to get back. It was on the morning of Sept. 27, the opening day of, perhaps, the battle which ended the war. We anticipated this battle for days and had our job set. On the previous night Bennett, my pilot, and I were warned that we would lead the first bomb-raid in the morning on an enemy bridge about 18 or 20 miles behind, near Cambrai. I was wakened next morning by the sound of our barrage. The battle had commenced. I scrambled out of bed and pulled on my togs, and went into the mess for a cup of tea before starting. I met the others there. The Major was also there and took Bennett and I to a map and pointed out our objective and offered a few words of advice. There were eight machines in the raid and each carried two 112-lb. bombs and four 25-lb. bombs. We arranged to take off the ground separately and meet later over the aerodrome. Bennett tried his engine and I looked over my guns and got started. The others followed on and about twenty minutes later we began to assemble. I fired a light the assembly signal, and two machines hurriedly swung in unto our tail. The other five I could see in the distance. We turned towards them but our engine was not running at all well and we never succeeded in catching up with them. Thinking that we had gone back, they carried on and about an hour later crossed over. We three tolled on and after almost two hours Bennett urged her up to about 11,000 feet. In the meantime one of the two machines with us "wanted out" and returned to the drome. Just before crossing over I called "Benny" up on the phone and asked him what he thought about going the whole way alone, because I knew and he knew there would be swarms of Huns about. We were both anxious to reach our objective and had often gone over alone before under similar conditions. So we decided to go. Perhaps it was wrong going so far over alone and taking the other chap with us but I could see no use in wasting all our time and bombs on anything but the objective.

We reached the objective without seeing a single other machine. I took a good sight and though I did not hit the bridge we got good hits on the road nearby, which was jammed with traffic. We turned around and started homeward, a 40-mile wind blowing against us and making our progress slow. We had hardly turned when Bennett signalled to me and pointed six machines out to be the newest kind of German scout. I told Bennett and got my guns ready, ready for a scrap. They were soon onto us. The first dived and fired a burst. I gave him a short burst and he turned aside. The next came and he too turned aside. After that I can remember very few details of the fight. But I know it was the biggest and longest fight it had ever been in. Our other machine got away from me and the six devoted their attention to us. I happened to turn around and saw Bennett's face in the mirror. He was grinning so I grinned back and went on fighting. I never had so many bullets around my head before. His machines with two guns each and all going at once! They dived and fired, then swung around and dived again. I could only fire a few rounds at each. Bennett got one fellow in his sights and dived. I believe he went down. I only saw five after that. Soon I got one. He went straight down, black and white smoke streaming out behind. Almost at the same time I gave another one a good bullet. He looped and spun down. And just as I thought we were safe I fired my last round. All my ammunition was gone. Soon they realized this and down they came. It was bad before but nothing like this. Almost every bullet was a pit. . Suddenly the machine swerved and I knew Bennett was hit. But he soon had her in control again. At almost the same moment our engine stopped. That, too, had been hit. Our rudder control was gone and down we went. How Bennett ever kept control of it I don't know. The Huns followed, firing all the way. I kept standing and swung my gun, trying to bluff them that it was working. Perhaps I succeeded, because they kept their distance. The ground came nearer and nearer. I didn't know whether we would reach it alive or not. Indeed, I didn't hope for anything so wonderful. I was so sorry for Bennett. He was working splendidly and saved our lives dozens of times by his splendid manoeuvring.

I glanced around once more and saw we almost on the ground. I knew we would crash and braced myself. I have been in three pretty rotten smashes before but never one like this. Thank goodness these are over quickly—the whole thing only lasted five minutes

We just skimmed a telegraph pole and hit the ground. The machine turned completely over and piled up on top of us. I must have been knocked out at first because I seemed to wake up in a daze and found myself under the machine with guns and wires and fabrics piled around my head. I managed to find a hole and crawled out. I was afraid we might catch on fire. Bennett was just loosening himself and I helped him to crawl away and then went back to get her on fire. But a hundred of the beggars were on top of us, yelling and gesticulating. I could not find a flare for the pistol and stood there with the thing dangling in my hands, waiting to be made a prisoner. I walked over to Bennett and began undressing him. He was hit twice, once in the foot and once in the hip. A German officer arrived and I told him Bennett was wounded and he sent for a medical orderly. We were about two hours behind the German line and shells were bursting quite fairly around us. A cart soon arrived and we were put into this and taken to some German headquarters where we were separated, Bennett went to hospital and I to a dungeon to spend the night.

FROM HOSPITAL IN BELGIUM

Trooper Max Wilson, brother of Mrs. Lorne A. Eedy, writes from Belgium:—

I have been back to the battalion and was at Mons but my poor old knee wouldn't stand the marching so they have sent me back to the hospital again. My knee is known in the army as synovitis knee. Can you get that. I also have a few old gun scars broken out again so I am known in hospital as a "chum." My voice is gone too. If you and I were in a small room and I should feel loud and you paid strict attention you might know what I was talking about. However the voice will come back, and the sores will get better but I am afraid I will always have a limp in that knee but it doesn't hurt me only when I exercise it so maybe it will improve with time. That I think is all my trouble except that mail never reaches me anymore and I don't think it need bother writing until I can give you some definite address.

I think that I will ask for a medical board on this knee as soon as I can as if I don't stand some chance of being sent home, now is the time over is over.

You should have seen the people we liberated at Mons. They crowded us and cried over us and kissed us and that great big city was all ours. The 45th., had the honor of being the first in Mons and I understand the 3rd. Division is going to be decorated by the Belgium government for the relief of Mons. They just think we Canadians are the finest people in the world and believe you and me, Sister, we are.

It is hard to realize that the war is over, isn't it? There are hundreds of repatriated prisoners of war returning every day and the poor fellows have a pitiful tale to tell and their looks certainly show what they have been through. The Germans could have been obliged in a short time anyhow without our big offensive on account of the blockade and their food supply. It is only now we can see the result of the navy has done.

Your loving son,

POULTRY MANAGEMENT

To Make the Farm Flock Pay Best Only One Must Have Charge.

Electric Lighting Is a Great Convenience on the Farm—Wiring Costs About $160, While a Small Plant Should Not Exceed $500.

(Contributed by Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.)

SUCCESSFUL poultry-keepers are found much more frequently among those who operate what is termed a "one-man plant" than elsewhere. This simply means that poultry require some one person's attention, or that personal attention is so important that it is usually not to be found efficient among the ordinary laborers.

Poultry know the time of day when it is customary to feed them, and, perhaps, equally as well all other daily tasks. They respond fairly well to the kind of sympathy of the feeder. If the feeder rushes into the pen and throws the feed around the poultry usually rush out of the way or out of the doors if they can get there. Fright reduces egg production. Particularly nervous hens, when badly frightened, sometimes cease laying for several days. The person caring for the poultry should be fond of them, and take an interest in them. One's interest usually goes up or down with the production of the flock. To maintain keen interest when the production is low, or when the flock is out of condition, is the real test. If you hold on and study the flock, generally speaking, you will succeed.

A change of attendants, even when both are good at the work, nearly always means a decrease in production for some days. The careful feeder knows just about what this or that flock requires as to quantity of feed, etc., and further, he or she usually goes about the work on a definite plan so that in time the birds know just what to expect, not only as to time and quantity of feed given, but the movements of the attendants in the pen.

The writer ventures to assert that if the poultry on the farms of Ontario were, on each farm, given over to one person to look after, that there would be a very great increase in the success of the undertaking as well as a very large increase in the production; even as much as twenty-five per cent. in many instances.

No line of live stock responds more to careful attention than poultry. The boy or girl on the farm can learn much of how to feed and what to feed. They may learn something of the effects of breeding.

Successful poultry-keepers know that there is a time to hatch and rear, a time to cull, a time to sell, a time to clean and disinfect, as well as a time to feed.

Plenty of farmers are making money from poultry, but they know poultry do that only when given careful and systematic attention.—Prof. W. R. Graham, O. A. College, Guelph.

Principles of Electric Lighting.

In the year 1800, Volta, a famous Italian physicist, discovered that if a plate of copper and one of zinc were placed in weak sulphuric acid, and connected by a wire above the acid, there was transmitted along the wire a certain amount of energy, which transmission we speak of as a current of electricity, comparing it to a current of water. As it requires pressure or head to make water flow, so it requires pressure to make electricity flow. The pressure of the simple cell described above is called a volt, in honor of its discoverer. A dynamo generating 32 volts would have a pressure equal to that of 32 simple cells.

Electric energy passing through fine wires will heat them white hot, hence electricity may be used for lighting. Current for this purpose usually has a pressure of 110 volts, when supplied by light and power companies, but private plants usually generate only about 32 volts. All current generated by dynamos is alternating when made, i.e., it flows in one direction for half a revolution of the dynamo and then in the opposite direction during the other half, but by fitting the dynamo with a commutator (which means changer) these waves of current may all be sent in the same direction along the distribution lines. It is then called direct current or D.C.

Now alternating current, or A.C., may be used for lighting, just as well as D.C. If the alternations are very rapid the light is perfectly steady, but if too slow the lights will fluctuate in brightness, and the light is hard on the eyes. Many light and power companies supply A.C.

However, A.C. cannot be used to charge storage cells and hence private plants which usually have storage batteries must be of the D.C. variety. This is also true of lighting systems for automobiles.

One-horse power will run 30 ordinary tungsten lamps, each giving from 22 to 24 candle-power, while if they are nitrogen filled each lamp will give about 45 c.p., hence it would take only about half a horse power to give the same light as before. As the ordinary farm probably would not require more than, say, four lights on an average of two hours per day, taking the whole year round, it is easy seen that the amount of power required is very small. The outlay for wiring the buildings is a great deal with circumstances, but probably $160 would be a fair average.

Anyone who is not far from the distributing lines of any electric power plant he may install a small plant of his own. The original cost of these will run from $300 to $500, depending on size and type, and the interest on this amount would be the fairest part of the cost of light for the farm, the cost of running the plant being only a few cents a day.—H. R. Graham, B.S.A., O. A. College, Guelph.

UNDERDRAINAGE PAYS

Proven Methods of Draining Low Land, Swamps and Springs.

Mutual Respect and Confidence Are the Keynotes of Successful Co-operation — How These May Be Developed In Any Community.

(Contributed by Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.)

IN general the conditions making drains necessary are those where the gravitational or free water is either on the surface of the land or so close to the surface as to interfere with the proper growth of plant roots. The instances where the water is lying on the land, such as in pond holes, sloughs, pockets, swamps, etc., are very common in Ontario, and it is usually an easy matter for these conditions to be remedied. They may be remedied either by means of open ditches or a system of tile drains.

Where there is a large area of low-lying land which is uniformly wet, such as we have in the southwestern counties, namely, Kent, Essex and Lambton, tile drains augmented by open ditches are used, and sometimes when the wet land is the same or possibly lower than the lake level dikes are constructed and pumps installed to remove the water. Other instances where low-lying and flat lands require drainage are those which are occasionally flooded either during the spring freshets or during heavy rains. If no means has been provided for this water to be removed quickly the crops growing on this land will be killed out, and thus cause financial loss to the land owners.

In the case of underground springs we have a condition where the impervious layer of the subsoil has caused the underground water to be blocked and held to such an extent that it eventually comes to the surface. These can be prevented by having a tile drain put in a short distance above the springs so that the water may be cut off and conveyed to a proper outlet.

Another instance is that where irrigation is being carried on. In some of the irrigation districts the water is fairly saturated with alkali salts. When this water is used for irrigation it is spread over the land and eventually is evaporated from the surface of the soil or from the leaves of plants and trees by the sun, the alkali being left on the surface. This alkali accumulates until it becomes so strong as to prevent the growth of plants or trees.

The more this alkali it is necessary to install a system of underdrains, then thoroughly flood the soil which is saturated with alkali, thus dissolving the alkali and allowing the water to pass off through the drains, thereby removing the alkali. After this has been removed it will be necessary to use a greater amount of water for irrigation of this soil, and after each irrigation as soon as the water has been evaporated to such an extent that the remaining water is almost saturated with alkali the free water remaining in the soil and containing this saturated solution of alkali must be allowed to run off through the drains.

Across many Ontario farms we see small creeks flowing at least part of the season. In many instances where this occurs the drain can be placed parallel to this creek, and except during the spring freshets or after very heavy rains the water will flow through this drain, thereby obviating the use of the creek. When this drain is installed the creek banks could be levelled, and instead of being a creek with ragged banks and weeds and small trees growing alongside, could be converted into a scoop ditch. This ditch could be of such a nature as to allow farm machinery to cross back and forth, and would take care of the occasional heavy flows of water.

In all conditions where the ground water comes within two and a half feet of the surface of the soil it is necessary for this to be removed to some distance so that plants may have proper root growth.—W. R. Scott, B.S.A., O. A. College, Guelph.

Philosophy of Having a Good Time.

Take the "I" out of toil and you have oil. You can't take the hard work out of farming as easily as that, but a little run robs it of much of its drudgery. Good times are the oil in the toil of agriculture. That is what a great many sincere persons overlook who study economics more than human nature.

When we attempt to organize a farmers' association, what is done? Why right away a vast amount of talking is committed about education and improvement. Both are good, of course, and the farmer, in common with all humanity, wants to improve — there's a difference between improving and being improved — but he's not always so sure that the association will effect the improving.

To begin with, he is often not too well acquainted with his real neighbors—the men in the inside of the town he knows now and then, when only to kindred spirits. Then after a hard day's work he is prone to stay quietly at home in preference to driving several miles and, under a smoky lamp, the old problems in much the same old way.

But there's one thing everyone welcomes—a good time. Organize a [illegible] in some form — only there's nothing collective about it; each goes his own way in his own time. Really perhaps the neighbors [illegible] have a better time at the club [illegible] and then they can get home [illegible] they'll get without worrying.

[illegible] the logical starting point [illegible] never finds it hard to get [illegible] to meet for pleasure—to have a good time.

And it leads to other things, too. As people become better acquainted [illegible] respect and confidence develops. That is the fundamental and first step to business co-operation.—Ontario Department of Agriculture.



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TOWN AND DISTRICT NEWS

Miss Greta McFarlane, is home from McDonald Hall, Guelph, which is closed on account of the flu.

Mr. John Hartman is home from Stratford to spend Christmas with his family.

The United Farmers of Ontario passed an unanimous resolution favoring total prohibition for C...

Mr. George Allen of Wiarton, who recently returned home from Overseas, has been visiting his sister, Mrs. M. Ubrig.

Mrs. Holderness, who returned home last week from Detroit with her daughter, has rented Mr. V. Messmer's house in the West Ward.

Miss Clara Schumacher, Toronto and Mr. Albine Schumacher of Niagara Falls are spending Christmas with their mother, Mrs. A. Schumacher.

Mrs. Thomas Cunningham returned home Friday from Hanover where she was attending her sister Mrs. F. A. Glesbe, who was sick with the Flu.

Mr. Arsenius Schmidt, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Schmidt has taken a position for the winter with his uncles, the Schill Bros. merchants, of Kitchener.

Takes Position In West

Miss Mabel Garner, who has been practising as a trained nurse here since her graduation last year, leaves on Thursday for Vermilion, Sask. where she will take a position on the General Hospital Staff. She will visit her sister Mrs. Robertson, at Edmonton en route. Miss Garner's many friends here wish her every success in her new position.

Family's Proud Record

Mrs. George Gould had word recently from her daughter, Mrs. J. J. Cooke, that her two sons, Verner and George, are now in the same hospital at Manchester, and Mrs. Cooke is stopping at a hotel near at hand so that she can see her boys occasionally. Verner, who was wounded in the hip early in October is doing nicely, but his younger brother, George, who was wounded in the neck and arm only a week or so before the armistice was signed, is improving but slowly. Their sister, Miss Nan, is still serving as a nurse at Salonika. Mrs. Gould certainly has reason to be proud of the splendid record of her family, in war service. Her son, William, also served for two years Overseas, and both of his sons, George and Rowland, have also served, the former enlisting at the first of the War. Her son-in-law, Mr. J. J. Cooke, contributed liberally with his partner a Re... Ambulance fully equipped ... beginning of the War and has ... it up by an annual contribution of five hundred dollars to the Red Cross organization, as well as meeting other patriotic claims in a generous manner. The record of this family is surely one that few can equal.

Mr. Peter Lambertus of the Ontario College of Pharmacy is home spending the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Lambertus.

Gave Christmas Cantata

Knox Church choir rendered "Star of the East," a beautiful Christmas cantata at Sunday night's service. Both choral and solo work was well taken by different members of the choir and reflected skilful training by their leader, Mr. Leeson.

In Paris, France

Mr. Niece Raeburn, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Raeburn, who is representative of the American Express Co. at Paris, France, was seriously ill with the Flu pleurisy and other complications for over five weeks and at latest word was only able to be at his office for a few hours each day.

Look at Your Label

The U. S. Government has passed a law compelling all subscribers to pay for their papers in advance and the Canadian Government is following suit, having already made it obligatory on subscriptions to daily papers. Your label will tell you to what date you are paid. Kindly consult it and see that your paper is paid well in advance.

In Hospital At Valenciennes

Milt McCarter, who has been in a Military Hospital at Valenciennes, France, with a bad attack of the Flu, writes home that he is now able to sit up for an hour a day. The Hospital is in charge of doctors and nurses from Boston and Milt could not speak too highly of the treatment he received. Milt was over the top ten times in the last great offensive and had a part in four big battles coming through without a scratch.

An Old-Timer

One of the real old-timers of Walkerton is Ex-Coun. Con. H. Schnurr. Mr. Schnurr came to this town as a lad of 17 years. At that time Walkerton had not been incorporated and Mr. William Collins, father of our present Town Clerk, was the reeve of Walkerton and Brant Tp. Mr. Schnurr remembers well when Joseph Walker, the founder of Walkerton, was elected first Mayor of the County Town. Few citizens of those early days survive Messrs. R. E. Truax, M.P., Mr. R. H. McKay and Mrs. Louis Wisser about completing the list. Mr. Schnurr kept a butcher shop for years on the corner now occupied by the Bell Telephone Co. When the big fire of 1874 occurred, he was foreman (in the pork packing plant on the property now occupied by Messrs. Stephan Bros. residence. Mr. Schnurr worked like a trojan helping to get the goods out of burning buildings and tells many interesting incidents that happened on that memorable day.

A Good Number

One detective story, beginning a serial by Isabel Ecclestone Mackay, two war stories, three Christmas stories, two social stories, Sir John Willison's Reminiscences, an impression of the Vineyards, with illustrations by Dorothy Stevens and F. Horsman Varley, reproductions of pa...rs by Horatio Walker, F. M. ...h, Frank H. Johnston, and ... Cote, besides an outstand... by Arthur L. Phelps, are ... of the December number of ...dian Magazine.

Sunday School Concert

The Christmas Entertainment at the Methodist Sunday School was as usual a great event for the Children and many parents showed their interest by turning out. Supt. John McCool was the Chairman, and after a few appropriate words introduced the following program:—Chorus, Hail To The King; prayer, Rev. C. W. Cosens; Song, Six little girls, Miss Watt's class; Recitation, Five little soldier boys, Miss Watt's class; Recitation, Mary McGregor; Recitation, Elizabeth Eby and ... Chrshira's class; on. 14, where they er My God To Thee ... Powell's and Mrs. Hall's class; Harvest Song, Comin' Through the Rye, Miss White's Class; Recitation, Elsie Hunt; Song, John Eedy; Address, Rev. C. W. Cosens; Instrumental, Erelcita Stevens; Solo, Violet Bush; Song, Miss Dippell's class; Recitation, Bernice Cheshire; Recitation, Dorothy Crawford; Recitation, Billy Hunstein, "In a Manger Low," God Save the King. The collection towards the Sunday School funds amounted to over $14.00.

NOTICE OF REGISTRATION OF BY-LAW

NOTICE is hereby given that a by-law was passed by the Municipal Council of the Township of Brant on the 16th., day of December 1918 providing for the issue of debentures to the amount of $1560.00 for the purpose of paying the balance of the debt incurred in obtaining from the Hydro Electric Power Commission of Ontario, a supply of electrical power or energy for the use of the rate-payers of the Township of Brant residing in the unincorporated village of Elmwood in the Township of Brant and in constructing or providing for the distribution plant for such power or energy and that such by-law was registered in the Registry Office of the Registry Division of the County of Bruce on the 19th. day of December, 1918.

Any motion to quash or set aside the same or any part thereof must be made within three months after the first publication of this notice and cannot be made thereafter.

Dated this 20th., day of December 1918.

M. A. McCallum Clerk.

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